# **2013 COMMUNITY FORUM ON HOMELESSNESS**



## Looking Back, Looking Forward!

Linking Research and Knowledge with Action and Policy Honouring National Housing Day

Tuesday, November 26, 2013, 9:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m. University of Ottawa, Tabaret Hall

#### **PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS**

9:00 a.m. Welcome and Opening

## **Morning Keynote**

## **Michael Shapcott**

Director, Housing and Social Innovation, Wellesley Institute

A decade of changes in Ontario and beyond... and a look at what the future might hold

#### 11:00 a.m. Plenary Panel Session

## **Homelessness in Ottawa:**

Service and research leaders reflect on 10 years (Diane Morrison, Bruce Ransom, Tim Aubry, Wendy Muckle, Sue Pihlainen)

#### 12:30-2:00 Table Talks and Lunch

Hosts will give a brief, informal presentation, then answer questions or lead a discussion. Topics include new programs, recent research findings, an agency update, a new partnership, etc.

## 2:00-2:45 Afternoon Keynote

#### **Jino Distasio**

Director, Institute of Urban Studies; Associate Vice-President, Research and Innovation, University of Winnipeg

A toolkit for working with landlords in a Housing First program

#### 2:45-3:45 **Research Round-up**

Learn about recent research projects: 4 minutes, 4 PowerPoint slides each