



Catherine Sidorenko

Catherine came to John Abbott in 1974 on a contract as a researcher with teaching experience at the high school level. Despite several part time teaching contracts at the college and university level, she chose a career at John Abbott College.

JOHN ABBOTT

- Senior Academic Advisor;
- Dean of Social Science and Related Technologies;
- Member, John Abbott College Board of Governors;
- Academic Coach, JAC Women's Soccer Team;
- Member, Program Evaluation Coordination Committee;
- Chair, Academic Renovation Committee;
- Assisted the *Commission d'évaluation de l'enseignement collégial*, CEEC, with program and institutional policy evaluations;
- Participated in the implementation of new programs: Pathways, Pathways to Police Technology, 2-year Police Technology Program and the Double DEC;
- Developed marketing and recruitment strategies for the General Education and Social Science programs.

EXTERNAL

- Conference presenter at the National Academic Advising Association conferences;
- Québec representative with the Association of Canadian Community Colleges.

Her high degree of professionalism was recognized throughout her career, and well reflected in her efforts to focus on the role of the College to the benefit of the students. An open door policy allowed Catherine to be available to students, faculty and staff to discuss issues in a respectful and caring manner.

Catherine left John Abbott College in 2009.