

## The Department of Economics Visiting Speaker Series

## "Perspectives on Well-being in Newfoundland and Labrador."

## Dr. Andrew Sharpe

(Centre for the Study of Living Standards (CSLS))

Friday, May 3, 2:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Chemistry Building 3033



Dr. Sharpe is currently the Executive Director of the Ottawa-based Centre for the Study of Living Standards (CSLS). He has held a variety of earlier positions, including Head of Research at the Canadian Labour Market and Productivity Centre and Chief, Business Sector Analysis at the Department of Finance. He holds a M.A. and Ph.D in economics from McGill University, a maitrise in urban geography from the Université de Paris-Sorbonne, and a B.A. from the University of Toronto. He is also founder and Editor of the *International Productivity Monitor*, co-developer (with Lars Osberg) of the composite Index of Economic Well-being, and a consultant to the World Bank on labor market issues.

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