

# Research in the Summer Seminars

Midwifery Classroom  
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## 1. How Research Informs Policies Related to Midwifery

Tuesday, July 23, 2019 – 1pm

Cristina Mattison is a post-doctoral fellow working with Liz Darling at the McMaster Midwifery Research Centre and an Assistant Professor (Part-Time) with the Department of Health Research Methods, Evidence, and Impact. Cristina's fellowship focuses on midwifery-related health policy at the provincial/territorial level, as well as the development of midwifery programme evaluation frameworks in the global health context. Cristina is an expert on health systems and policy, with a focus on midwifery, and completed her PhD on the topic of "Understanding the Roles of Midwives in Political and Health Systems". The seminar will describe how research can inform provincial/territorial, national, and international policies that regulate and guide midwifery scope of practice.

**MEP students are welcome to attend research seminars held by the newly established McMaster Midwifery Research Centre (MMRC).**

**These are informal learning sessions intended to expose staff and students to research topics and tools to help develop careers in research and research skills in practice.**

## 2. How To Do Qualitative Research Using NVivo Software



Tuesday, August 13 – 1pm

Lindsay Grenier is a research assistant with the McMaster Midwifery Research Centre and a McMaster master's graduate in medical anthropology. She works on mixed methods analysis, especially qualitative methods, to evaluate the newly established Markham-Stouffville Hospital Alongside Midwifery Unit, the Be Healthy in Pregnancy (BHIP) study, and the barriers and facilitators to midwifery care access experienced by people of low socioeconomic status in the Hamilton area. Lindsay will teach staff and students on how to code focus group and interview transcripts using grounded theory and other approaches by using NVivo software live during the seminar, the standard in qualitative research.

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