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Name	Type of Research	Telephone number	Address	Email	Specialization
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Allan, Robert	Genealogy		76 Pegg Rd RR1 Lombardy, ON K0G 1L0	lanark_links@xplornet.com	Eastern Ontario and Danish research
Allen, Richie	Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art; Cartographic and architectural records	613-979-2409	141 Willow Street Ottawa ON K1R 6W2	<a href="mailto:richie.s.allen@web.net">richie.s.allen@web.net</a>	Paper and online governmental records and manuscript holdings of Library and Archives Canada, especially precolonial, First Nations, land, fur trade, early government surveying and NWMP reports/photos, early military photos, and family histories. Specialization in archival references regarding First Nations soldiers in WW1.
Allmand, Patrick	Textual documents; Photography and documentary art; Cartographic and architectural records			archresearch@outlook.com	
Anderson, Lesley	Genealogy	613-447-6477		anderley@sympatico.ca	British Isles, , Ontario, Quebec

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Anderson, Peter	Textual Documents	613-290-6568	112 Spadina Ave Apartment 13 Ottawa, ON K1Y 2C1	@historyapplied.com www.historyapplied.com	Social and cultural history, history of education, Ottawa history, Ontario history, and agricultural history
Bernard, Susan Nightwood Pictures	Photography and Documentary Art		Ottawa, ON	susanbernard63@gmail.com	
Booth, Brian D.	Genealogy	613-823-2945	42 Westwinds Place Nepean, ON K2G 6K9	briandbooth@gmail.com	Passenger lists
Campbell, Douglas B.	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-789-5413 Fax: 613-680-4401	201-110 Nelson Street, Ottawa, ON K1N 9P2		Industrial and technological history
CDCI Research	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	Telephone: 613-234-1849 Fax: 613-234-0123	331 Cooper Street, Suite 500 Ottawa, ON K2P 0G5	info@cdci.ca	Aboriginal, social, cultural, political, property and military history
Cobblestone Heritage Consultants Contact: Sean Stoyles	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-203-4526	2035 Othello Avenue, Suite 815 Ottawa, ON K1G 3P6	spstoyles@hotmail.com	
Collins, Nancy Lynn	Genealogy	613-259-5544	R.R. 2 Lanark, ON K0G 1K0	sunlight@storm.ca	British Isles, , First Nations
Cook, Christopher	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art		Post Office Box 143, Station B Ottawa ON K1P 6C3	clients7964@gmail.com	Government documentation, including military records, photographic images, audio-visual and sound recordings, newspaper and periodical research
Cooke, Owen Arnold	Textual Documents	613-489-3962	Box 175 North Gower, ON K0A 2T0	oacooke@gmail.com	Military/Air history, 1867 to present
Costello, Martha Patterson	Genealogy		5337 Kilby Lane, Manotick, ON K4M 1B4	marpat@costello.ca	Gaspé Peninsula research, Québec
Darch, Bradley	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-808-9892	2362 Ogilvie Road, Gloucester, ON K1J 7N6	braddarch@yahoo.ca	Aboriginal history & policy, Canadian cinema, television, music, art & photography, Ottawa Valley & rural Ontario history
Dixon, Don	Genealogy	506-459-1512	129 Burpee Street, Fredericton, NB E3A 1M6	ddixon@nbnet.nb.ca	Family History Land and Estate-Heir Research Loyalist Research

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Dudley, Peter	Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art	613-828-7342	401-415 Greenview Avenue, Ottawa, ON K2B 8G5	peterdudley@sympatico.ca	
Fenton, Lois	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-619-7426	2- 1474 Coldrey Avenue, Ottawa, ON K1Z 7P9	Lois.Fenton@gmail.com	Aboriginal, social, cultural, medical, legal, military, and family history
Fletcher, Alana	Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art		Kanata, ON	alana.fletcher@queensu.ca	Canadian literary history, social and cultural history, Aboriginal and pre-Confederation history, personal papers, newspaper and periodical research
Gervais, Mr. Dale A.	Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art		Ottawa, ON	webmaster@canadianfilm.com	Experience and knowledge in locating imagery and motion picture film content of Canada's motion picture film industry, with a focus on early Canadian film history such as, the Canadian Government Motion Picture Bureau (CGMPB), Associated Screens News (ASN), and the Canadian Army Film Unit (CFPU). Experience with film and video production, and understands the urgency of deadlines that are necessary in the Audio and Video production industry. For further reference I have two websites devoted to the men and women that have served Canada, both in front and behind the camera; <a href="http://www.canadianfilm.com">www.canadianfilm.com</a> and <a href="https://canadianfilmphotounit.ca/">https://canadianfilmphotounit.ca/</a>
Goldring, Philip	Textual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-729-5607	618 Fraser Avenue, Ottawa ON K2A 2R5	philipgoldring@sympatico.ca	Arctic, pre-Confederation West, Aboriginal, Social, Environmental, Political
Graziadei, Marc	Genealogy	343-984-4590	2080 Russell Road, Unit 221 Ottawa, ON K1G 3W6	mgraziadei0312@rogers.com	European and Canadian Genealogy
Hadaya, Hagit	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-232-5349	305 Metcalfe Street, Suite 501, Ottawa, ON K2P 1S1	hadayah@outlook.com	Heritage consultant with many years' experience in wide-ranging archival research - textual and visual, with a specialization in architecture.

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Hall, Marg	Genealogy	613-228-9311 or 705-636-5058	1505 Baseline Road, Unit 908, Ottawa, ON K2C 3L4	33marg.hall@gmail.com	Loyalist research
Hanwell, Vivian	Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art	819-459-2124	849 Willow Avenue, Orleans, ON K1E 1C2	vivian.hanwell@sympatico.ca	Film, video, photography and art research
Hearnden, Brian	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-526-5759	2914 Ahearn Avenue, Ottawa, ON K2B 6Z9	hearndenb@yahoo.com	Military and political history, theatre, film, TV, maps
Heide, Rachel Lea	Textual Documents			rl_heide@yahoo.ca	Royal Canadian Air Force, Defence Department, Transport Department, Indian Land Patents, Prime Ministers/Politicians' personal papers, and newspapers
Hunchuck, Suzanne Holyck	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-627-6050	5-271 First Avenue, Ottawa, ON K1S 2G7	hunchuck.s.holyck@gmail.com	Military History
Ingram, Darcy	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records			darcygram.research@gmail.com www.darcygram.com	Government documents, social and environmental policy; law; political history; non-governmental organizations (NGOs); social movements; environmental issues; conservation and parks; biography; arts and culture
Joan Holmes & Associates Inc.	Textual Documents; Cartographic and Architectural Records	Telephone: 613- 722-7675 Fax: 613- 722-0787	7 Hinton Avenue North, Suite 200, Ottawa, ON K1Y 4P1	research@joanholmes.ca ; www.joanholmes.ca	Performing research and analysis for litigation and claims projects concerning variety of research areas including Aboriginal, Northern, social, political, environmental, legal, genealogical and military history as well as health issues.
Joyce, Ken	Textual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-596-4769	30 McEwen Avenue, Apt. 409, Ottawa, ON K2B 5K8	k-sjoyce@rogers.com	Military and General History Research
Kay, Arnold	Genealogy; Textual Documents	613-837-3384	1866 Robinwood Place, Gloucester, ON K1C 6L7	cef.research@rogers.com	Military and RCMP research

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Kinsey, Erin	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records			erin_kinsey@yahoo.com	Government documents, environmental policy, environmental issues, environmental law, natural disasters, history of Canadian Science and Technology, mapping, RCMP and Canadian Intelligence Services.
Know History Contact: Ryan Shackleton	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art	613-700-8677	307A Gilmour Street, Ottawa, Ontario, K2P 0P7	yan@knowhistory.ca www.knowhistory.c	Aboriginal, Arctic, Diplomatic, Government, Military, RCMP
Kropf, Joel	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art	613-297-9028	130 Woodridge Crescent, Apt. 6, Nepean, ON K2B 7S9	joelkropf@yahoo.ca	Criminal-justice history; political, diplomatic, cultural, and religious history; Arctic history; RCMP; Indigenous history; Colonial Office records; archival and newspaper research
Krug, John	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-220-2215	Research Ottawa www.ResearchOttawa.ca www.TheCityofOttawa.com www.PhotographersofOntario.ca	Research@ResearchOttawa.ca	Pre-Confederation, Newspapers, Co records, Ottawa history, Military, Government documents
Kruzich, Noreen	Genealogy; Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art	613-406-3293	2335 Calabogie Road, Burnstown, ON K0J 1G0	nkruzich@gmail.com www.noreenkruzic	First Nation/Metis Genealogy and History research/rights clearances: documents, photos, film, audio
Lacroix, Lisette	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-234-7375	570 Laurier Ave West, Apt. 505, Ottawa, ON K1R 1C8	lisettezlacroix@gmail.com	Multidisciplinary research (English and French); historical research including genealogy; World War 1 (soldiers, diaries, maps ); life histories (genealogy, articles, personal papers); fully bilingual
Link Advantage Research Corp Contact: David Senger	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	Telephone: 1-613-924-7887 Fax: 613-924-7878	9073 C.R. 29 Addison (Ottawa area), ON K0E 1A0	info@linkarc.ca	General history across , Aboriginal claims, litigation, RCMP, cartographic material, arts

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Lowell, Marc S. and David Lafranchise	Textual Documents	343-998-2021	208-215 Wurtemberg Street, Ottawa, ON K1N 8T1	o.ca househistory@tricolour.ca	http://hc Ottawa house / property research
Mackenzie, Celeste	Photography, and audio-visual	613-262-3361	206 Harcourt Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario K2B 5C3	celestemackenzie@yahoo.ca	All subjects, rights clearances, material in English, French and Spanish
McConnell, David	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-723-2504	36 Farlane Blvd Nepean, ON K2E 5H4	mccpar@hotmail.com	Canadian history generally, military history, Ontario history (1793-1914), expert on British smooth-bore artillery; experienced researcher for 40 years
McLeod, Ken	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-826-3119	Box 605, Osgoode, ON	mcwreck@gmail.com	Ship research, Naval research
More, Sarah E.	Genealogy	613-461-0102	P.O. Box 151 Almonte, ON K0A 1A0	recce100@gmail.com	War of 1812, Loyalists, American Revolution (1775-1783) in Ontario, Quebec and New York State
Morrison, Natascha	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-203-1131	487 McLeod Street, Ottawa, ON K1R 5P7	taschamorrison@gmail.com	Canadian social, cultural and military history; aboriginal history; history of Yukon and Northeastern British Columbia
Native Family Trees Research Centre	Genealogy; Textual documents		PO Box 674 L'original ON K0B 1K0	info@nativefamilytrees.com	Specialist in deciphering, transcription and translation of old French script records, church and other records, fur trade voyageur contracts, Métis scrip and other microfilmed records.
Newfield, Gareth	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	613-857-0665	406-440 Gloucester Street, Ottawa, ON K1R 7T8	ganewfield@gmail.com	Canadian military history 1750-1950; personnel records, art & iconography, maps, property & architectural records, military equipment & uniforms; War of 1812, First World War & Second World War.
Noble, Dr. Steven	Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art	613-824-4408	P.O. Box 339, 16 Cedar Street, Maitland, ON K0E 1P0	steve.noble@gmail.com	Governmental, legal and institutional documents, photographs, biographical research

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Public History	Genealogy; Textual Documents; Audio-Visual Documents; Photography and Documentary Art; Cartographic and Architectural Records	Telephone: 613-236-0713 Fax: 613-236-3961	200-270 Albert St. Ottawa, ON K1P 5G8	inson@publichistory.ca www.publichisto	Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal issues including: First Nations land claims; Indian Status, membership, and Metis ancestry; institutional abuse; natural resources and land use; financial management; social and government policy; health-product liability; class actions; contract disputes; taxation; archival and government records management systems; Access to Information Requests; Personal Information Requests; and additional subject matter in litigation and other contexts. Our clients include government departments and agencies, law firms, and individuals.
Robertson, Beth	Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art	613-728-6464	208 General Avenue, Ottawa ON	bethrobertson33@gmail.com	Canadian cultural and social history, the history of women and gender, photography, visual culture, technology, science, communications, medicine and religion.
Schryer, Michel (Mike)	Genealogy	613-825-6204	41 Pheasant Run Ottawa, ON K2J 2R3	mschryer55@gmail.com	On site research at LAC and French Canadian genealogy
Soloway, Ken	Genealogy	Telephone: 613-729-9126 Fax: 613-729-9853	4-1381 Kingston Ave Ottawa, ON K1Z 8L1	kpsolo@bell.net	Locating heirs and owners of unclaimed property
St.Croix, Brad	Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art; Cartographic and architectural records	519-317-2326		<a href="mailto:bstcroix03@gmail.com">bstcroix03@gmail.com</a>	Cultural, military, and political history
Stafford-Wilson, Arlene	Genealogy	613-695-7888		<a href="mailto:arlenestaffordwilson@gmail.com">arlenestaffordwilson@gmail.com</a>	Genealogy of Lanark County, Ontario
Stockdale, Dr. Peter Global Bridge	Textual Documents	613-852-4527 (cell)	147 Primrose Avenue Ottawa, ON K1R 4M6	drpeterstockdale@gmail.com	Legal matters, foreign affairs/government document research
Stone, Helen	Textual Documents	Telephone: 613-599-6509 Fax: 613-599-6509	5 Dorey Court, Kanata, ON K2L 2V5	helen.stone@rogers.com	

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Tittley, Conrad	Genealogy	819-434-6888 (home)	426, rue Dubeau Gatineau, QC J8P 6G9	conrad.tittley@gmail.com (home)	Research in English or French language documents, in all fields of genealogy, with a special focus on Ontario, Quebec and French-Canadian genealogy
Trim, Henry	Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art; Cartographic and architectural records	613-324-7022	#17 - 10 Breezehill Ave. N, Ottawa, ON K1Y 4W6	henry.trim@alumni.ubc.ca	Histoire politique et sociale, histoire économique, histoire environnementale, histoire des sciences et de la technologie, Contre-culture en Amérique du Nord
Vallerand, Josée	Genealogy; Textual documents; Audiovisual materials; Photography and documentary art; Cartographic and architectural records	514-374-3227	Montréal, QC	josee.vallerand@gmail.com	Professional archivist with more than 23 years of experience in archival management, research for the public, and exhibition creation.