Tier I Canada Research Chair in Metallogeny

The *Department of Earth Sciences* (DES) and *Mineral Exploration Research Centre* (MERC) at Laurentian University invite applications for a *Tier I Canada Research Chair in Metallogeny* that integrates ore system research with broad scale tectonic processes. The Chair will enhance research and teaching in the field of ore deposit geology and tectonics, and advance the position of Laurentian University as a centre of excellence in Mineral Deposits and Precambrian Geology. The Chair will be a scientific leader of METAL EARTH, a proposed Canadian \$55 million R&D program led by Laurentian University. With funding from the Canada First Research Excellence Fund, METAL EARTH will transform our understanding of metal endowment and the genesis of base and precious metal deposits during Earth's Evolution (merc.laurentian.ca).

Tier I CRC Chairs are funded by the Canadian government on a renewable 7-year term and the position will be filled at the tenure-track or tenured, Associate to Full Professor level (see <u>www.chairs-chaires.gc.ca</u>). The successful applicant must submit a full proposal for funding to the CRC program, with the support of Laurentian. We seek an innovative individual with an outstanding record of research and publication, who7(tes)-38