Brescia University College (http://www.brescia.uwo.ca/), a Catholic university college affiliated with Western University, is Canada’s only women’s university providing instruction to over 1,600 students. Brescia is currently seeking an experienced and dynamic individual to fill a position as:

**Undergraduate Research Assistant – French Literature**

5 hours/week, Temporary contract (May 18, 2020 – August 28, 2020)  
Compensation: $16/per hour (+ 4% vacation pay)

Two Research Assistants (RA) positions are available at the Undergraduate level to support the research project called “‘Notre sexe est fort vindicatif’: la parole féminine dans la tragédie françaises pré-académique”. Through this project, the Principal Investigator seeks examine tragic heroines and their malicious behaviour as represented in early seventeenth-century French tragedies (1610-1640). RAs will familiarise themselves with the project’s corpus and collaborate in both the analyses of works and the presentation of findings. The project is funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC).

Responsibilities:
- Conducting literature reviews
- Completing background research
- Summarizing scholarly articles
- Transcribing original plays in Word
- Creating a project website to share findings

Qualifications:
- Current enrolment in a French module at Brescia University College (the ideal candidates will be enrolled in an Honours Specialization, but strong students enrolled in a Major in French Studies or French for Teaching will be considered)
- Excellent French and English communication skills
- Interest in Early Modern Literature and Culture
- Interest in potentially pursuing a Graduate degree (in French Studies or another Humanities field)

Please submit a letter of interest and resume (in French) by 4:00 p.m. on May 8, 2020, to:

Dr Heather Kirk, Principal Investigator  
Email: hkirk4@uwo.ca

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