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Congratulations Graduands!

It's been a privilege to serve as your Chancellor and to celebrate with you as you graduate and move forward toward your chosen career.

Convocation is an important time to come together as fellow scholars, community members, family, and friends to recognize and celebrate your success. You've learned new ways of looking at the world and gained the knowledge and skills required to become leaders.

During your time at UWinnipeg, you accomplished many great things and demonstrated a drive and passion that will fuel your path forward in life. You don't have to look far to find University of Winnipeg graduates leading initiatives, volunteering their time, and championing change that makes an impact locally, nationally, and globally. This tight-knit community is rooting for you as you launch your career or take the next steps in your post-secondary journey.

We are so proud and I know only great things are ahead for you!

Chancellor
The University of Winnipeg

Congratulations Graduands!

Convocation is a special time for our University community and an important opportunity to celebrate your academic success. On behalf of the Board of Regents, our faculty, and staff, I extend our sincere congratulations.

During your time at The University of Winnipeg, you have developed critical-thinking skills, experienced the value of a diversity of views, and ignited your curiosity and determination to contribute to a better society.

Whether you are continuing your studies or pursuing your career, I know you will all become leaders in your communities. Your voices are important to the future of our province, country, and world. On behalf of The University of Winnipeg, your professors, instructors, and the staff who supported you throughout your academic journey, please accept our very best wishes.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. A. Marshall". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first letters of each name being capitalized and prominent.

President and Vice-Chancellor
The University of Winnipeg

*Today you cross
the path from
students to alumni.*

Congratulations Class of 2023!

As President of the University of Winnipeg Alumni Association, I am pleased to offer my congratulations on behalf of the Association to the graduating class of 2023. Your hard work and dedication have culminated in this very special day.

With this achievement, this also becomes your very first day of being an Alumnus of this great University. As you cross this bridge from being a student to an Alumnus, you will be following in the footsteps of over 50,000 individuals who have shared the invaluable experience of coming together, learning, making new friends and just having fun at this very unique urban campus.

By becoming an active member of our Alumni Association, you can remain connected to and supportive of the University of Winnipeg and its students. Going forward we hope that, through your Alumni Association, you will maintain and enhance your professional and community affiliations. To assist you in this goal, The University of Winnipeg has recently purchased AlumniFire, a networking platform which will make accessible the limitless expertise within our Alumni ranks. Through this platform, we have created our own Online Community entitled 'UWinnipeg Connect.'

In the next few weeks, you will receive more information on how to join this free Online Community, which will allow you to share jobs, advice, i5he





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One Hundred and Twenty-Second Convocation
Monday, June 19, 2023 – 9:30 a.m.

Arts, Development Practice

*Todd A. Mondor, BA (Honours), MA, PhD
President and Vice-Chancellor, presiding*



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Arts

Development Practice





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 Apoorva Gangwani

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 Christine Ken Maano Conjares
 Rylee Brynn Francesca DeJong
 Emma Kate Dubeski
 Christopher Ryan Dueck
 Josée Laurence Dumesnil
 Nettie Dyck

Iris Elaine Errickson
 Reese Sophie Estwick
 Sara Ford
 Cameron Vincent Paul Franzmann
 Samantha Anne Frost
 Julious Gambalan
 Raveena Gill
 Casandra Adrienne Jade Gough
 Michaela Anne Hiebert
 Meara Ann House
 Dayna Marie Danielle Jeanson
 Andres Felipe Jimenez Mejia
 Emma Marie Brigitte Joyal
 Julia Langes Jumaga*

Bourke Sarah Mallory Karras
Aidan Royce Kingston
Gillian Emma Kolody*
Ellice Maren Kynman*
Gabrielle Pamela Lawrence
Woo Jun Lim
Tracy Limlingan
Kierra Michelle Lodwick
Jaime Lopez Guerrero*
Sachini Venusheya Mapa
Tatiana Papillon Martineau
Colton Donald Mckillop
Brea Jasmine McMahon
Devon Ryan Medeiros
Sophie Carolan Milord*
Anita Jane Molinari*
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Makanja Kamaka
Jason Mark Kish*
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Charlie Eau*
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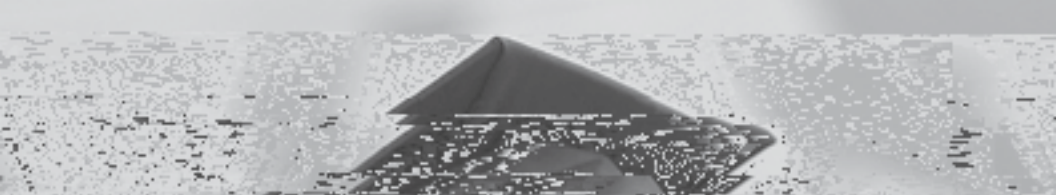
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Morgan Ashley Reitberger
Breanne Nadine Rey
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Monday, June 19, 2023 – 2:30 p.m.



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Science

Business and Economics



The audience is asked to rise.

Alina Havrylyuk, Piano



Sons of the Drum, Drum Group



Colin Russell, BA (Hons), BEd, MA | Registrar



Nina Assiniboine and Tyson Henry



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Master of Science

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Bachelor of Science (4 Year)

Bachelor of Science

Master of Arts in Applied Economics

Bachelor of Arts (4 Year) in Economics and Finance

Bachelor of Arts in Economics

Bachelor of Business Administration (4 Year)

Bachelor of Business Administration

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Simon Depasquale, BSc (Hons)

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Todd A. Mondor, BA (Hons), MA, PhD | President and Vice-Chancellor



St. Andrew's Society of Winnipeg Pipe Band

The audience is request to remain in place until the academic procession has retired.

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 Nupur Aggarwal*
 Christopher Ibssa Ahmed
 Sarah Aikens
 Ruhi Akther
 Khadejah Zakaria Almoumen
 Jean Demnard Alquiza
 Ashman Ashman*
 Jemi Rameshbhai Aslalia
 Sumeet Singh Aulakh
 Samuel David Bagamery
 Rupanjot Singh Baidwan
 Jashandeep Singh Bains
 Daniela Maria Balmer
 Tia Elizabeth Bartel-Ens*
 Nathan Gamiya Bavuga*
 Sarah Rose Beel
 Sydney Marie Beel
 Calahan Donnelly Bettig
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 Andriy Bobelyak*
 Alexandra Bologna
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 Oshin Dharel*
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 Marizen Cruz Duay
 Jillian Marie Duncan*
 Lee Tan Duong
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 Nicaela Rita Lynne Leiman Forde*
 Madison Keely Francis
 Binita Freider
 Kriti Galhotra*
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 Jasmine Georgia Gilchrist
 Amanpreet Singh Gill*
 Gursimranjit Singh Gill
 Kulwinder Singh Gill
 Shivi Goyal*
 Benjamin Joseph Greskiw
 Gurvir Singh Grewal*

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 Sumanpreet Kaur*
 Varinderpal Kaur*
 Sukhmeen Kaur Khangura*
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 Cortlan John Krishna*
 Mandeep Kumar
 Sewoong Lee*
 Jatin Lekhi
 Matthew David Leppelmann
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 Cole James Magnus
 Bishavdeep Mahal
 Gillian Rose Malchuk
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 Volodymyr Mayak
 Sydney Frances Mead
 Vincent Vernon Mernett
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 Radhakrishnan*
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 Lorraine Tatenda Nyagumbo
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 Yaroslav Maxim Paches
 Mariah Jessa Faye Siño Palag*
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 Rutvik Chirag Patel
 Vraj Nitesh Patel*
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 Shaye Grace Pellaers
 Jonah Wiseman Perlmutter
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 Jaini Devangbhai Shah*
 Deepika Sharma
 Sameer Sharma
 Suvansh Shukla
 Ekamjit Singh Sidhu*
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Ajaypal Singh
Armanjeet Singh
Bhavneet Singh
Gagandeep Singh*
Gursimran Singh *
Harjeet Singh *
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Benjamin Peter Steiman
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Tory Michael Paul Friesen
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Jubrab Hafeez*
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Angelou Jade Suing Ignacio
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Veses Kavinda Indraratne*
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Samantha Marie Jones*
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Ravdeep Singh Kambo
Hayden Myles Keast
Alyza Rei Saria Kho*
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Feliza Montemayor
Cole Alexander Moore*
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Mollah Abdus Suzern Noor
Kael Lamont Olfert
Jonas Dave Oquendo
Zipporah Janae Peters
Darian Rodney Picklyk
John Michael Quidoles
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Fielle Ramos
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Mitchell August Reschke*
Madeleine Genevieve Robert
Madison Alyssa Rae Rumbaoa
Saira Movilla Sabio
Carissa May Schmidt
Jake Anthony Schulte
Herman Shein
Justine Michelle Shingleton*
Iqbal Singh
Jatin Singh

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Mackenzie Leon Wilfred Stewin
Carla Danielle Switzer
Anna Sylka
Liselle Tapawan
Jaskirat Kaur Tatla

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Fatehkarn Singh Toor
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Mackenzie Spencer Allan Warren*
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Manisha Acharya Dhakal
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Hannah Angelina Maria Almeida
Aryan Anand
Deepanshu Arora*
Ishan Arora*
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Sagar	Yuvraj Singh *
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Lindsay Sinclair	Simrit Walla
Amolakdeep Singh	Sunena Wariach
Gurkaransekaw Singh *	Aayush Yadav*
Harmandeep Singh	Dustin Garret Ziemanski*

*February 2023 Graduate

**Also listed previously under respective degrees



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One Hundred and Twenty-Second Convocation
Tuesday, June 20, 2023 – 9:30 a.m.

Master of Marriage and Family Therapy,
Education, Kinesiology & Applied Health

*Todd A. Mondor, BA (Honours), MA, PhD
President and Vice-Chancellor, presiding*



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Jess Hill
Mina Khani



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Janel Beatrice Hay
Lea Kathleen Hosegood*
Amanda Marianne Impey*
Erin Brittany Ireland
Amandeep Kaur Jaura

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Lori-Ann Nicole Soja
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(4-Year) Urban and Inner
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Diego Santis Aguilar

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(4-Year) Sociology

Joshua Raposo

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Business and Administration

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University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Business and Economics (3-Year)

Jenna Allison

Lieutenant-Governor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Arts (3-Year)

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Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Mathematics

Anthony Bage

Lost Prizes Scholarship

Noelle Bowles

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Education

Alexander DeFehr

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) French Studies

Claire Hanson

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Education

Gerard Hoorne

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Nadya Langelotz

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Josef Neufeld

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) French Studies

Kadie Nykvist

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Education

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Lost Prizes Award

Samantha Sawazki

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) English

William Shortt

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Serena Walker

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Science (3-Year)

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Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Biology

Jennifer Wiewel

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) History

Jack Dunsford

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Kinesiology (Honours)

Kiera Glowatski

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Kinesiology (3-Year)

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Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Kinesiology

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Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Physical and Health Education

Kiley Gmiterek

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Kinesiology (4-Year)

Natasha Gregoire

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Kinesiology (4-Year)

Natasha Gregoire

Gold Medal for
Achievement in a Major
(4-Year) Kinesiology

Alicia Phillips

University Silver Medal
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Standing in Kinesiology
(3-Year)

Tim Rozovsky

Chancellor's Gold Medal
for the Highest Standing
in Kinesiology (Honours)

Tim Rozovsky

Gold Medal for
Achievement in a Major
(Honours) Kinesiology

Sara Anderson-Warkentin

Graduate Student of
Highest Distinction Award

Jeetpal Singh

Gold Medal for
Achievement in a Major



Clayton Sandy is a respected knowledge keeper, cultural advisor, and community activist who's spent his working life educating generations of non-Indigenous people in the province about the history of Indigenous people in this country

His home community is Sioux Valley Dakota First Nation.

In Clayton's 38 years of service, he's had the opportunity to work in many provincial government departments, including Natural Resources, Energy and Mines, Labour, Civil Service Commission, Family Services, and Education and Training. He also did a two-year secondment at Stony Mountain Institution.

Clayton is the epitome of community bridge-building leadership in action, as he seizes every opportunity to work with Indigenous and non-Indigenous leadership to engage people and advance truth and reconciliation.

Diane Redsky, UWinnipeg Honorary Doctor of Laws recipient and Executive Director of the Ma Mawi Wi Chi Itata Centre, says Clayton has worked tirelessly over the years to make significant contributions to the growth and development of Winnipeg's urban Indigenous community.

She added that Clayton's work throughout the decades has inspired other Manitobans and shows that one person guided by a greater purpose can, and does, make all the difference.

From 2016 to 2020, Clayton was the Indigenous Ambassador for Circles of Reconciliation, a non-profit grassroots community project that seeks to promote reconciliation between Indigenous and non-Indigenous people in Canada. During his time in this role, he trained

Connie Walker is a devoted community builder who developed a deep understanding of the community and issues of poverty, racism, inequity, and exclusion early in her career as a public health nurse working in Winnipeg's most impoverished neighbourhoods.

In addition to her Bachelor of Nursing

Few have been as committed to academic excellence at The University of Winnipeg as Dr. Brian Stevenson.

Serving as UWinnipeg's Provost and Vice-President, Academic from 2006 to 2010, Dr. Stevenson enhanced UWinnipeg's presence locally, nationally, and globally. Leaning on expertise gained from several roles, he brought steady leadership to his post and imparted a vision that propelled the University to greater heights.

Among the many initiatives Dr. Stevenson led during his time at UWinnipeg was the establishment of the Faculty of Business and Economics. Dr. Stevenson fostered an environment of collaboration through which the creation of new graduate programs enabled Global College to become part of an international network of universities engaged in graduate Indigenous development studies.

His extraordinary efforts expanded beyond academic offerings. In fact, increasing access to education was among his greatest achievements.

His commitment to accessibility for low-income students helped shape the present-

John Olfert was an exemplary student who embodied leadership and passion throughout his time at The University of Winnipeg and with the Wesmen Athletics Men's Volleyball program.

Thus, it's no surprise he brought those same qualities to his leadership role as President and Chief Operating Officer of True North Sports + Entertainment and the Winnipeg Jets Hockey Club (True North), where he has helped shape Winnipeg's sports and entertainment community.

Olfert, who completed his Bachelor of Arts in Administrative Studies at UWinnipeg in 1991, has been part of True North's leadership team for more than two decades.

Olfert began his career at True North as its Chief Financial Officer, before being appointed as the President and COO. During his tenure, he has been instrumental in the development of the Canada Life Centre and hockey for all centre, the acquisition of the NHL's Winnipeg Jets, and the return of the AHL's Manitoba Moose. He currently serves as an Alternate Governor for the Winnipeg Jets on the NHL's Board of Governors.

Olfert also remains an ardent UWinnipeg supporter, be it through guest lectures or supporting the Wesmen Scholarship Fund.

Prior to joining True North, Olfert spent several years working in roles with Winnipeg-based not-for-profit entities. He has also remained active in the community, both coaching and on the Boards of Directors that have included: U SPORTS, Volleyball Manitoba, and the True North Youth Foundation.

In 2019, UWinnipeg's Business Administration Students' Association

Dr. Ken McCluskey's exceptional academic achievements have left an ineffaceable mark on The University of Winnipeg's Faculty of Education.

His impressive scholarship and creative

BA, MEd

For more than 20 years, Lee Hong has helped international students excel at The University of Winnipeg.

In her work as an academic advisor with International, Immigrant, and Refugee Student Services (IIRSS), Hong is known for her calm, quiet demeanor and student-first attitude. While there are now three academic advisors in IIRSS, Hong was the only one for many years, serving 13 per cent of the University's student population.

She has worked closely with incoming students from more than 70 countries, and her personalized advice makes students feel more confident in their studies and in their choice of UWinnipeg.

Hong's dedication to student success is second to none. From visiting 15 Chinese cities in 20 days on a recruitment trip, to volunteering as an usher at Convocation, she's consistently gone above and beyond

throughout her career.

When the pandemic arrived, she quickly learned new technologies and helped students navigate the online registration system and travel restrictions.

"Lee displayed an extraordinary ability to connect with students despite cultural differences and language barriers," a former supervisor said. "Her calm, patient, and poised manner gave international students an anchor here on campus, and in Canada."

In the office, Hong is the epitome of team spirit, offering to help colleagues whenever she can. She always goes the extra mile to make sure her team feels motivated and supported.

For always leading by example with kindness, compassion, and humanity, The University of Winnipeg is proud to award Lee Hong with the Stars of Spence Street Prize.



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Dr. Lisa Sinclair is a scholar, teacher, and mentor who has made considerable contributions to the understanding of human social behaviour.

As a social-cognitive psychologist, her innovative research helps society understand what often goes unstated or unexamined in social interactions. Dr. Sinclair's main research focus is the psychology of stereotyping and prejudice - a topic that only grows more and more important with each passing year.

Her work is interdisciplinary. She is adept at working across the silos of traditional disciplines to address pressing and complex research questions, and her research has been funded by NSERC and SSHRC.

Dr. Sinclair is well-known across Canada. She is a member of the SSHRC Insight Grant adjudication committee for psychology. She has also held numerous positions with the Social and Personality Section of the Canadian Psychological Association, including serving on the executive for four years.

A devoted mentor, Dr. Sinclair has supervised more than 100 undergraduate research projects. Her students often go on to present at national and international conferences. She also models collaboration, listing students as co-authors in nearly all of her publications.

The impact of Dr. Sinclair's scholarship goes beyond the traditional academic venues of her

discipline. Her work has been cited in law journals and she has been asked to be an expert witness in court cases. Her work is also heavily cited in articles about workplaces, and in the popular press.

The University of Winnipeg is proud to present Dr. Lisa Sinclair with the Erica and Arnold Rogers Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship.

Dr. Kelly Gorkoff's student-centered teaching style has earned her the recognition and esteem of students and colleagues.

As Chair and Associate Professor in the Department of Criminal Justice, Dr. Gorkoff's scholarly interests include social theory, particularly critical political economy and feminist theory. Her research includes public inquiries, social determinants of homicide, systems of sex work, and community mobilization.

Dr. Gorkoff was instrumental in developing the theoretical core of the department. She believes that critical thinkers make a stronger and more progressive society.

Her teaching excellence lies in her commitment in ensuring students discover and develop their intellectual potential



BA (Hons)

Shae Torres is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts (Hons) degree in Psychology.

The 23-year-old chose UWinnipeg in 2018 because of the small class sizes and access to world-class faculty members.

"I liked how intimate and small it was, and it felt like a nice transition from high school," Torres said. "I feel like I got to know my classmates and my professors really well because of that, so I'm super grateful."

As part of the psychology honours program's hands-on learning placement, Torres volunteered at New Directions, an organization supporting individuals living with a disability. In her free time, she also volunteered with Special Olympics Manitoba.

The COVID-19 pandemic meant Torres did most of her learning online. She, nevertheless, formed tight connections with her honours cohort.

"We all started making group chats online and I feel like we became really close that way," she said. "We would meet on Zoom after classes and work on things together."

Her academic path was influenced by a second-year course on sex and gender taught by Dr. Lisa Sinclair.

"Ever since that class, I just became really, really interested in social psychology, and I kept taking her classes and eventually asked her to be my thesis advisor," Torres said. "She's been such a great research mentor for me and motivated me to pursue psychology all the way."

Torres plans to pursue a master's degree abroad and then return to Canada for a PhD in social psychology. In the meantime, she has begun a one-year term as the Canadian Wildlife Federation's equity, diversity, and inclusion coordinator.

"Diversity and social justice are something I'm really passionate about," Torres said. "I thought this would be a good transition to the professional world and a chance to put the things I learned into practice."

Torres' advice to her fellow students is to "soak it all in" and practice self-care.

"It does seem hard in the moment, but it's all worth it. I think you'll look back and realize those were some of the funnest times of your life."

Simon DePasquale grew up with a love for the outdoors and, in particular, fish and fishing. That passion has trickled into his studies where his love of fish and science meet.

A member of the Upper Mohawk band, Six Nations of the Grand River Territory, DePasquale has excelled at every level of his studies and is now pursuing research with a goal to protect and manage



Teaching of the Star Blanket

Across many Indigenous Nations, the foundational understanding is that we are all related. This understanding includes our relationship to all beings everywhere – and to all things, from the earth to the sky and beyond. In this understanding, we are beings that come from the stars and our relationship extends to this dimension. The teachings and gifts of the Star Blanket extend from this understanding.

The teaching of the Star Blanket is different across nations. Though the purpose remains the same, it is a healing modality.

From the Ojibwe comes the story of a young baby that had an incurable illness. Her family took her to a medicine woman, who after four days was given the teaching to make a Star Blanket and wrap the little one in it. It was the star people that would do the healing. After four days of ceremony, the little girl was unwrapped.

From the Dakota comes the teaching that the blanket represents the star that we come from, and to be wrapped in the blanket reconnects to our original home and a place of safety.

From the Cree comes a similar teaching, though the points of the star are different.

Today, the Star Blanket is often used as a gift of honour and recognition of relationships. How honourable it is indeed to be given a gift that reconnects the recipient to the spirit of all things.



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Our campus is a place of inclusion and the diversity of our student population is a tremendous strength. While some of our students grew up around the corner, others come from First Nations and Treaty areas across Manitoba, from provinces across Canada, and from communities around the globe. They have come here to learn and grow – and we are proud to help them prepare for a bright future and get ready to make their mark on the world.

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Altona, Manitoba	Coral Harbour, Nunavut	Hetauda, Nepal
Ambadimala, Kerala	Cross Lake, Manitoba	Ho Chi Minh, Vietnam
Arborg, Manitoba	Damascus, Syria	Holland, Manitoba
Arnes, Manitoba	Dauphin, Manitoba	Hollow Water First Nation
Ashern, Manitoba	Davao City, Philippines	Horndean, Manitoba
Baglung, Nepal	Delhi, India	Ile Des Chene First Nation
Balagtas, Philippines	Dhaka, Bangladesh	
Balmoral, Manitoba	Duluth, Minnesota	
Banff, Alberta	East Selkirk, Manitoba	
Barrie, Ontario	East St. Paul, Manitoba	
Batangas, Philippines	Edmonton, Alberta	
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Beijing, China	Faridabad, India	
Belair, Manitoba	Fisher River Cree Nation	
Berens River First Nation	Fort McMurray, Alberta	
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Birch River, Manitoba	Gabiskigamaag, Treaty One	
Blumenort, Manitoba	Garson, Manitoba	
Brandon, Manitoba	Ghaziabad, India	
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Mumbai, India	Quezon City, Philippines	Steinbach, Manitoba
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Narol, Manitoba	Rathwell, Manitoba	Sunnyside, Manitoba
Navin, Manitoba	Red Deer, Alberta	Surat, India
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Regina, Saskatchewan	Surrey, British Columbia
Niverville, Manitoba	Richer, Manitoba	Taraba state, Nigeria
Norway House Cree Nation	Rosser, Manitoba	Tbilisi, Georgia
Oak Bluff, Manitoba	Saint Paul, Minnesota	Tegucigalpa, Honduras
Oakbank, Manitoba	Sanford, Manitoba	Thompson, Manitoba
Oakville, Manitoba	Selkirk, Manitoba	Thunder Bay, Ontario
Ottawa, Ontario	Sharjah, United Arab Emirates	Toronto, Ontario
Patiala, India	Sherwood Park, Alberta	Treaty One Territory
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Penticton, British Columbia	Snowflake, Manitoba	Tyndall, Manitoba
Petawawa, Ontario	South Carolina, United States	Ukraine
Phnom Penh, Cambodia	St. Adolphe, Manitoba	Ba Ria-Vung Tau, Vietnam
Pierceland, Saskatchewan	St. Andrews, Manitoba	Virden, Manitoba
Pilot Mound, Manitoba	St. Francois Xavier, Manitoba	Vita, Manitoba
Pinawa, Manitoba	St. Malo, Manitoba	West St. Paul, Manitoba
Pinaymootang First Nation		Winkler, Manitoba
Pine Falls, Manitoba		Winnipeg, Manitoba
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