



Ian Pellat appointed Associate Director of Finance and Budget

I am pleased to welcome Ian Pellat as Associate Director of Finance and Budget for the *Centre intégré universitaire de santé et de services sociaux (CIUSSS) du Centre-Ouest-de-l'Île-de-Montréal*.

In this new role, Mr. Pellat will oversee budget management, financial integrity and accountability across our CIUSSS, and will consult with, support and provide his expertise to managers in their budget planning. Overall, Mr. Pellat will work to ensure the integrity of financial information, and enhance the efficiency and quality of customer service.

Most recently, Mr. Pellat worked at St. Mary's Hospital Center. Having started as a middle manager in 1991, he was promoted to Chief Accountant in 1995, and was named interim Director of Finance in 2014. During his time at St. Mary's, Mr. Pellat played an instrumental role in a number of projects, including implementing two financial and materials management information systems; developing a new model for budget reporting, which became the standard and provided managers with access to all of the financial information necessary to oversee their budgets; and forming a partnership with another healthcare institution so St. Mary's could process their payroll, which increased efficiency for both institutions.

Mr. Pellat holds a Bachelor's Degree in Science, with a major in Cell and Molecular Biology, and a graduate diploma in Hospital Administration. He is also a member of the *Ordre des comptables professionnels agréés du Québec*.

"In this new position, my goal is primarily to support the Director of Finance in the overall financial management of the CIUSSS," says Mr. Pellat. "Law 10 presents us with a number of budgetary challenges, but the ultimate objective is to maintain or improve performance in our CIUSSS. In the end, the work we all do in our own areas serves to support the efforts to provide the highest possible quality of care for our patients."

Together with Mr. Pellat, the rest of the management team, and in partnership with all of the institutions in our network, I am eager to embark on this new era in health care. I am confident that he and Carrie Bogante, our new Director of Finance, will bring a fresh vision to our network and reinvigorate our financial practices.

See the full list of appointments: <http://jgh.ca/en/CIUSSS-Administration>

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