

## THE IMPACT OF CANADIAN STUDIES AT A GLANCE

Since the publication of the first issue of our bulletin, we have pointed out specific achievements of a number of Canadianists. It came to us that our readers would most likely appreciate a broader, albeit partial, picture of the work done by Canadianists throughout the world. So we have examined the *Reports of the ICCS Member Associations and Associates Members* for the period from May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2007 to May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008, and came up with the following statistics; the data supplied are not an extensive study of the Canadianists' undertakings, but they provide an overview of their achievements.

Thus, in 2007-2008 year, ICCS' 21 associations and the 6 associate members reported, among many other things, the following:

- Over 100 lectures, courses and seminars in Canadian Studies were offered in German-speaking universities.
- 186 publications (books, journals, reports, etc.) were produced on the topic of Canada.
- Associations for Canadian Studies undertook 115 collaborative activities with other associations, universities, institutes and Canadian embassies.
- 131 research projects on a significant number of topics related to Canada were undertaken.
- 60 courses in Canadian Studies were offered in Spanish universities.
- 159 awards, prizes and grants were given out by Associations.
- 88 doctoral and at least 30 masters' theses on Canada haven been successfully defended.

As you can surmise, Canadian Studies are vibrant and contribute significantly to raising knowledge about Canada internationally. Associations for Canadian Studies and Canadianists organize world-class scholarly activities that not only foster the development of Canadian Studies in universities, but create links and facilitate exchanges between universities dedicated to the study, research and teaching on the topic of Canada.

To download the *Reports of the ICCS Member Associations and Associates Members*, [click here](#).