

Reference Works

5. Beattie, Christopher. Minority Men in a Majority Setting: Middle Level Francophones in the Canadian Public Service. Toronto, McClelland & Stewart Ltd. (Carleton Library) 1975, pp. 224.

A study of the role of ethnic background and language as they affect the careers of Francophones (minority) and Anglophones (majority) employed in a large bureaucracy, The Canadian Public Service. This study is of singular interest to those interested in the sociology of work, careers, sociology of organizations and ethnic and language relations in Canada.

6. Breton, Raymond, in collaboration with McDonald, John C. and Richer, Stephen. Social and Academic Factors in Career Decisions of Canadian Youth. Ottawa, Department of Manpower and Immigration, 1972, 611 pp.

The roles of (i) social origins, (ii) present educational experience; and (iii) attitudes and preparedness with respect to the future are examined as major interrelated factors in the career decisions of Canadian youth. This mammoth study surveyed a sample of 145, 817 secondary school students (13.3% of all Canadian secondary school students), 7,884 of their teachers, located in 373 publicly operated secondary schools in the 10 provinces of Canada. It is a major contribution to the sociology of education and the sociology of occupations and work whose value extends far beyond the immediate setting of Canadian society wherein it is based.

7. Boissevain, Jeremy. The Italians of Montreal: Social Adjustments in a Plural Society. Royal Commission on Bilingualism and Biculturalism Study 7. Ottawa, Information Canada, 1970.

This is a descriptive analysis of the adaptations made by the Italian immigrants of Montreal to the Francophone and Anglophone communities within which they work, are educated and, in general, have their being. The quadri-lingual (English, French, Italian and Italian provincial dialect) aspect of their life is examined in the context of their everyday interaction with the larger society.

8. Clement, Wallace. The Canadian Corporate Elite: A Study of Economic Power. Toronto, McClelland & Stewart (Carleton Library) 1975, 479 pp.

A study of the corporate elite in Canada and the manner in which they wield economic power. The intricate network of relationships of their economic and social activities are examined and analyzed. In large measure it updates the earlier findings of Professor Porter in his famous study The Vertical Mosaic.

9. Clark, S.D. The Suburban Society. Toronto, University of Toronto Press, 1966. 233 pp.

A study of a number of new suburban areas around Toronto, Ontario. It is a study of social change and Professor Clark attempts to refute and modify the standard notions about people and life in the suburbs generalized by