

Dear CUPFA member,

On Friday September 18th *The Shuffle* is happening! The CUPFA Executive would like to invite you to join us in this year's *Shuffle*, the annual walk from the downtown campus to Loyola that culminates with a picnic on the grounds. This worthy event, in its 26th year, raises money for student scholarships and bursaries. As in past years we will have a table at the kickoff, where we will give away hats and buttons.

This year, we will sponsor any participating part-time faculty member with a \$20 donation to the scholarship/bursary fund. The organisers of the event will let us know how many members have signed up, and we will provide them with the funds. Also, we have our own CUPFA team this year. Once you have registered on-line, you can choose to join our team.

In order to sign up, you must register at [the *Shuffle's* website \(click here\)](#). Typically, participants collect pledges for their walk, or you can make a pledge yourself. With a minimum pledge total of \$40, you are entitled to a *Shuffle* kit. You can also sponsor an individual shuffler, or our CUPFA team by going to the website.

The kickoff at the Sir George Williams Campus will be from 10 a.m.-1 p.m at one of the following two locations:

- Sunny day location: Grey Nuns Building, entrance on René-Lévesque Blvd, between Guy & St. Mathieu
- Rainy day location: Atrium of the Engineering, Computer Science and Visual Arts Integrated Complex (EV), 1515 Ste. Catherine St. W.

The walking (running, light jogging, shuffling, crawling –your choice) will commence at 1:30pm.

For part-time faculty this is a good opportunity to help students succeed AND to show a strong presence, one of the biggest on the Concordia calendar. I sincerely hope to see a wave of red CUPFA hats walking down Sherbrooke street!

Regards,

Scott Chlopan
Executive Secretary, CUPFA