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Prof. Cyril Greenland, School of Social Work, McMaster University, 1280 Main Street West, Hamilton, Ontario L8S 4M2, reports that he and Dr. J. D. Griffin are working on a documentary history of psychiatry in Canada. He would be pleased to correspond with others working in this field.

EDUCATION

GRADUATE STUDIES (Ph.D. and M.Sc.) AT THE INSTITUT D'HISTOIRE ET DE
SOCIOPOLITIQUE OF THE UNIVERSITE DE MONTREAL

The Institut d'histoire et de sociopolitique des sciences of the Universite de Montréal has inaugurated a program leading to the Ph.D. degree in the history and sociopolitics of science. The course of study is two years for students who have already completed the M.Sc. or M.A. degree, or its equivalent, in a related field. A dozen students from Canada and several foreign students are now pioneering the innovative program that integrates the history, sociology, and politics of science. Doctoral seminars are interdisciplinary and are taught collectively by experts in several fields. The program is designed to train graduates for careers in government and industry, as well as in more traditional academic settings. Teaching in the program are the six permanent faculty members of the Institut: Camille Limoges, Brigitte Schroeder-Gudehus, Geneviève Benezra Jean-Claude Guéron, Lewis Pyenson, and Yakov Rabkin. The program is enhanced by specialists who come to lecture at the Institut for periods up to six weeks. A permanent program of faculty and student exchanges exists between the Institut and the History of Science Department of The Johns Hopkins University.

The two-year M.Sc. program of the Institut is designed to prepare students without previous graduate training for the doctoral program. The M.Sc. program consists of courses, seminars, a comprehensive examination in six parts, and a thesis. Recently completed M.Sc. theses provide an indication of the latitude and focus of scholarship at the Institut: