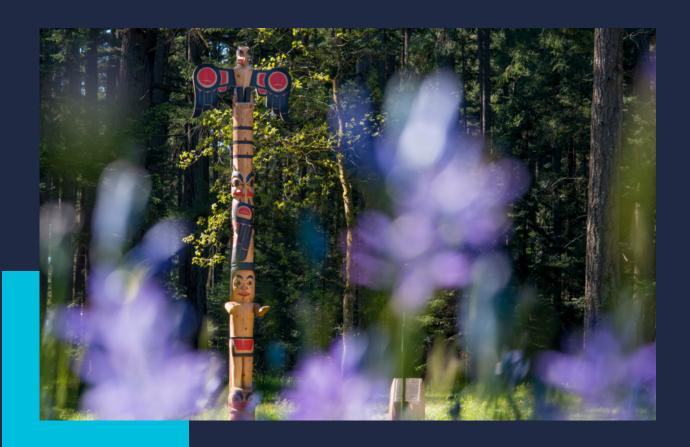


CONVOCATION

JUNE 6 **2025**





Hay'sxw'qa si'em nakwilia! Thank you, my honourable people!

Royal Roads University is located on the traditional Lands of the Lekwungen-speaking Peoples, the Songhees and Esquimalt Nations. With gratitude, we live, work and learn here where the past, present and future of Indigenous and non-Indigenous students, faculty and staff come together.



Congratulations from the President

Hello graduates,

With the gardens in full bloom at Royal Roads University, this is a beautiful time of year to celebrate convocation.

Thank you for choosing Royal Roads and for taking the time away from family and friends during your learning journey. You've invested in your most important resource yourself—and I hope your experience here gave you a deeper and more nuanced understanding of the challenges we all face in this ever-changing world and, more importantly, the courage to tackle them.

Please know that you will not be alone on your journey. As graduates, you are now part of a global alumni community of more than 39,000 RRU changemakers. I encourage you to stay connected with them and the campus community. As always, you are welcome to return to this campus and this community whenever you are in need of inspiration.

Sincerely,

Dr. Philip Steenkamp President and Vice-Chancellor

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Congratulations from the Chancellor

To the graduates, your families and supporters:

Welcome back to Royal Roads University.

Your time here has been filled with unforgettable moments of connection, introspection and personal growth. And, as Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors, it has been an immense honour to be part of that.

While today may feel bittersweet as you depart Royal Roads, I can tell you with confidence that the journey is just beginning. I will eagerly watch for your contributions to the most pressing issues of our time: our climate, geopolitical instability, misinformation and economic uncertainty, to name a few. Finding solutions to wicked problems requires creativity, courage and leadership—qualities I see in abundance in our graduates.

As you prepare to close this chapter, be reminded that you're always connected to this amazing place! I hope you will carry the spirit of Royal Roads with you, and let it guide you in making a positive impact wherever you go.

Celebrate today with pride, changemakers.

Congratulations!

Sincerely,

Nelson Chan

Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors

Our Strategic Vision

Inspiring people with the courage to transform the world.

Our strategic vision celebrates our past and looks forward 25 years, with goals and actions crafted to ensure that we continue to deliver life-changing education—creating leaders who change the world.

Our Goals

Any age, any stage, any place—We're an engine of lifelong learning for students, no matter where they are in the world, their careers and their lives.

Explore, share, advance—We support interdisciplinary research that pushes boundaries, removes barriers and finds solutions to today's critical issues.

Invite in, venture out—We engage communities locally, nationally and globally, leaning into partnerships,

Vibrant and sustainable—We champion a sustainable campus, with leading-edge infrastructure and online platforms, as a top workplace in Canada that takes action on reconciliation, diversity, equity and inclusion.

Our Values

CARING

A diverse and supportive community for our students, faculty and staff.

CREATIVE

Innovating in all we do, we continually seek new and better ways to do things.

COURAGEOUS

Bold in our actions, we welcome challenges and take thoughtful risks.



O Canada

O Canada!

Our home on native land!

True patriot love in all of us command.

With glowing hearts we see thee rise, The True North strong and free!

From far and wide, O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

God keep our land glorious and free!

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.

Convocation History

Universities are rich in tradition and ceremony, and nowhere is this more apparent than at convocation, when the university community comes together to celebrate new graduates.

Many early European universities originated within the church in the medieval period, and this is reflected in convocation's strong ecclesiastical connection. The chancellor presides over convocation and takes their title from the person who was head of the theological faculty of these early universities. As head of the chancery, the chancellor was responsible for examining students prior to their receiving degrees. Over the ages, the role of the chancellor has changed. Today, the Royal Roads chancellor, who also chairs the Board

of Governors, is the person empowered by the provincial government to confer degrees and oversee the direction of the university.

Universities have undergone dramatic changes over the past 900 years. Today, as universities break down barriers of background, income and geography to welcome lifelong students to education, the convocation ceremony reminds us of the strong traditions that reach back to the very different world of medieval learning. In the 21st century, lifelong students require universities to keep pace with changing times. Royal Roads University is proud to be a leader in this new generation.







The Coat of Arms of Royal Roads University



In 1997, we were honoured to be granted a coat of arms by the Governor General of Canada. The coat of arms presented to Royal Roads University incorporates symbols of the traditions that link the university to our past and to the province of British Columbia: the sun from the province's coat of arms, the three maple leaves from the crest of the former Royal Roads Military College, and the book of learning as a reference to the voyage of academic discovery. The shield is supported by a cougar, indigenous to Vancouver Island, and Synqua, a dragon representing the Coast Salish creature of thunder, strength and power. The crown and the anchor held by the supports represent Royal Roads, the navy's anchorage off the Esquimalt Lagoon.

The motto of the university—Living Our Learning—captures the spirit and enthusiasm of our institution. Translated into Coast Salish, the motto recognizes the proud traditions of those who have come before us.

The Maces

The convocation ceremony typically begins with the arrival of two maces. The Royal Roads Military College mace is displayed in tribute to the history of the campus, and the Royal Roads University mace represents the history, academic direction and vision of the university.

The university's mace was a gift from its first graduating class, in 1997. The silver dome in the head of the mace represents the sun and the relationship of east and west. The stylized turret surrounding the dome indicates the historical significance of Hatley Castle and the former Royal Roads Military College. Three maple leaves crafted in oyster shell inset in alternating steps of the turret represent the Indigenous, French and English peoples of Canada.

Six crafted flutes surround the head of the mace. The silver band delineating the head and shaft is engraved with stylized images of water and balances the mace while effectively isolating the head from the main shaft, similar to the way Vancouver Island is isolated from the mainland.



President's Regalia

Enduring Commitment, New Traditions

Regalia traditions celebrating academic rites of passage date to the Middle Ages. The commitment to excellence and achievement endures as we accept the scholarship from mentors and teachers who came before us.

We also embrace a future where equity, diversity and inclusion are integral to all the ways in which we work, live and study.

Royal Roads University's regalia signals that future. Located on the traditional Lands of the Lekwungenspeaking Peoples, the Songhees and Esquimalt Nations who have lived here for thousands of years, the university acknowledges the learning we undertake and still have ahead to co-create an inclusive world.

Master carver and Songhees Nation Elder Dr. Clarence "Butch" Dick (YUX'WEY'LUPTON) generously created the symbols that grace our regalia. The Staqeya (Wolf) represents the Coast Salish People. It symbolizes the strength of family and kinship and embodies the power of teamwork and community effort. The Sneg'wa (Blue Heron) represents the ability to progress and evolve on a path of self-determination. Its elegance and innate wisdom allow it to manoeuvre through life with grace.



About the Artist

Dr. Clarence "Butch" Dick (YUX'WEY'LUPTON) is among Victoria's most influential Coast Salish artists. His carvings and public art can be seen around the region, from the Ogden Point breakwater mural to the Signs of Lekwungen interpretive walkway along Victoria's Inner Harbour, to the mural at Royal Roads University on Esquimalt Lagoon. Butch Dick has been an educator and a mentor to many, championing Indigenous youth empowerment and educational equity through more than two decades as a teacher with School District 61, four years as assistant professor in Indigenous teaching and learning at the University of Victoria and more than six years as education liaison for the Songhees Nation. He was instrumental in the launch of the Songhees Recreation and Wellness Centre in 2013 and the driving force behind the Indigenous Youth Showcase, which provides mentorship for youth to develop their own artistic vision, focus and career paths. He was inducted into the Royal Canadian Academy of Arts in 2013 and received the Victoria Leadership Lifetime Achievement Award in 2015. Butch Dick is a member of the Heron People Circle, trusted Old Ones/Elders and Traditional Knowledge Keepers, and received an honorary doctorate from Royal Roads University in 2021.

Medals

An academic medal signifies academic achievement or honours exceptional qualities like leadership, personal growth, commitment to sustainability, and positive and proactive work in equity, diversity and inclusion. These are the kinds of qualities that support Royal Roads University's vision to inspire people with courage to transform the world.

Royal Roads University awards two medals in each of our degree programs—the Founders' Award for exemplifying personal qualities relevant to the program and the Chancellor's Award for highest academic achievement. Medals are awarded at the convocation ceremony that the majority of students from a program are expected to attend, whether spring or fall.

The medals are a high-quality, heavy silver medallion embossed with the university crest on one side and the university logo on the other, ringed with the name of the award. The ribbons align with the university's colour theme and are selected to help recipients stand out among their peers when dressed in regalia.

In addition to these medals, Royal Roads has the pleasure of awarding the Governor General's Gold Medal for highest academic achievement in graduate studies, the Governor General's Silver Medal for highest academic achievement in undergraduate studies and the Lieutenant Governor's Medal for Inclusion, Democracy and Reconciliation.

Chancellor's Award

This medal recognizes one graduating student in each program per year for having achieved the highest academic performance.

Founders' Award

This medal recognizes one graduating student or small collective in each cohort who exemplifies personal qualities relevant to the program's field of study.







June 6, 2025, 9:00 AM

Introductory Remarks

Roberta Mason, PhD, Vice-Provost, Student and Academic Services

Please rise as the procession enters and remain standing until after the national anthem.

Spring Graduates

Academic Processional

The Academic Platform Party

Nelson Chan, Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor The Honourable Janet Austin, honorary degree recipient Members of the Board of Governors

Members of the administration:

Veronica Thompson, PhD, Vice-President, Academic and Provost

Alex Kortum, Vice-President, Finance and Operations Susan Gee, Vice-President, External Relations Roberta Mason, PhD, Vice-Provost, Student and Academic Services

Jo Axe, PhD, Dean, Graduate Studies and Research Robert Mittelman, PhD, Dean, Interdisciplinary Studies Lynn Gregg, Registrar

Russell Johnston, Director, Indigenous Education Members of the faculty and guests

Traditional Welcome

National Anthem

President's Address

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor's Welcome

Nelson Chan, Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors

Conferring of Honorary Degree

Catherine Holt, presenter

The Honourable Janet Austin, honorary degree recipient

Convocation Address

The Honourable Janet Austin, honorary degree recipient

Presentation of the Graduates

Closing Remarks

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Academic Recessional

June 6, 2025, 11:30 AM

Introductory Remarks

Roberta Mason, PhD, Vice-Provost, Student and Academic Services

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Spring Graduates

Academic Processional

The Academic Platform Party

Nelson Chan, Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor SPOŁTENOT Lavina (Lee) Lavina Charles, honorary degree recipient

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Traditional Welcome

National Anthem

President's Address

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Conferring of Honorary Degree

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Convocation Address

SPOŁTENOT Lavina (Lee) Charles, honorary degree recipient

Presentation of the Graduates

Closing Remarks

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Academic Recessional

June 6, 2025, 2:00 PM

Introductory Remarks

Roberta Mason, PhD, Vice-Provost, Student and Academic Services

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Spring Graduates

Academic Processional

The Academic Platform Party

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Traditional Welcome

National Anthem

President's Address

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor's Welcome

Nelson Chan, Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors

Alumni Orator

Sandra Walker, Royal Roads Alum, MBA Program

Presentation of the Graduates

Closing Remarks

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Academic Recessional

June 6, 2025, 4:30 PM

Introductory Remarks

Roberta Mason, PhD, Vice-Provost, Student and Academic Services

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Spring Graduates

Academic Processional

The Academic Platform Party

Nelson Chan, Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor Members of the Board of Governors

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Traditional Welcome

National Anthem

President's Address

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Chancellor's Welcome

Nelson Chan, Chancellor and Chair of the Board of Governors

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Sandra Walker, Royal Roads Alum, MBA Program

The Governor General's Gold Medal Presentation

Raj Sohal, Doctor of Social Sciences recipient

Presentation of the Graduates

Closing Remarks

Philip Steenkamp, PhD, President and Vice-Chancellor

Academic Recessional

Honorary Degree Recipient

Janet Austin

June 6, 2025



The Honourable Janet Austin served for seven years as the 30th Lieutenant Governor of British Columbia, from 2018 to 2025. During her mandate, she championed Reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples; promoted the importance of respect for diversity, equity and inclusion in all aspects of Canadian society; and worked actively to uphold Canadian democracy and encourage participation in civil society.

Prior to her service as Lieutenant Governor, she spent 15 years as Chief Executive Officer of the YWCA Metro Vancouver, one of the province's largest and most diversified non-profits. There, she oversaw operations delivering services to tens of thousands of people annually across more than 40 locations. Under her leadership and the social enterprise model she championed, the reach and scope of services offered by the YWCA increased significantly and flourished. Using solutions-oriented and collaborative advocacy, she positioned the YWCA as a leading voice on gender equality and social justice.

Janet has also served many organizations committed to improving the lives of others, including: TransLink, the Greater Vancouver Board of Trade, the Canadian Paediatric Society, the Council for Early Child Development, the Women's Health Research Institute, MOSAIC, the Dr. Peter AIDS Foundation and many others.

Having recently retired from the role of Lieutenant Governor, she continues to support various community initiatives, with a particular emphasis on climate, upholding democracy, and encouraging constructive conversations among people with diverse views.

Honorary Degree Recipient

SPOŁTENOT Lavina (Lee) Charles

June 6, 2025



SENĆOTEN language holder, respected Elder and teacher, SPOŁTENOT Lavina Charles is widely known as "Grandma Lee" to children in the WSÁNEĆ communities. In her work with School District 62, Lee has facilitated intercultural understanding for children and taught them the SENCOTEN language. As one of the few fluent speakers of SENCOTEN, her teachings are helping revitalize her first language among future generations.

Lee is a member of the Heron Peoples Circle Elders at Royal Roads University. Her guidance and support shines in her connection with RRU students. Over the years, Lee has met with students seeking the support of an Elder, talked with students about their research projects and visited classrooms as a guest speaker. Her warm friendship and wise counsel are cherished by the campus community. Lee's support as an advisor for RRU Indigenous Education and Student Services have had a tremendous positive impact on the student experience at the university.

A survivor of Indian Day School, Lee advocated for the abolition of forced attendance at day and residential schools, and an end to segregation of Indigenous children from public school. Lee's eldest daughter, the late Nadine TEALIE Charles was the first person from the Scia'new First Nation to attend public school.

Lee and her late husband Burt XEMXIMELEK Charles, have six children, nineteen grandchildren and twenty-three great-grandchildren. Throughout their sixty-eight years together, the couple contributed immensely to community improvements and supports, always with future generations in mind including establishing a summer camp for Indigenous youth focused on connecting with the land, engaging with their culture and instilling pride in their heritage.

Lee is a respected knowledge keeper whose life of service to her community and youth inspires others to have a positive impact on the world.

Convocation Awards

Governor General's Gold Medal

This award is presented to one student each convocation for the most outstanding dissertation, thesis or graduate project.

Doctor of Social Sciences

Raiinder Kaur Sohal

Royal Roads University wishes to provide the following candidates for the Governor General's Gold Medal with special recognition for having received a nomination to the competition:

School of Business

Shelley Lynn Legin

School of Education and Technology

Nicole Nadine Kathleen Croft

School of Environment and Sustainability

Mirae Kim

School of Humanitarian Studies

Thomas Roy Beveridge

School of Leadership Studies

Ceri Eluned Rees

School of Tourism and Hospitality Management

Raimundo Olivos Donoso

Royal Roads University Chancellor's Award

This annual award is presented to one graduating student in each degree program in recognition of having achieved the highest academic performance. It may be awarded at the June or November ceremony.

Master of Arts in Conflict Analysis and Management

Lisa Juliette Amanda Korec

Master of Arts in Disaster and Emergency Management

Tami Lynn Shaw

Master of Arts in Environment and Management

Hideki Daniel Shirasaka Arakaki

Master of Arts in Environmental Education and Communication

Renee Helene Davies Cenerini

Master of Arts in Global Leadership

Susan Margaret Cline

Master of Arts in Human Security and Peacebuilding

Heidi Maleen Fricker

Master of Arts in Justice Studies

Evan Blake Tumanako Green

Master of Arts in Leadership

Ceri Eluned Rees

Master of Arts in Tourism Management

Agrim Banerjee

Master of Business Administration in

Executive Management

Elizabeth Sophia Dammann

Master of Global Management

Kurt Russell Anderson

Royal Roads University Founders' Award

This award is presented to a student or a small collective of students in each graduating cohort of a degree program in recognition of having exemplified the qualities of leadership, sustainability and personal development, and equity, diversity and inclusiveness.

Master of Arts in Conflict Analysis and Management

Joshua Michael William Morris

Master of Arts in Environmental Education and Communication

Lesley Anne Pollard

Master of Arts in Environment and Management

Deanna Catherine Woods Roberta Montes de Oca Palau

Master of Arts in Global Leadership

Amrita Verma

Master of Arts in Human Security and Peacebuilding

Penny Florence Mullan

Master of Arts in Intercultural and International Communication

Gaogianhui Xie

Master of Arts in Justice Studies

Eleanor Allison Creighton

Master of Arts in Leadership

Amy Louise McKinnon

Master of Arts in Leadership—Executive Leadership

Jennifer Dawn Smyth

Master of Arts in Professional Communication

Kimberley Dawn Misik

Master of Arts in Tourism Management

Agrim Banerjee

Master of Business Administration in Executive Management

John Vinay Fernandes

Master of Global Management

Grace Wairimu Ndirangu Sofia Lases Rufeil

Bachelor of Commerce in Entrepreneurial Management

Michelle Ann Sullivan

Bachelor of Arts in Global Tourism Management

Ahmad Ullah Khan

President's Scholar Award

These awards are presented to students who graduate with distinction in the top 10 per cent of the graduating class in each undergraduate degree program.

Bachelor of Business Administration

Lawson Alexander Currie Aoi Hashimoto Steven Charles Smith Danae Solis Pasaran

Bachelor of Commerce in Entrepreneurial Management

William James Houliston

Bachelor of Arts in Global Tourism Management

Sara Jane Trites

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Practice

Marsha Lang Clarke

Royal Roads University wishes to acknowledge the generosity of donors who have supported students to realize their academic and personal goals. Please see royalroads.ca/awards for a complete list of awards.

Presentation of Graduates

Faculty of Management

June 6, 2025

Doctor of Business Administration

Legin, Shelley Lynn*

Understanding How Impact Investing Can Transform Canada's Post-Secondary Sector: An Intermediary Typology

Supervisor: Dr. Heather Hachigian Committee: Dr. Tessa Hebb Dr. Ralph Nilson

Lyons, Shelly Ann-Marie*

Adult Third Culture Kid's (ATCK's) Concept of Belonging and Identity Creation: Can Spiritual Self-Leadership

Be a Solution?

Supervisor: Dr. Carolin Rekar Munro Committee: Dr. Debora Linehan Dr. M. Hassan Wafai

Williams, Elizabeth Suzanne

Building Manager Communication Competencies in Canadian

MBA Programs

Supervisor: Dr. Carolin Rekar Munro Committee: Dr. Jennifer Walinga Dr. Charles Krusekopf Dr. Vivien Corwin

Master of Arts in Executive and Organizational Coaching

Aitken, Lawrence Edward Bennett, Joanna Caroline Fay

Cox, Edrea Elona
Cseke, Kali Danielle
Elmas, Cecily Gabrielle
Evans, Jonathan Gordon
Hills, Jenna Shannon
Patsula, Kristina Kathleen
Wiseman, Leslie Anne

Master of Arts in Tourism Management

Ajani, Adeel Mohammed Ali Banerjee, Agrim Dorji, Sonam Chuki Gobin, Feiona Jimmy, Jyothsna Kapoor, Roopak Vinod Lin, Shutian

*with Distinction

Malhotra, Radhika

Norbu, Ugyen

Olivos Donoso, Raimundo German

Olubodun, Afolake Temitayo

Parku, Wisdom Mawuli

Rambukwella, Thisakya Senarath Wijeratne

Rawal, Vineeta Safari, Fatemeh Zibiri, Chibuzor Sophia

Master of Business Administration in Executive Management

Allan, Lee Anthony

Carlson, Christine Elizabeth Fyvie

Dammann, Elizabeth Sophia

Faithfull, George Daniel Allan

Fernandes, John Vinay

Geurts, Kyrie Dorothy Millicent

Hunter, Carrie Jean

MacKie, Derek Christopher Senghera, Rupinder Kaur Southworth, Angela Diane

Valdez, Loana Gail

Van Es, Michael John

Master of Business Administration in Executive Management—International Business and Innovation—Europe

Chiu, Sze Tak

Larsen, Joshua Levine

Rossignol, René Neil

Trussler, Travis Urban

Master of Business Administration in Executive Management—Leadership

Jones, Zachary John Owen

Master of Business Administration in Executive Management—Management Consulting

Graham, Dion Sebastian Lambert, Matthew Michael

Pollen, Peter David Stuart

Richards, Julie May

Sexton, Sylvia Agnes Whiteway

Master of Global Management

Aggarwal, Surbhi Suresh

Akinwunmi, Olabimpe Tomilayo

Ameyaw, Vivian Boakye

Anwar, Sana Arora, Palak

Arya, Meenakshi

Awasthi, Utsavi Kshitiz

Balarezo Arrese, Alejandro

Beniwal, Kuntal Bikram Jeet Singh

Boakye, Pheona Agyeiwaa

Bodra, Karan Isaac

Bolaji, Victoria Oluwaseyi

Budhiraja, Aman

Carreon Miralrio, Yuri Daniel

Choudhary, Nitin

Costa Ganoza, Luis Augusto

Das, Arnab

Dewan, Pranubh

Fiyouzat, Maral

Gao, Zhihua

Ghosh, Arijit

Gupta, Manisha

Gupta, Saurabh

Hardeep Singh

Hittini, Shara Caitlin Cordero

Islam Chowdhury, MD Majharul

Ismail, Mohammad Sabbir Jagannathan, Madhavan

Jayswal, Nirav

Jia Jia

Iindal, Daksh

Jitthumma, Chattaya

Kamson, Susan

Kaushik, Mohit

Kawade, Pranali Pravin

Khan, Mahfuzur Rahman

Khasanov, Utkirbek Ergashevich

Kohli, Priyanka

Kolibailu Somanna, Devi Prasad

Lafee, Mohammad Fawzi Ahmad

Lases Rufeil, Sofia

Lasrado Dcosta, Wilma

Mathews, Abhinav

Mcalpin, Yanique Semone

Moradpourhafshejani, Shahrbanou

Mukherjee, Apratim

Munoz Aguayo, Hector Alejandro

Nagpal, Sneha Naik, Yash Satish

Ndirangu, Grace Wairimu Nnadozie, Amara Chikodili

Ojha, Stuti Priya

Olubodun, Abayomi Omoshola Olutimehin, Oluwaseyi Titilayo

Omoefe, Abimbola Olamide

Osei, Anthony Kwame

Pathak, Lata

Pokla, Joosep

Prabha, Jyoti

Prasongpongchai, Nuttpapat

Rahimian, Ali

Rahman, Sabbir

Rozario, Jack Raphael

Ruiz Wong, Luis Alonso

Sasidharan, Sonu

Shamim, Mohammad

Sharma, Lovepreet

Sharma, Neetu

Sharma, Sonia

Sierra Collazos, Leidy Johanna

Solanki, Manish Fakirbhai

Soma, Ashok

Srinivasan, Balaji

Tabassum, Rabeya

Taheri, Robabehsadat

Tam, Hin Chun

Tiwari, Harish Kumar

Ukaha, Joy Ejimole

Veer, Satish Suresh

Weerasinghe, Weerasinghe Meegahawattage Ruchira

Suwanith

Wong, Yuen Lok Rae

Yahyaeineko, Shaghayegh

Bachelor of Arts in Global Tourism Management

Khan, Ahmad Ullah

Trites, Sara Jane

Xi, Wen

Xian, Jiaer

Bachelor of Arts in International Hotel Management

Zhao, Yanqin

Bachelor of Business Administration

Agheda, Yug Tarun

Currie, Lawson Alexander

Dave, Kirtan Dhananjay

Hashimoto, Aoi

Nanaware, Riddhi Anil

Narinderjit

Perez Lara, Ana Camila Phan, Minh Phuong

Quispe Inga, Juan de Dios

Shaikh, Adeeb Ali

Singh, Akashdeep

Smith, Steven Charles

Solis Pasaran, Danae

Sun, Zhaoheng

Tank, Mansi Ramesh

Wei, Hongshan

Bachelor of Commerce in Entrepreneurial Management

Bélanger, Sabrinna Marie Christiane Cécile Mario

Chaudhary, Vikram

Farrell, James Kevin

Gran-Ruaz, Soren Jon

Hinshelwood, Evan Hopkins

Houliston, William James

Miller, Adrienne Annett

Souraya, Jameel Zaki

Sullivan, Michelle Ann

Graduate Certificate in Advanced Coaching Practices

Boutin, Brigitte Marie Almeda

Cantrill, Tina Suzanne

Hannay, Michele Dianne

Harding, Christina Rydé Elizabeth

Harper, Karen Christina

Kenny, Natasha Ann

Paesani, Vanessa Ida

Parrill, Amy Lynn

Graduate Certificate in Asia Pacific Trade and Investment

Ramirez Tretiakova, Anna

Graduate Certificate in Change Management

Ambroso, Alison Elizabeth Breakey, Daniel Aaron Bridgette, Sarah Elizabeth Chipawe, Faith

Corfield, Melissa Amy

Cox, Michelle Alana

Gustafson, Carey Anne

Kennedy, Jeffrey Colin

Kermer, Angela

Luke, Adriana Corinna Cecilia

Mackie, Stephen Douglas

McNaught, Kimberly Janet

Moccia, Suzanne Lisa

Quarrell, Ashleigh Alana

Roff, Jennifer Ashley

Toth, Andrew Paul

Graduate Certificate in Executive Coaching

Ahern, Michael Robert

Berdahl, Loleen Dawn

Buffone-Blair, Claire

Chen, Charlie Chao Sheng

Daigneault Webber, Danielle Nicole

Donovan-Gray, Renee Ann

Dubreuil, Kirsten Elizabeth

Gladstone, Keith Edward

Glover, Camille Lee

Gorman, Jennifer Phyllis

Greco, Christine Georgette

Tack, Wade Michael

Jacula, Loren Mark

Johnston, David Robert

Kam, Joel Mathew

Kemble, Tibetha Aweta Deane

Khalil, Sarah

Klein, Christina Rae

MacDonald, Heidi Elizabeth

Macnab, Catherine Elizabeth

McGowan, John

Miki, Ronald Byron

Murray, Drew Elise

Pettipas, Tim Edward

Rahilly, Timothy John

Rosenblatt, Silas

Roy, Romita

Salvail, Leon Edward

Simpson, David Allan

Spall, Jodi Lynn

Stansfield, Katherine Jane

Straith, Danica Isabel

Tarbox, Alice Christine Mary

Therrien, Tamara Christy

Thompson, Shawna Marie

Wadhwa, Amreeta Kaur Watson, Laura Gail West, Austin Lynn Wright, Robert Kirk Young, Jody Ann Marie Yung, Evelyn Yi Wai Zanona, Ricardo Costa Zehnder, Kristin Elyse Zorgdrager, Paul Andrew

Graduate Certificate in International Business and Innovation—Europe

Badry, Sandra Gaye Gibson, Daniel James Gordon Ward, Clarice Darlaha

Graduate Certificate in Management and Leadership

Antler, Kaitlin Joanna

Graduate Certificate in Management Consulting

Carlson, Christine Elizabeth Fyvie Fernandes, John Vinay Geurts, Kyrie Dorothy Millicent Hunter, Carrie Jean Valdez, Loana Gail Van Es, Michael John

Graduate Certificate in Organization Design and Development

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Graduate Certificate in Personal and Professional Leadership Development

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Graduate Certificate in Tourism Management

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Presentation of Graduates

College of Interdisciplinary Studies

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Doctor of Social Sciences

Bowerman, Tanya Jean

The Truth, the Whole Truth, and Nothing but the Truth: Saving Canada's Democracy and Building Trust With the Public Through Planning, Public Performance Reporting, and Citizen Engagement

Supervisor: Dr. Wendy Rowe Committee: Dr. James McDavid Dr. William Holmes

Boynton, Eric Paul David

Police Officer Perceptions of Diversity-Focused Recruitment in

Ontario, Canada

Supervisor: Dr. matthew heinz Committee: Dr. Mark Crowell Dr. Carrie Sanders

Hogya, Brooks Michael

Climate Adaptation in Out-Of-Hospital Settings: Building Strategic Disaster Resilience in Ambulance Operations

Supervisor: Dr. Robin Cox Committee: Dr. Sarah Fletcher Mr. Bradley Camron

McCallum, Stephanie Lynn

A Local Level Response to Reducing Childhood Hunger and Advancing SDG#2

Supervisor: Dr. Leslie King Committee: Dr. Kathleen Manion Ms. Marilyn Wilkinson

Ojum, Cyprian Mgbechi Assessment of Current Oil Pipeline Disasters and Mitigation

Strategies in Nigeria Supervisor: Dr. Siomonn Pulla Committee: Dr. Leslie King

Dr. Mathew Ocholi

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O'Neil, Christopher Edward

Improving Indigenous Engagement and Consultation for Oil Sands Development in the Regional Municipality of Wood

Buffalo, Alberta, Canada Supervisor: Dr. Leslie King Committee: Dr. Siomonn Pulla

Dr. Ciaran O'Faircheallaigh

Pinkowski, Kerry-Krista Nicole

Resting the Case: A Grounded Theory Exploration of the Phenomenon of Rest Neglect in Practicing Lawyers

Supervisor: Dr. Siomonn Pulla Committee: Dr. Randy Gilbert Robert Tyler

Pumphrey, John Vincent

Action Research in the Military: Experiences, Outcomes and

Learning

Supervisor: Dr. Eileen Piggot-Irvine Committee: Dr. Marylin Taylor Dr. Christian Leuprecht Dr. Noori Akhtar-Danesh

Sohal, Rajinder Kaul*

Rising Like a Phoenix: Punjabi-Canadian Women Resisting Sharam, Reclaiming Izzat, and Redefining Pehchan through Resilience Approaches in the Aftermath of Intimate Partner Violence

Supervisor: Dr. Kathleen Manion Committee: Dr. Mandeep Kaur Mucina Dr. Jaspreet Kaur Bal

Master of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies

Bartel, Katie Ann

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Epstein, Kyla

Floysvik, Erika Mary

Heinen, Roxanne Dawn

Humble, Roberta Dawn

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Jawed, Aisha Sharon

Kimmerly, William Matthew Joseph

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Nowosielski, Robert

Pemberton, Regan Colleen

Reddington, Nichola Jane

Richard, Christine Lorraine

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Slot, Brian Elliot

Sutherland, Jennifer Ann

VanHartingsveldt, Julie Elizabeth Deborah

Voorsluys, Theresa Hendrika

Witzky, Shelley Ann

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Eklund, Stacey Lou

Ipirq, Eric Koonoo

Irfan, Aima

Madrid Umanzor, Cessy Guadalupe

Paquin, Myriam Elise

Pilon, Clayton Joseph

Graduate Certificate in Interdisciplinary Studies

Emery, Stacie Leah

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Master of Arts in Climate Action Leadership

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Master of Arts in Conflict Analysis and Management

Chatlani, Priya Naresh Hadwell, Nichola Stewart Hingsburger, Eric William Korec, Lisa Juliette Amanda Little, Jill Louise

Maier, Kaitlin Marlene Marquez-Velasco, Maria Daniela Morris, Joshua Michael William Morrish, Meaghan Elizabeth Muir, Lauren Elizabeth Pele, Michelle Andrea

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Schindel, Kristen Leanne Vivian Marie

Master of Arts in Disaster and Emergency Management

Beveridge, Thomas Roy
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Csenar, Joshua Felix
Durfey, Grant William
Fitch, Edward Charles
Fry, Courtney Nicole
Gieni, Heather Elizabeth
Isaak, Rebecca Florence
Khokhar, Christopher Nayyab

Kipp, Keanan Julia
Kure, Trent Brian
Lundin, Sarah Kristen
Manning, Julie Dawn
Martineau, Michael Ernest
Minvielle, Kaitlin Marie
Mohammed, Shawn Kevin
Newman, Gary Dean
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Op de Beeck, Jason Andrew
Parrish, Linda May

Rantala, Jeffrey Neil
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Grajales Veerkamp, Carina

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Mazaheri Zaveh, Amin

Merth, Johanna Kerry

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Vidal Veliz, Carolina Liz

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Boquist, Jessica Lee Bouhamdan, Joline Furama, Richard Mills, Meredith Joy Rowden, Suzann Corrine

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Verma, Amrita Viswanath, Ajay

Master of Arts in Human Security and Peacebuilding

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Master of Arts in Leadership

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Master of Arts in Leadership—Health

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Graduate Diploma in Global Leadership

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Graduate Diploma in Leadership

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Graduate Diploma in Learning and Technology

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Graduate Certificate in Global Leadership

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Graduate Certificate in Professional Communication Management

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Graduate Certificate in Systems Leadership in Higher Education

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Graduate Certificate in Values-Based Leadership

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