The One Hundred and Twenty-Fourth

Convocation Celebration

JUNE 13 & 14, 2024







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Duckworth Centre





Messages to the Graduands

From the Chancellor

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!

Barb Gamey

Chancellor

The University of Winnipeg

From the President

Congratulations Graduands!

Convocation is a special time for our University community and an important opportunity to celebrate your academic success.

During your time at The University of Winnipeg, you have developed critical-thinking skills, experienced the value of diverse viewpoints, and gained knowledge and skills to help you contribute to a better society.

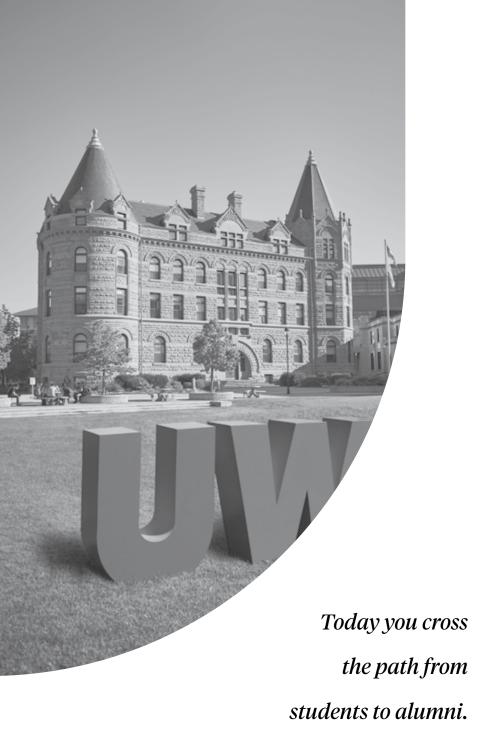
Whether you are continuing your studies or pursuing your career, I know you will become leaders in your communities. Your voices are important to the future of our province, country, and world.

On behalf of the Board of Regents and our entire University of Winnipeg community, I extend our sincere congratulations.

Todd A. Mondor, BA (Honours), MA, PhD

President and Vice-Chancellor The University of Winnipeg

/A Man



From the Alumni Association

Congratulations to the Class of 2024!

As each of you crosses the stage and receives your degree here today, it is my sincere pleasure to warmly welcome you as the newest members of The University of Winnipeg Alumni Association.

I would like to also recognize the members of your communities who helped you reach this milestone - those who provided you with strength, support, and inspiration each step of the way. They are an important part of your story and share in the celebration of your success.

Today, you may also be thinking about saying goodbye - to familiar faces, everyday routines, and your favorite places on campus. As alumni, however, you will always be an important part of this University community.

I studied Education at the University and played Wesmen basketball. I recently retired from a 41-year career as a teacher and administrator, and I now volunteer with the Wesmen as an assistant coach and tutor. This community has been an important part of my life, and I hope that each of you will find your own meaningful ways to stay connected to UWinnipeg.

Our vibrant Alumni Association offers a variety of opportunities for networking, personal and professional development, and contributing to the life of the University. Some ways to get involved include joining our online UWinnipeg Connect community, volunteering, and attending lectures and special events. As a member of the Alumni Association, you will always be welcome here.

Sincerely.

Brent Corrigan

President

The University of Winnipeg Alumni Association



Order of **Proceedings**

One Hundred and Twenty-Fourth Convocation Thursday, June 13, 2024 – 9:30 a.m.

Arts

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

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National Anthem

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Welcome Song

Nina Assiniboine Tyson Henry

Opening of Ceremony and President's Address

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

Chancellor's Greeting and Conferring of Honorary Degree

Barb Gamey | Chancellor

Honorary Doctorate of Letters

Hon. Patricia Bovey, BA, LL.D, DCL, FRSA, FCMA, FDFS Presented by Tracy Whalen, BA (Hons), MA, PhD

Address to the Graduands

Hon. Patricia Bovey, BA, LL.D, DCL, FRSA, FCMA, FDFS

Professor Emerita

Peggy Day, BA (Hons), MA, MTS, PhD Presented by Mark Ruml, BA, MA, PhD

Additional Awards

Presented by Pavlina Radia, BA, MA, PhD | Provost and Vice-President Academic

Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence

Ross Stokke, BS (Hons), MSc, PhD

Stars of Spence Street Prize

Stephanie Rozzi, BA

Admission to Degrees in Arts

Conferred by Chancellor Barb Gamey

Master of Arts

Master of Arts (Joint University of Manitoba)

Master of Public Administration (Joint University of Manitoba)

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Bachelor of Arts (4-Year)

Bachelor of Arts

Valedictory Address

Ava Stokke, BA

Alumni Council Message

Brent Corrigan, BEd, MA | Alumni Council President

Closing Annotations

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Master of Arts

Bukola Omolade Ajayi-Afuwape

Kohinur Aktar

Diana Rose Cowley

Janae Sophia Dandewich*

Dina Dehghanasl*

Maria Belen Gallegos Espinel

Niamh Siobhan Griffin

Donalin Guo

Patrick John Harney

Dana Blue Hickson*

Julie Ann Sandra Hiebert*

Julia Christeen Lafreniere Shaghayegh Mashhadi

Anna Marjorie Neil

Valentine Onyekachukwu Nwafor

Kevin Andrew Parsons

Prashant Rao

Stephen Donald Macphail Rose*

Master of Arts (Joint University of Manitoba)

Maria Camila Cortes Bailey Joseph James Rostek

Sophie Josephine Sickert

Hung Hao Yu

Master of Public Administration (Joint University of Manitoba)

Courtney Jean Patricia Amos

Laura Jeanne Asher

Leigh Anne Caron Carolina Chang

Jessica Mary Drakul

Hermon Gidev

Kasia Helena Kieloch

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Tia Haider Alsaidi

Sara Elizabeth Anderson

Bhavya Arora

Damilola David Ashaju

Carly Rae Bach

Daniel Jake Alipio Bagang

Anika Elizabeth Grace Binding*

Froilan John Glenn Boo

Alice Joy Britton

Michael Christopher Brown

Michayla Carlson

Alannah Collins

Kaitlynn Marie Couto

Jacob Bradley Cramer

Jacob Day

Amelia Elise Deitzer-Dicks

Bohdan William Dyck

Caley Lisette Dyck*

Cassidy MacKenzie Elliott

Allana Bicomong Entrada*

Joshua Charles Wells Farrell

Lori Marjorie Grenier

Kyle Jordan Harper Tiffany Hildebrand

Meghan Damara Hodgins

Joshua Josiah Holmes A Court

Ryna Marlena Humniski Drew Jean Kennedy Lily Grace Kyle

Hannah Amy Maendel Jenna Nicole McGregor Tessa Kathleen Cairns McLeod

Marina Ruby Milne

Kate Helen Mary Moulden

Andrea Nickel
Azra James Park
Sara Patricia Pelland
Alyssa Janelle Penner
Aubrey Peregrino
Alexander Patrick Perron
Alexandra Milette Peters

Jeremy Gil Pikel* Kyle Rathgaber Ethan Isaac Redekop Navneet Kaur Rehal

Bachelor of Arts (4-Year)

Daniel Joseph Adam* Tessa Rose Adamski Michael Oluwadolapo Ajayi

Sidona Alem

Abdimalik Abdikarim Ali

Lisa Anundee*

Karla Ellanhelle De Guzman-Atanacio

Stella Maria Santos Atienza Nimotalahi Adesewa Badmus* Matthew David Boivin

Jennifer Breckman Nicholas Paul Cantafio Paul Alexander Casar Phoenix Castel

Hasana Kami Church*

Maesha Wanjiku Costa-Githongo

Daryl Czarnecki*

Liam Chandler Power Reid Eve Isabella Ross Moore

Olivia Sanderson Koila Rose Sawatsky Sara Kathleen Sawatsky Lexi Laird Schroeder

Benjamin David Schroeder Hubert

Abigail Lee Schwartz
Claire Patricia Sedgwick
Sarah Eileen Seroy*
Calista Monique St. Hilaire
Catriona Ann Collings Swan
Adam Anastasios Swanson*
Colton Reece Van Gerwen
Victoria Isabella Wanczyk
Edward Philip Wiens

Grace Molly Jayne Wightman*

Miranda Beth Wilbur Lucas William Yakemow

Keith Winslee Dela Pena* Megan Elizabeth Dudeck Meagan Lillian Dutka Talia Lee Elfenbein*

Saveja Ellison

Geri Anne Constantino Fidelino

Precious Joi Gauthier Jensen Marie Glover

Lyndsay Addison Shaw Green Jordyn Kathleen Griffin* Everett Peter Guenther* Caelan Charles Jaiminee Haley

Joseph Abraham Harren Julia Taylor Hayes

Cassandra Stephanie Herr* Harrison Konrad Hnatiuk* Robyn Gayle Jackson

Alaina Nicole Jacobsen

Chloe Mackenzie James-Davies Catherine Gabriella Johnson

Obedi Kabuha* Ashley Sarah Kaoukis Hadas Kempner*

Leslie Wyane Tom Kirkness Matthew Alexander Korchak Kirsten Rebecca Kruse

Morgan Renee Kuhl Olivier La Roche

Rebecca Grace Laurel Lambert Dylan Christian Lumanta-Simon Kaylin Alicia Malcolm-Flett William Ian Markham Alyssa Danielle McDonald

Hugh Neil McLean

Veronica Pearl Rodrigues Melanson Sindy Maholy Milla Pineda*

Rielle Elisabeth Miller

Elizabeth Velma Joan Mitchell Anika Stella Mulholland Quynh Anh Nguyen* Delaney Patricia Nickerson* Amy Marie Nitychoruk*

Olufikayo Iyinyeoluwa Olatunde

Priye Samuel Olungwe* Sahara Pandey Kaitlyn Leah Patterson Rie Janine Penner Emma Jade Porter

Devan Tyler Prive* Maraya Raduha*

Jessica Ransby* James Henry Ray

Jade Rose Richardson Chelsea Mei-Lai Rohatensky

Aldin Sabic

Frenchy Rose Anonuevo Saligumba*

Jazlyne Saromo

Charlie Susana Stuart Sharp

Daniel Shayan*

Erin Stranger

Zuri Rose de Lima Smelsky-Remillard

Rachel Abigail Smith* Reese Noelle St. Pierre Clifford Allen Stornel

Abby Nicole Swanton Aerron Mhartin Ian Tan

Zophia Margaret David Tiongson

Hannah Nicole Tod* Matthew Alan Toews Kaitlin Kathleen Tomcko

Jaspreet Uppal*

Amy Ilene Voloshanovskiy Taryn Ann Warnock Ashley Katherine Wiebe Desirae Brooklyn Wilde Kaitlyn Marli Ruth Wishnowski

Bachelor of Arts

Rachille Abaga Yahia Abdelrahman Alyssa Grace Abellera* Kehinde Adeola Adefisayo Ademide Victoria Ade-Ogunade* Joseph Duncan Parker Aiello* Maria-Christina Aiello Ayorinde Akinfolarin Victoria Margaret Antsanen Ahmad Al Hajj Hassan Mary Jean Alagao Rose Eva Albert

Payton Brooke Allan Alicia Desiree Alphonso

Christian Johan Gonzales Andal Sheldon Douglas Anderson

Sarah Jean Victoria Anderson

Kwaku Andoh Ian Matthew Arcand* Zeline Archibong*

Alexis Emmaline Arnold

Isha Arora Chett Zachary Au Summer Awais

Jeffrey Chimaraoge Awazie Chalene Marie Axcell

Wenjia Bao*

Sky Mitchell Barkman Sean Alan Barkwell Zarreen Barlas Shristi Baruwal

Christopher Chase Beach-Ducharme

Jamie Bear

Brittany Isabella Beauchamp Cole Brannon Taylor Besant*

Tia Verena Betzing

Aidan Lawson Billard Dooley* Bjorn Jacob Bjornson Cynthia Eva Ruth Black Bea Christine Nabong Bodino

Odette Neala Bonifacio

Sage Ogichitaa Boulanger-Mcleod*

Reese Braden* Harleen Kaur Brar* Emily Sarah Breton

Aidan Paul Brodeur-Engstrom Madison Patricia Brown*

Isabella Shanti Bryer*

Jazlynn Audrey May Buchanan

Lauren Julianne Buss

Aimee Cadorath

Denise Ira Morales Cal Ortiz

Cheryl Calitis

Taylor Beverley Campbell Vanessa Lauren Campbell Amelia Jane Decock Carlson Courtney Anne Carmichael Victoria Madison Carmichael Dominique Consuelo Carrière

Yuri Gabrielle Cauyan

Simran Chahal

Matthew Stephen Chartrand Lazarus Okwudili Chigbo* Crimson Dawn Childs Gilda Costa Chvaicer Meagan-Leigh Irene Clark Ainsley Clemente-Martin Amy Lorraine Coffman Marli Galiya Cohen Gabriel Mackenzie Cole

Ty Zachary Cook*

Spencer Donald Coppens Kendra Mackenzie Cottick

Jessica Marie Coy Tristan Michael Crivea* Mercedes Arieanna Crutchley

Haley Ann-Nita Cvar

Chantalle Andrea Dandeneau Janelle Nicole Darragh* Noah Thomas Davidson Rebecca Michaella Perez Daylo

Roberta Lynne Delyea Garett Desire Paul Depape Dhyani Samirbhai Desai Jaspreet Singh Dhaliwal* Romanpreet Singh Dhaliwal

Darian Auraea Degroot *

Diksha

Lorenzo Wenceslao Dimson

Alexa Dawn Dittberner

Josef Lee Doell

Lissandra Maria D'Ottavio

Ariel Eileen Doyle Abigail Faith Driedger Chloe Reece Driedger Madeline Renae Drolet Liam Daniel Drummond* Michaela Renae Dueck

Emma Marie Catherine Dias Dutiaume

Sylvia Ebi Egede Patricia Eisma

Sarah Svea Maria Emms Shane Michael English Sarah Helen Enns Kassie Brooke Erickson

Meghan Helena Marianne Fast Jayda Meghan Fedorowich

Lesli Erin Fenner Lucas Jamison Filbert

Maria Fiore
Nicole Lynn Flett*
Jennifer Mary Foidart
Raegan Rose Foster
Sarah Anna Franceschetti*
Kendal Marie Franchuk
Abigail Tatum Friesen
Gianna Luciel Joy Froese*
Brooke Markevich*

Elliott Joshua Alfranje Gaillard Shannon Elizabeth Ganter Kaitlyn Theresa Garvie Ashley Ròsphyynä Gawne Olorunferanmi Pearl Gbadamosi

Peter James Geary Jada Taylor Gibbons

Kurt Daniel Joseph Godfredsen*

Gemma Paige Gower

Johnathan Luis Medeiros Gravito*

Danica Elizabeth Grierson

Alyssa Amy Groth

Dakotah Willard Guiboche Karissa Ashley Gunnarson* Odelynn Anie Gutierrez Keely Mary Elizabeth Haight A'aia Maysa Haji Hussein Chantel Danielle Hamilton

Tatyana Handel Rheanna Lynn Hardy Andi Lauren Hawthorn* Vanessa Lynn Henry Tamara Jean Herselman

Jayden Skyler Dayle Hildebrand*

Carolina Nicole Hofman

Alex Hong

Mary Elizabeth Horst Rudi Piper Hough Morgan Lore Hoversten Adrian Boris Hrybinsky* Jessica Roslyn Hrymack Hannah Grace Huebner

Marina Hughes Kaylen May Hughes* Cordon Michaela Inkster Emily Jean Jones Isaac Tiffany Marlene Jackson*

Chris Japit*

Diamond Cleopatra Johnny Nicholas Michael Rocco Johnson* Laina Rose Cordelia Judge

Jaskanwal Kaur Richard Farati Kayenga Liz Keeper-Garson Lita Rosezanna Kehler Hailey Marie Kehler

Hannah Kehler* Justin David Kelly

Adil Khan

Jason Matthew King Jason Laurie Kirkland Max Andrew Kisil Sydney Jean Kitching Allison Emily Klinck Priya Sari Kolu*

Jaden Lee Koshelanyk-Penwarden

Toviel Hesed Kosmin-Rose

Jade Krahn

Cameron Michael Krall

Jana Kran*

Chloe Suzanne Kreitz Hailee Marie Kristjanson Maryssa Adri Laarveld Breanna Rae Laggo

Nurchen Lama

Bryson Jules Ross Lamoureux

Nikki Lee Ann Lavallee

Zane Lavallee* Daniel Booker Lee Sarah Leo Piché Niamh Leonard

Matthew Allan Lesperance*

Olivia Sue-Ann Katherine Elaine Letkeman

Grace Rebecca Lindblom

Kanen Ling

Logan Ariel Loeppky
Sierra Marquerite Loiselle*

Piper Lee Lussier

Lourdes Angella Macaraig Wynona Keo MacDougall* Jordan Elizabeth Mackey Gabrielle Nicole MacLellan

Meyer Mann Leanne Mapue* Ronell Maquimot Rachel Rudy Marchuk Janica Geneviève Marion Mary Elisabeth Grace Marlatt

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Errol Mckay Twyla Lee McKay

Chyanne Hope Theresa McLean Christopher Emile Melnyk

Brianne Marie Mills

Evelyn Rozannah Moghaddam Helena Mohammad Lou Kennedy Lee Molloy Jordan Lee Monney Kyle Dean George Mroz Nicole Rae Muise-Ebata Phoenix Paulette Murphy

Muskan

Bruce El Thomas Muswagon

Jenna Maria Myskiw Anastanzia Mshai Mzee

Randall Flex Camama Natividad Netanis Margaret Mary Neepin*

Sarah Karina Nelson

Brieanna Eryn Hope Nenka*

Haley Marie Ness* Nathan Philip Neufeld Emily Breanne Neufeld* Destany Kianna Thuy Ngo

Dylan Edwin Nicol

Faith Raya Melodie Nienhuis

Jenna Lea Nolan*

Oreoluwa Omodolapo Odutayo* John Chukwuyem Ofuokwu

Oluwatamilore Oluwasikemi Oke

Barakat I. Olatunii - Azeez* Ashton David Maxwell Olin

Urjee Salahadin Omar Amanda Dawn O'Neill

Maguire Katherine Orlikow Justina Adenike Oyeleye

Patricia Maros Panganiban Reynalyn Eve Paragas* Sheridan Paton*

Ian Drew Pentland Reanne Talia Poirier

Clarence Riel Opina Ponce

Makayden Joy Prayag Katrina Joy Preza

Kaleb Harrison Prociuk Natasha Joy Purificacion*

Sydney Erin Puttenham Gaila Gail Valerio Puyaoan

Joseph William Radawetz Jillian Ashley-Anne Radford

Jayelyn Deborah Rae Arshneet Kaur Randhawa* Precious Chijindum Ray* Roan Claudette Regan

Vanessa Lucinda Moreira Rego Royan Erykah-Lynne Reimer Owen Theodore Rerick

Samantha Lea Riach* Kennedy McKee Riehl

Riva*

Ivanna Ximena Romero Urbina Mae Ann Catacutan Roque*

Kayte Esguerra Rosales

Alexandria Joy Ruta

Alexandra Gabrielle Sabatini

Diya Mariam Saji Komalpreet Sangha* Theodore Joy Santos*

Kaitlin Avery Thida Saythavy Jada Hope Schellenberg* Egan Paul Schellenberg* India Marie Schlegel Kailey Rebecca Schroeder Danielle Yomdin Schwartz

Jordan Scott Vivian Rose Scott

Joyclyn Montana Marie Semko

Lauren Kristine Senden Joel Jae Deluso Serrano

Dona Shaii*

Maya Faith Sharpe Faiza Binte Shawkat Viktoriya Shpak*

Zachary William Shrupka* Sukhpalvir Kaur Sidhu Navdeep Sidhu*

Stephen Lee Thomas Simard *

Anushka Singh-Ghosh Harmanvir Singh Karanpartap Singh Jayme Skene

Kym Arthur Thompso Soke April Danielle Spence Jordan Riley Spornitz

Rohit Srinath Ian William St John Annabelle Sta. Brigida

AJ Trevor Staniscia

Augustus Xavier Stearns

Justin Aquiles Labossiere Stecher

Autumn Rosa Dawn Steininger

Charlotte Trudy Anne Stevens

Noel Robert Stevenson

Ava Mary Stokke

Kendra Lee Stuart

Jeremy T Stubbs

Valerie Studler

Lydia Sturby

Benjamin Mark Szewczyk

Julia Elizabeth Tan

Adrianna Serenity Elizabeth Tavares

Mersadie Jade Thiessen*

Arielle Meadow A Thring

Zachary Darren Toews

Bronson Spencer Toews

Meagan Trowell

Guillaume Tshilombo Ilunga*

Jane Valentine Tully

Brooklyn Molly Tylipski

Matthew Daniel Tymko

Karissa Grace Unger

Jadin Dawn Unik

Zachary Unruh

Favour Adedayo Uzoh

James Alexander Valle

Emma Maria Kay van der Kroon

Kendra Vander Graaf - Harrison

Mariana Vargas Osorno*

Sarah Lena Victor Dit Vouillon*

Invir Kaur Virdi*

Najma Wadi Bailey Jai Wall*

Ashton Jenaya Wallack*

Shannon Fay Ward

Ryan Thomas Wark

Brittany Catherine Watson*

Peter Edward Weinberger

Matilda Rose West

Corinne Whiteway

Lovissa Maria Wiens

Michaela Sylvia Mary Wilbon

Mikhaila Hope Alexandra Wills

Ziyi Yan

Paige Alexandra Yasinsky

Autumn Jade Yee

Cassandra Mary Yestrau

Ziqi Yin

Fatima Ieman Zeid

Yuner Zhang*

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^{**} Also listed previously under respective degrees



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Science, Business and Economics

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Welcome and President's Address

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Barb Gamey | Chancellor

Honorary Doctorate of Laws

Dan Thomas, Elder in Residence Presented by Mark Ruml, BA, MA, PhD

Address to the Graduands

Dan Thomas, Elder in Residence

Professor Emerita

Xiao-Yuan Dong, BA, MA, PhD Presented by Soham Baksi, BSc, MA, PhD

Additional Awards

Presented by Pavlina Radia, BA, MA, PhD | Provost and Vice-President Academic

The Erica and Arnold Rogers Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship

Christopher Wiebe, BSc, MSc, PhD

Admission to Degrees in Science, Business and Economics

Conferred by Chancellor Barb Gamey

Master of Science

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Bachelor of Science (4-Year)

Bachelor of Science

Master of Arts in Economics

Bachelor of Business Administration (4-Year)

Bachelor of Business Administration

Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Economics

Bachelor of Arts (4-Year) in Economics/Economics and Finance

Bachelor of Arts in Economics

Valedictory Address

Damilola Ashaju, BA (Hons)

Alumni Council Message

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Master of Science

Sahilkumar Kantibhai Ahir Samiha Mirza Daniel Murray Applin* Colin Scott Murray Giulio Navarroli* Lambert Wilson Baiden Sophia Rose Brown* Nooshin Noshiri*

Carolina Flacchi* Jenisha Hareshkumar Patel Rushil Goomer* Madelynn Marie Perry* Maureen Hanlon Yijia Qu

Joe Mladen Hrzich Sumeet Kaur Gurvinder Singh Saund

Shayla May Jackson* Connor Ian Watson Savage

Ramandeep Kaur Amanpreet Singh* Apoorv Anil Ketkar Prashant Sonwani*

Dhwani Nitinkumar Thakkar* Ilya Kisselev* Rasagnya Reddy Kondam Caleb Harley Stephen Wong

Arun Korula Mani*

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Jessica Brittani Lecours Natasha Tianna Broughton* Irene Stephanie Chan Sarah Elizabeth Milne Austin Leigh Chapdelaine* Aidan Myska Thomas Paul Czyzowicz* Nicholas Myron Nenych

Kathryn Falkenberg Xavier Gilles Michaelangelo Paquette

Emma Grace Friesen Cameron Rev-Dubois Izabella Vera Samborski Arshjot Singh Ghuman

Alina Sanina Noorpreet Singh Gill * Kendra Rosemary Hancock* Natan Skladnik

Victoria Cassandra Steele Graeme Dean Henrickson* Sarah Ellen Thomson Que Loan Huynh

Dai Dai Vo Joanna Ohunene Johnson-Audu Grace Ellen Wallace* Liam Kristjanson

Nora Eszter Kroeger Maxwell Arthur Orchard Wiebe Shailee Jitendrakumar Lad Gamuchirai Bianca Zinzombe*

Bachelor of Science (4-Year)

Favour Anuoluwapo Abajesude

Leah Sibhat Aidiu

Rebecca Lee Sophia Arnold

Hayley Nicole Arpin

Antonio Axalan

Miguel Thaddeus Calingasan Babao

Kylie Madison Bednarski-Nott

Cameron Patrick Bouchard

Kulvir Kaur Brar

Madison Mae Burke*

Thomas Butler

Nicole Taylor Capri*

Ann Jherene Coronado Cartano

Tailynn TD Dang

Christopher Deacon

Lois Gabriel Dela Cruz

Melonie Erin Einarson*

Fionnlugh Jack Forbes

Oscar Emilio Gallegos Rosales

Rubeena Gosal

Paul Mitchell Grubiak*

Liam Gander Guenther

Ashley Rain Haché Rimmer

Jenna Leigh Hayes*

Madisson Steven Patrick Howanyk

Allen Gregory Jamieson

Daksh Raj Jhanji

Prabhkiran Kaur

Rotem Keynan

Taylor Elizabeth Kidd

Jessica Taylor Knight

Jaymin Rameshbhai Kothiya

Julia Kusal

Landon Riel Dayrett Joseph Lecog

Noah Ashton Lewicki

Crystal Lotecki

Jodie Susan Macfarlane

Colton Don Ben Macht*

Gillian Elizabeth Jane Martens

Ashley Lynn Matyszewski*

Abe Isaac Aglibot Melendres*

Taylor Shanley Mitchell*

Abigail Leanne Mondor

Fallon Katherine Moreau*

Alize Souriphone Sayapheth Morris

Brody Richard Oberdorfer

Angie Anabel Ortiz Toledo*

Larissa Mia Pagdato

Jaykumar Jagdishbhai Patel

Madelin Pineau

John Ernest Samson Quilnet

Kaleighamber Ramos

Jagdeep Singh Rathour Usmaan Ahmed Sahar

W A Shadman

John Kyle Medalla Siat

Sukhpalvir Kaur Sidhu

Sandra Beata Skorupski

Adrianna Nadine Strempler

Portia Halle Switzer Persson

Portia Alanis Topnik Indigo Faith Wiebe

Yasmin Yanovski*

Brayden Andrew Lee Yarish

Cody Jackson Mel Zaporzan*

Madisyn Zarrillo

Xiao Zhang

Bachelor of Science

Chaim Gamaliel Abad*

Sumaiya Abas

Islam Hesham Mamdouh Mahmoud

Ahmed*

Maria Alice Aimal* Chandia Amoko Muskan Anand* Hunter Shelby Gamache Yuvraj Arora* Glydelle Gerona Garcia* Stuti Arora Isra Arunkiet

Izzat Ali

Tapendra B C*

Matthew James Babiuk Jonathan Bright Baidoo Jan-Daryl Ortiz Bantug* Arianna Raisa Barczak Aditya Barman

Bianca Mariz Lacanilao Bayona

Eve Brianne Benne* Jashan Singh Bhelae Austin Mackenzie Borgford Jasmine Eve Bosshart

Taryn Brandt

Sydney Colleen Breckman-Antony Samuel Isaac Shenkarow Brown

Purab Heera Budhwani Enva Nia Bukvic

Mackenzie Cicely Busch

Angelica Jolene Verona Camagay Anureet Kaur Chahal

Parteek Singh Cheema Jasmine Chhabra* Shreeya Chhetri Jacob Peter Choptain

Edrian Chua

Simret Kaur Dhaliwal Prabsimar Singh Dorka* Brendan John Hugh Duffy Loulwa Jamal El-Nachar Tasnimul Farabe* Seamus Joseph Fogarty Abbey Elizabeth Galvez

James Matthew Duerksen

Caitlyn Joy Garcia Precious Joi Gauthier

Matarr Gave

Mackenzie Gerald Franciscus Gevers

Janik Giesbrecht Jashanpreet Kaur Gill* Shehnaz Kaur Gill* Avneet Kaur Gill Navjot Gill

Morley Davis Baldwin Glew

Kaynat

Raghav Grover* Corinne Angela Guico Kirtpreet Kaur Gurna Kanchan Gurung Quinn Aliya Hamilton Tanisha Hans Grace Emily Harding

Florian Bryant Anton Alex Haskerkehrer*

Raquel Jade Hayward-Melo

Martina Hoang* Dallas Verene Hyatt

Aminah Ajifa Adegbe Ibrahim

Ardita Ibrahimai Sarah Beth Jacobsohn

Zeal Jani

Bishnu Prasad Kafle* Amritpal Kainth Manjot Kaur Kalirauna

Dhriti Katoch Ramanpreet Kaur* Gurkiran Kaur* Harleen Kaur Jasmeen Kaur* Jaismeen Kaur

Jasmine Kaur Jeevandeep Kaur* Mankomaldeep Kaur

Paramjeet Kaur* Shubhdeep Kaur Niki Keikhosro Kiani Nageshver Singh Khaira*

Taher Khan

Vandan Kaushikbhai Khunt Lindsey Lorraine Constance Knox

Gurleen Kaur Kular* Ayush Kumar Lorilei Carolyn Lage Quynh Anh Lam Erin Lee Lazic

Tomer Levi Avshalom Keenan Larry Lewis Aimable Lugumire Shea Richard Lyle Jaideep Singh Makkar

Djaleen Pelegrina Malabonga

Puneeta Mayer*
Carly Laura McMillan
Jay Patryck Mendoza
Sourav Moudgill*
Ira Narula

Nicholas William Naumoff Quinn Lorine Sarah Rudd Anmol Rajvir Singh Osahan

Anjana Pambumkattil Jeevanandhan Oghenerukevwe Favour Panama

Viny Vijaykumar Panchal*

Riley Alden Parada Leitao* Divya Sanjaykumar Patel

Drashtiben Kamleshkumar Patel

Khushali Shailesh Patel Vatsal Rajendrakumar Patel* Molly Wiseman Perlmutter Ian James Petrowski Justin Rae Pineda

William Tommaso Racano

Aina Hazel Ramos

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Master of Arts in Applied Economics**

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Bachelor of Arts (Honours) in Economics**

Damilola David Ashaju Azra James Park

Bachelor of Arts (4-Year) in Economics**

Hasana Kami Church*

Quynh Anh Nguyen*

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Nimotalahi Adesewa Badmus* Devan Tyler Prive* Matthew David Boivin

Bachelor of Arts in Economics **

Zeline Archibong* Joseph William Radawetz Simran Chahal Anushka Singh-Ghosh Haley Marie Ness* John Chukwuyem Ofuokwu

Bachelor of Business Administration (4-Year)

Sukhreet Kaur Ahluwalia Tiffany Romeo Baraniuk* Isabella Marie Teixeira Amorim* Eula Grace Lapira Bernardo Paul Denzel Perez Arbis Rohit Surai Bhadsavale Nhyira Owusua Asare* Clyde Alvin Branzuela

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Rachel Michaela Viado Dela Cruz

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Sarah Ann George*

Justin Francesco Antonio Greco Lady Ellaine Espiritu Gumafelix

Marriam Hamid* Avush Jain Eunbeen Jang Jenna Caitlin Kalinski*

Zain Khawaia

Duncan Jameson Joseph King

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Ana Celina Daleon Zaballero*

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Sabrina Mae Burnell

Maria Mhinela Cajucom* Karl Steven Godov Catilo Simran Kaur Chahal

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Austin Tanner Crew

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Marchelle Sharon Feeke

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One Hundred and Twenty-Fouth Convocation Friday, June 14, 2024 – 9:30 a.m.

Education, Kinesiology, Physical and Health Education, Marriage and Family Therapy

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

Order of Proceedings

Friday, June 14, 2024 | 9:30 a.m.

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Entrance of Student Graduands

The audience is requested to rise for the procession.

Sons of the Drum

Entrance of the Academic Procession

Alina Havrylyuk Pianist

National Anthem

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

Welcome Song

Nina Assiniboine Tyson Henry

Greetings from the Province of Manitoba

Hon. Renée Cable, BA | Minister of Advanced Education and Training

Welcome and President's Address

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

Chancellor Greeting and Conferring of Honorary Degree

Barb Gamey | Chancellor

Honorary Doctorate of Laws

John Smyth, BA, BSW, MSW Presented by Mavis Reimer, BA, MA, PhD

Address to the Graduands

John Smyth, BA, BSW, MSW

Professor Emeritus

James Christie, BTh, MDiv, MA, DMin Presented by Harry Strub, BA, MA, PhD

Distinguished Alumni Award

Victor Pruden, BA Presented by Pavlina Radia, BA, MA, PhD

Admission to Degrees in Education, Kinesiology, Theology, Physical and Health Education, Marriage and Family Therapy

Conferred by Chancellor Barb Gamey

Master of Marriage and Family Therapy
Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Education
Bachelor of Education
Bachelor of Arts (3-Year) in Developmental Studies
Bachelor of Kinesiology (Honours)
Bachelor of Kinesiology (4-Year)
Bachelor of Science (4-Year) in Kinesiology
Bachelor of Physical and Health Education

Valedictory Address

Indigo Wiebe, BSc

Alumni Council Message

Brent Corrigan, BEd, MA | Alumni Council President

Closing of Ceremony

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

Retirement of the Procession

Alina Havrylyuk Pianist

An informal reception will be held immediately following the ceremony on Marsha Hanen Way (Riddell Hall in the event of rain).



Master of Marriage and Family Therapy

Jodi Lynne Dyck

Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Education

Tamara Elizabeth Ann Spencer Abraham*

Julie Elizabeth Barr

Raini Barrett

Vanessa Lynn Bartlett*

Kirstin Nicole Bilous*

Dana Nicole Binder

Aditi Brar

Dulce Viegas Candeias Creighton

Léona Celine De Rosa Stefan Doerksen

Mariam Estafanos*

Allyson Joy Fedak

Clark Alexander Forsyth

Sarah Elizabeth Anne Friesen-Maguet

Dawn Joanne Marie Gautron Lucas Gerald Giesbrecht

Bailey Anne Gillies

Susanna Vieira Gomes Manpreet Kaur Grewal*

Lindsey Nicole Griffin

Megan Anne Henaire

Tanya Marie Henry

Kelly Dawn Hrabliuk*

Melanie Dawn Johnson

Sandeep Kaur

Shawn Nicholas Lyman Kozarchuk

Hailey Anne Kupiak

Ying Qi Li

Carly Melissa Marquardson

Kristine Anne Moss

Catalina Murillo Vivas*

Laryssa Ann-Margaret Dawn Penner

Crystal Dawn Pruden

Morgan Leanna Mason

Satvir Kaur Purba*

Micielle Salinas*

Deepti Shree*

Neal Smith-Windsor Amanda Jade Sokoliuk

Kendall Dawn Tomyk

Kari-Ann Marie White

Keri Jean Yackel

Bachelor of Education

Rachille Abaga

Maria-Christina Aiello

Meyar Abdullah

Payton Brooke Allan

Christian Johan Gonzales Andal

Sarah Jean Victoria Anderson

Kwaku Andoh

Ige Boluwaji Ariyo

Sheshana Alexia Arjoon

Alexis Emmaline Arnold

Chett Zachary Au

Dhriti Badhwar

Sean Alan Barkwell

Joshua Acatzin Basman Monterrubio

Bianca Mariz Bayona

Cooper Emmerson Bendor-Samuel

Austin Taylor Benevides

Calahan Donnelly Bettig* Bjorn Jacob Bjornson

Cynthia Eva Ruth Black

Bea Christine Nabong Bodino

Hannah Elvera Boov

Reese Braden

Alexandra Lauren Bridges*

Lyndzee Blaire Broughton Kira Veronica Lee Brown

Lisa Marie Bruce Haille Skye Bujan Taylor Camilla Burke

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Cheryl Calitis

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Meagan-Leigh Irene Clark Ainsley Clemente-Martin

Noah William Cnockaert-Ducharme

Eva Josephine Coates Sofia Costantini Jasmine Melissa Coutu Jessica Marie Coy Katherine Marie Cribbs Mercedes Arieanna Crutchley

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Caitlyn Joy Garcia

Pooja Garg

River Darren Garson-Abas

Nicholas Geldart Jada Taylor Gibbons George Earl Gibson Janik Giesbrecht

Sydney Abigail Godbout

Katarina De Lurdes Basto Gomes

Alyssa Amy Groth

Jennifer Tomoko Guenther Corinne Angela Guico Hannah Marie Gussakovsky Odelynn Anie Gutierrez Keely Mary Elizabeth Haight Chantel Danielle Hamilton Quinn Aliya Hamilton Rheanna Lynn Hardy

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Samantha Michelle Howell

Christopher Kenneth Hientzsch Howell

Hannah Grace Huebner Marina Hughes

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Sajani Joykutty Shelby Anastasia Juer Emma Lynne Agnes Julius Ivan Mykola Kinasevych* Jason Matthew King

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Sydney Jean Kitching Kristin Susanne Klyne

Jade Krahn

Nathan Dale W Krahn Chloe Suzanne Kreitz Breanna Rae Laggo Quvnh Anh Lam

Kyle Alexander Lamont Signy Alda Lamont

Meaghan Michelle Lavack

Daniel Booker Lee

Olivia Sue-Ann Katherine Elaine Letkeman

Nicholas Jack Arthur Pet Lewis

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Curtis Mingkwan Ngo Quinn Lorine Sarah Rudd

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Amanda Dawn O'Neill

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Shaelynne Rae Denise Proulx William Tommaso Racano Hailev Phoenix Ravne

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Robert Devyn Samuel Turner

Karissa Grace Unger Zachary Unruh

Dorin Patricia Valkyrie

Emma Maria Kay van der Kroon

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Raven Ashley Rickner Zacharias

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Nathan James Kiazyk Tori Smith

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Carter Daniel Mac Becker Subaig Singh Brar Madison Rose Brown Sasheen Cameron

Daniele Francesco Cisternino

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Erica Jean Forsyth* Lauren Gray Khris Jacobs Kyle Dane Jensen

Taryn Kendra Raabe

Marile Drew Abareles Malabanan

Amanda Jade Marin Hanna Rae Marshall* Seth Zachary Micosa Carson William Ouellette* Nicole Emily Gonçalves Pacheco Sydney Veronica Plante

Alexander Leo Benecki Salterio Jared Nathan San Juan*

Navjot Kaur Sandhu Kurt Matthew Victoria Santos Marienn Gabrielle Saria Christian Nelson Joseph Savard

Eden Faith Scherger

Harman Singh

Hamish Robert Srinathan* Kirsten Kavlvn Stobert Brayden Darryl Robert Sul Drake Alexander Thiessen Courtney Rose Thiessen Olivia Grace Thompson Miguel John Pacheco Valente Christine Nichole Zimmerman*

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Thomas Butler

Lois Gabriel Dela Cruz

Oscar Emilio Gallegos Rosales

Madisson Steven Patrick Howanyk Taylor Elizabeth Kidd

Jodie Susan Macfarlane Larissa Mia Pagdato Indigo Faith Wiebe

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Dilpreet Kaur Komalpreet Kaur* Satvir Kaur Bryn Kirby

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Academic Dress

Academic dress originated in medieval times to provide warmth in the damp halls of learning. In its present form, it includes a gown, hood (worn over the shoulders) and, a cap or mortarboard. All universities have distinctive dress for each degree offered, which explains the variety seen in the academic procession.

The University of Winnipeg academic dress conforms to the North American Intercollegiate Code. All graduates wear a black gown, which varies according to the degree conferred. The bachelor's gown is worn closed in front and is distinguished by its pointed sleeves. The master's gown is designed to be worn either open or closed in front and has closed sleeves with an opening to free the hands. The front portion of the sleeve below the opening has a long semicircular cut-out. Doctorate gowns also may be worn open or closed. They are faced with velvet.

The edging colour on the hood indicates the faculty in which a degree is conferred: Graduate Studies – red; Science – gold; Education – blue; Arts – white; Business and Economics – brown; Kinesiology and Applied Health – green.

The width of edging is determined by the degree: three inches for doctors; two for masters and bachelors. Hoods are lined in red with a white chevron.

Honorary doctors' gowns are red in colour and are faced with white velvet. They are worn with red Tudor bonnets. The hood colour signifies the honorary degree: white for Laws; golden yellow for Science; admiralty blue for Letters; purple for Divinity. Hoods are lined in red and white – The University of Winnipeg colours. Fellows wear a gown of blue with neither hat nor hood. Members of the University's senior administration wear gowns of varying colours. They do not wear hoods.



Indigenous Graduation Stoles

Destiny Seymour is an Anishinaabe interior designer who is creating her own textiles that are reviving local Indigenous pottery and bone tool patterns from Manitoba. These ancient patterns have been dated from 400 to over 3,000 years old. Indigo Arrows is a company founded by Destiny that turns these textiles into modern home goods.

Destiny was approached to design custom graduation stoles for the Indigenous graduating students of The University of Winnipeg.

Each linen stole is handmade and block printed in Winnipeg. The pattern design is inspired by the repeated and delicate pattern stamping found on local Indigenous pottery, with colours reflecting The University of Winnipeg.



The University of Winnipeg Coat of Arms

The Coat of Arms of The University of Winnipeg was officially adopted by the governing bodies of The University during the academic session of 1972-73. The elements found within the Coat of Arms have been associated over the years with both Manitoba and Wesley Colleges, the ancestors of United College. The bunch of grapes in the lower portion of the inner shield derives from the Coat of Arms of Manitoba College. The grape symbol has its origin in the College seal adopted in the charter of 1871. The cross, the lamp, and the open book derive from the Coat of Arms of Wesley College, designed in 1897 by Dr. J.H. Riddell. The cross – the symbol of sacrificial service in the interest of humanity – was the basis for his design and upon it he placed a shield – the symbol of protection. The lamp – the symbol of light – also represents learning, to which the Colleges have been devoted for over a century in the Province of Manitoba. The open book – representing instruction in the way of life and the bringing of understanding to the student – symbolizes knowledge in a general sense, although it may carry overtones of the Holy Scriptures in a more limited interpretation.

The motto, placed upon a scroll below, is the United College motto. here retained: Lux et Veritas Floreant (Let Light and Truth Flourish). The words catch the central import of the lamp (light) and the open book (truth), and express the hope that both may flourish (as the grape) in our country (the cross).



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.









Award Recipients

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Adrian Boris Hrybinsky

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) East Asian Languages and Culture

Aerron Mhartin Ian Tan

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) East Asian Languages and Culture

Aidan Lawson Billard Dooley

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Theatre and Film

Alvssa Danielle McDonald

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

Anika Elizabeth Grace Binding

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Theatre and Film

Anne Mary Lukev Neudorf

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Theatre and Film - Dance

Ava Stokke

Valedictorian Faculty of Arts

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Arts (3-Year)

Bailev Jai Wall

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Business and Economics (3-Year)

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

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

Bilguundari Enkhtugs

The Governor General's Gold Medal

Caley Lisette Dyck

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) History of Art

Cassidy Josephine Drabyk

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

Chalene Marie Axcell

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

Chantalle Andrea Dandeneau

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

Chloe Anastasia Heinrichs

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) International **Development Studies**

Colton Reece Van Gerwen

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Classics

Corey Mikhael Diamond-Burchuk

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

Courtney Anne Carmichael

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

Crimson Dawn Childs

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Environmental Studies and Sciences

Damilola Ashaju

Valedictorian
Faculty of Business
and Economics

OT Anderson Award

Danica Elizabeth Grierson

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

Danielle Yomdin Schwartz

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

Dominique Consuelo Carriere

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

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

Drew Jean Kennedy

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Environmental Studies and Sciences

Edward Philip Wiens

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) English

Ethan Isaac Redekop

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Philosophy

Gabriela Garcia Ortiz

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Theatre and Film - Dance

Gianna Luciel Joy Froese

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

Gilda Costa Chvaicer

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

Hannah Kehler

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Women's and Gender Studies

Ian Drew Pentland

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Religion and Culture

Ian William St John

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

Jensen Marie Glover

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) Rhetoric and Communications

Jessica Roslyn Hrymack

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Rhetoric and Communications

Joshua Evan Davison

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

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

Julia Wall

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

Award Recipients

Kate Helen Mary Moulden

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) History

Kira Elianna Altomare

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

Kirsten Rebecca Kruse

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

Koila Rose Sawatsky

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Psychology

Liam Chandler Power Reid

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Political Science

Lily Grace Kyle

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Criminal Justice

Luke R Downey

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

Lyndsay Addison Shaw Green

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

Maraya Raduha

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) Modern Languages and Literatures

Marina Ruby Milne

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Classics

Matthew

Alexander Korchak

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

Meagan Lillian Dutka

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

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

Melanie Claudette San Filippo

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Anthropology

Mercedes

Arieanna Crutchlev

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

Michael Christopher Brown

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Geography

Miranda Beth Wilbur

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) French Studies

Olivier La Roche

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

Robyn Gayle Jackson

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) Environmental Studies and Sciences

Ryan Thomas Wark

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

Sara Kathleen Sawatsky

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Sociology

Sarah Eileen Seroy

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Rhetoric and Communications

Sydel Leppan

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

A'aia Maysa Haji-Hussein

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

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

Aashish Tako

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (3-Year) Applied Computer Science

Abhishek Singh

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

Adrianna

Nadine Strempler

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

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

The Mayor's Medal

Antonio Miguel Axalan

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

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

Damilola Ashaju

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Economics

Derek Michael Mathez

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Business and Economics (4-Year)

Emma Friesen

The Stars of Spence Street Award

Gillian Elizabeth

Jane Martens

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

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

Graeme Dean Henrickson

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Mathematics

Jai Naryan Sareen

The Governor General's Silver Medal

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

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

Award Recipients

Jashan Singh Bhelae

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

Jessica Leigh Dyck

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Business and Economics (4-Year)

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) Business and Administration

Kiera Marlene Martin-Shimoji

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

Liam Kristjanson

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Applied Computer Science

Mingjia Liu

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

Navjot Gill

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

Nora Eszter Kroeger

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Biology

Portia Halle Switzer

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

Rubeena Gosal

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

Samuel Brown

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

Sarah Beth Jacobsohn

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

Sarah Elizabeth Milne

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Neuroscience

Sarah Ellen Thomson

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Tapendra B C

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

Thomas Paul Czyzowicz

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Mathematics

Xiao Zhang

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (4-Year) Applied Computer Science

Alexandra Rae Betts Skwarchuk

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Education

Emily Jean Copp

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

Evan Barry Rogers

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

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

Indigo Wiebe

Valedictorian Faculty of Kinesiology and Applied Health

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

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

Jasvir Dhaliwal

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

Katrina Joy Preza

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

Kylie Maria Salazar

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

Gold Medal for Achievement in a Major (Honours) Kinesiology

Matthew Thomas Rudy Roy

University Silver Medal for the Second Highest Standing in Kinesiology (3-Year)

Nicole Denae Reimer

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

Sarah Helen Enns

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

Sofia Costantini

Chancellor's Gold Medal for the Highest Standing in Education

Sydney Abigail Godbout

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





Ross Stokke

PhD, MSc, BSc (Hons)

Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence

Dr. Ross Stokke has taught university mathematics for over 20 years. He teaches some of the most difficult courses and gets glowing student reviews - with nearly one hundred per cent satisfactory ratings on all his student evaluations of teaching.

His expert teaching methods and passion for the subject help make math accessible and enjoyable to all. He dedicates a tremendous amount of time to creating a positive, enriching, and effective learning experience for students. He has supervised many postdocs, graduate students, and undergraduate research assistants, with whom he has published several papers.

Ross's leadership and initiative have improved the student programming in the Department of Mathematics and Statistics.

He played a major role in the creation of an open-access online pre-calculus review workshop for introductory calculus courses.

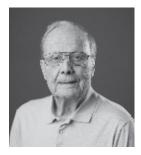
During his stint as department chair, and as chair of his department's curriculum committee, he helped develop several courses, one of which helps prepare students for challenging upper-level

theoretical math courses.

In the wider community, Ross is vice-president of the non-profit Archimedes Math Schools, which offers low-cost, after-school math lessons for children. He developed many of their math resources, which focus on math skills and enrichment activities. Each year, he delivers math-interest lessons on topics that include the four-colour theorem and the notion of infinity.

He has also participated in other math-related initiatives, such as the Math Readiness Workshops at the Wii Chiiwaakanak Learning Centre, the Kangaroo Math Contest, and the Manitoba Schools Science Symposium.

For his demonstrated excellence in teaching, The University of Winnipeg is proud to honour Dr. Ross Stokke with the Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence.



Victor Pruden

Bachelor of Arts (BA)

Distinguished Alumni Award

Victor Pruden's illustrious career in basketball spans over 60 years, many of which directly impacted students, players, and coaches in the University of Winnipeg athletic program.

Vic's coaching career began in 1953. He made history in 1966 when he transitioned to university level basketball and started the first intercollegiate men's program at United College; later becoming The University of Winnipeg in 1967.

In 1967, Vic founded the Golden Boy Tournament, a groundbreaking university invitational tournament that would eventually become the Wesmen Classic. To date, the Wesmen Classic is the longest running UWinnipeg sporting tradition. In 1972, Vic started the varsity women's basketball program at the University of Winnipeg.

More than just a basketball coach, Vic was a life coach for the students and athletes. He believed that education should include both academics and athletics, and it was this that guided his career.

Described as an innovator and leader, in 1968, Vic was part of a group of coaches who founded the Manitoba Basketball Coaches Association, which he was named the first president.

He was instrumental in planning and coordinating the Basketball Hall of Fame and Museum, now at the Duckworth Centre at the University of Winnipeg. Vic was inducted into this same Hall of Fame as a Builder in 1994.

For building, growing and solidifying the game of basketball in Manitoba, The University of Winnipeg Alumni Association is proud to honour Victor Pruden with the Distinguished Alumni Award.



Christopher Wiebe

PhD. MSc. BSc.

The Erica and Arnold Rogers Award for **Excellence in Research and Scholarship**

Dr. Christopher Wiebe is a quantum material scientist who began his university career at The University of Winnipeg with a BSc in Physics and Chemistry. He returned to UWinnipeg in 2009 as a Professor of Chemistry, and has since become one of the most accomplished members of the Chemistry department.

Chris has an impressive research and teaching career and an international reputation in physical chemistry, neutron scattering, and complex magnetism. He is recognized globally for his leadership in crystal growth, crystallography, and bulk property measurements.

He has over sixty million dollars in research funding to date, including an NSERC Discovery Grant and a one million-dollar CFI grant. He also became a Tier II Canada Research Chair in Quantum Materials Discovery.

Many of the materials that Dr. Wiebe designs in his laboratory have profound technological applications. One of his research specialties - high temperature superconductivity - has the potential to change the world, much like the silicon revolution did.

Chris has produced over 130 publications in top-quality journals. He was a Leverhulme Visiting Professor at the University of Edinburgh, a Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry, and a Fellow of the Quantum Materials division of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research

Chris built a research program at UWinnipeg with a number of exceptional students. His mentorship is commendable and has led to many successful research careers.

For demonstrated excellence in research and scholarship, The University of Winnipeg is proud to honour Dr. Christopher Wiebe with The Erica and Arnold Rogers Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship.



John Smyth

Honorary Doctor of Laws

John Smyth helped advance mental health services to the immigrant and refugee communities in Canada.

He was a social worker, family therapist, and mental health clinician for 26 years before becoming Executive Director of Aurora Family Therapy Centre at the University in 2011.

Over the following decade, under John's leadership, the centre quadrupled its staff and grew its operating budget sixfold.

John recognized Aurora needed to serve the mental-health needs of refugee newcomers to Manitoba. During his directorship, the centre served 20,000 people, 7,000 of whom were refugees.

John oversaw Aurora's Dove of Peace Program, which provides a trauma-informed understanding of the settlement experiences of newcomers who have left behind mass violence. The federal government selected the program—the only one of its kind in Canada—to triage all newcomers to Winnipeg whose settlement pathway is affected by trauma.

He was the principal author and driving force in the creation of the Newcomer Collaborative Community Mental Health Service, which is a collaboration of community, community-based agencies, and the formal mental health system

designed to engage and provide service to newcomers with moderate to severe post-traumatic stress disorder.

John became the go-to expert on refugee trauma treatment in Canada by creating a space for and collaboration with people who have not been listened to in the past. He understands newcomers contribute valuable insight into the conditions for their own well-being. He believed community needs far exceeded any single agency or service and required collaboration to have a chance at success and make a difference in the life of so many people.

In 2016, he was one of four Canadians accepted into the acclaimed Certificate in Global Mental Health: Trauma and Recovery at Harvard.

Gentleness and humility continue to characterize John's personal style.
Staff at Aurora have told him he has Ubuntu, an African philosophy of love and care in community, which loosely translates as, "I am because you are."

For developing groundbreaking mentalhealth programs and services for refugees and immigrants, and for his decades-long commitment to empowering marginalized and traumatized people, The University of Winnipeg is proud to bestow an Honorary Doctor of Laws on John Smyth.



Hon. Patricia Bovey

LL.D, DCL, FRSA, FCMA, FDFS

Honorary Doctor of Letters

For over 50 years, Dr. Patricia Boyev has elevated and refined our understanding of Canadian art as a museologist, professor, art historian, gallery director, curator, mentor, and Senator.

Patricia's connection to the University began in the mid-1970s, when she was hired as its first art curator. She built an art collection that enhanced our campus, and taught some of the first art history courses here.

She later established the graduate program in Curatorial Practices-the first art-oriented Master of Arts program in Manitoba-and taught in it too, mentoring dozens of emerging curators who now lead cultural institutions across Canada.

She was Curator of the Winnipeg Art Gallery, and Director of both the Art Gallery of Greater Victoria and the Winnipeg Art Gallery. She also founded and directed the Buhler Gallery in St. Boniface Hospital, the first such gallery of its kind in Canada.

From 2016 to 2023, she served in the Senate of Canada, where she was instrumental in installing the first works of Black Canadian artists in the Red Chamber.

Patricia is also an esteemed author whose expertise is sought after from Scandinavia to Japan. In her public lectures and parliamentary addresses, she showed how art-especially art that presents difficult truths-is central to reconciliation.

A champion of diversity in the arts, Patricia has also consistently given voice to societal issues, from climate change to the legacy of residential schools, and has famously pointed out that if we want to comprehend our history, our present, and our future, we must look to the work of visual artists

For establishing art history at UWinnipeg and for deep and abiding contributions to our appreciation of Canadian visual art, The University of Winnipeg is proud to bestow an Honorary Doctor of Letters on Patricia Bovey.



Dan Thomas

Elder in Residence

Honorary Doctor of Laws

Dan Thomas is an esteemed Anishinaabe Elder, Spiritual Leader, Knowledge Carrier, and Traditional Teacher whose work in education has made a generational difference in Manitoba.

Dan grew up on Matheson Island, just north of Hecla, and currently lives near Gull Lake. He has been an educator his entire life, starting his career as a middle school and high school teacher.

Since the 1970s, he has educated the educators, leading workshops on cultural awareness and how to integrate Indigenous perspectives into the school curriculum.

For 17 years, he was a consultant for Manitoba Education, authoring education documents for the province and First Nations. He also developed Treaty education resources for the Treaty Relations Commission of Manitoba.

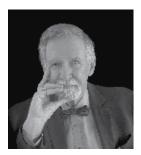
During his 14 years at the Manitoba First Nations Education Resource Centre, Dan developed many print and video resources about traditional teachings. For the past 12 years, he has been an instructor in the University's Masters in Development Practice Program, where he teaches the course "Indigenous Thought and Worldviews," a perennial student favourite. He also offers students many experiential learning opportunities.

The breadth of his knowledge, together with his warmth, good humour and patience make him an inspiring educator.

Dan is also a University Elder-in-Residence, providing traditional teachings, guest lectures, counselling, and guidance.

Dan possesses a profound knowledge of Anishinaabe traditional teachings and history. He is a fifth-degree Midewiwin who is known for his humility, kindness, generosity, and compassion. He is loved and respected by students, faculty, and staff, and by Indigenous people across Turtle Island.

For making foundational contributions to curriculum development in Manitoba, and for furthering Indigenous education at all levels, The University of Winnipeg is proud to bestow an Honorary Doctor of Laws on Dan Thomas.



James Christie BA, MA, MDiv, DMin

Professor Emeritus

Dr. Reverend James Christie has been an outstanding educator, researcher and mentor, inspiring students and colleagues through his passion for academia in the field of theology for over 30 years.

His research in conflict and peace studies and his drive for innovative discourse to theology and scholarship is patent. Christie's scholarly advocacy as a charismatic communicator for interfaith dialogue brought intellectual gravitas to his role as teacher and member of the community.

His years of service as an educator has consistently demonstrated a passion for teaching, academic excellence, and a genuine concern for his students' success that has left an indelible impression on generations of students and colleagues.

His devotion to his work and impact as Dean and professor in the Faculty of Theology, Acting Dean of Global College, and co-founder of the Ridd Institute, Religion and Global Policy, has resonated beyond the university campus.

His groundbreaking research as an editor, contributor, and peer reviewer in several prestigious journals, solidifies his reputation as a leading expert in dialogue theology and world ecumenism.

Christie has been an impetus behind major initiatives internationally, having served on faculties and boards on some of the most prestigious institutions engaging in peacebuilding activities globally.

Beyond his academic achievements. Christie has been an invaluable ambassador for UWinnipeg. His membership and service on various boards and committees earned him UWinnipeg's Clarence Atchison Award for Community Service in 2008. This includes serving the G8 Religious Leaders Summit, G20 Interfaith Forum Advisory Board, United Church of Canada, and Umunna Igbo Association of Manitoba.

UWinnipeg bestows upon Reverend James Christie the title of Professor Emeritus for his dedication, and contributions to teaching, research and scholarship, and community.



Peggy L. Day
BA, MA, MTS, PhD

Professor Emerita

Dr. Peggy L. Day has diligently served The University of Winnipeg for over three decades, as a scholar, teacher, and administrator. She is renowned for her brilliance and thoughtful engagements in her field of study and for her administrative acumen

She completed her PhD in Ancient Near Eastern Languages and Civilization at Harvard University in 1986, and was one of the first scholars to engage in feminist historical study of the Hebrew Bible/Old Testament, in what remains a heavily male-dominated field.

She went on to make an impressive contribution with her academic productivity and numerous publications, while teaching in her primary field of expertise, the Hebrew Bible.

Her most recent research examines primary and secondary material on the internees of the World War II Japanese POW and internment camp at Batu Lintang, in present-day Malaysian Borneo.

As a teacher, Dr. Day has made an ineradicable impression upon generations of students, including several who went on to do graduate work as a result of her mentoring. Dr. Day was also equally dedicated to mentoring and supporting junior academics in the department.

As Chair of the Department of Religion and Culture for over 15 years, she was an ardent champion for the department who led changing the shape of the curriculum, and made significant contributions to university governance.

The University of Winnipeg honours Dr. Peggy L. Day with the title of Professor Emerita for her continued intellectual and scholarly engagement, which has earned admiration and collegial respect.



Stephanie Rozzi

Diploma in Human Resources and Management PACE, BA (Geography)

Stars of Spence Street Prize

Stephanie Rozzi has worked with thousands of students at The University of Winnipeg, and has offered her time, care, and creativity with each one

Her career has included contributions in several areas of Student Services, but her main focus has been academic advising and recognition of prior learning for adult learners. Stephanie has served this important group of students with diligence and dedication for twenty years.

She has been an advocate and guide for adult learners. She takes great interest in our students, great care for their welfare. and great pride in their accomplishments.

Stephanie organizes, hosts and facilitates the annual Adult Learner Orientation at the start of each fall term, where she shares knowledge, builds connections, and arranges for speakers to share important information, relevant to the unique experiences of adult learners.

She consistently demonstrates a remarkable blend of empathy and leadership, fostering a supportive and inclusive environment for both students and staff. She trains new staff in Academic and Career Services and helps new colleagues in their roles.

Stephanie has been recognized for her contributions to The University of Winnipeg's PLAR policies, and is a tireless advocate for Military PLAR candidates.

She quietly pursues the vision of making a university education fully accessible to adult learners and those who are looking to be recognized by the University for what they already know and do.

For her long and dedicated service, her passion for student learning, and her demonstrated commitment to supporting our students in achieving their educational goals, The University of Winnipeg is proud to honour Stephanie Rozzi with the Stars of Spence Street Prize.



Xiao-Yuan Dong

BA, MA, PhD

Professor Emerita

Since arriving at UWinnipeg in 1993, Xiao-Yuan Dong established herself as a leading internationally reputed expert on China's economic transformation and its gender implications. Dong, by example, has furthered the status of women in the field of economics while mentoring others.

Her work lays down important empirical foundations for understanding how China's economy developed since the mid-twentieth century, affecting men and women differently. Her work has helped promote gender responsive policy-making in China.

Over the last two decades, she has made it her mission to mentor young Chinese female economists through the Chinese Women Economists Research Training Program at the China Centre for Economic Research, a program she co-founded with her colleague Zhao Yaohui of Peking University.

Their program has contributed to improving research capacity for Chinese female economists, raising their visibility, and has created new generations of female economists in China

Her commitment to gender equality includes an undergraduate course she created on gender and the economy and a chapter on gender issues for a graduate-level course at UWinnipeg, all while she actively participated in its governance.

Her equity work was recognized by the Canadian Women Economics Committee which honored Dong with the Sylvia Ostry Award for furthering the status of women in economics through achievement and mentorship.

Dong is a widely cited, highly accomplished researcher.
She has published 93 journal articles, book chapters, and policy reports.
Her research had been funded by The Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada, International Development Research Centre, and the Ford Foundation, to list a few. Her research has earned her UWinnipeg's Erica and Arnold Rogers Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship in 2006.

For Dong's excellence in research, teaching, and service over her distinguished career, and for advancing economics for women across continents, UWinnipeg bestows upon her the title of Professor Emerita.



Ava Stokke Bachelor of Arts in Mathematics and English

Valedictorian

Ava chose to study at The University of Winnipeg because of its small class sizes, but also because of its reputation as an excellent liberal arts university. Since she was uncertain about what degree she wanted to pursue, it was important the university had the flexibility of choosing an arts or science degree.

She is graduating with a Bachelor of Arts in mathematics and English. These areas of study are not commonly taken together; however, Ava believes the principles behind each area can often overlap.

During her studies, Ava received prestigious scholarships in both mathematics and English. In 2022, Ava received the Peter Pauls Scholarship in English, and in 2023, she received the Dr. Jessie Blackwood Lang Scholarship from the Department of Mathematics and Statistics

She won a highly competitive NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award which enabled her to participate in an undergraduate research project in mathematics. Her research project, Quadrature Rules Involving Derivatives, was conducted under the supervision of Dr. Matthew Wiersma.

In the fall, Ava will be attending the University of Manitoba Robson Hall Faculty of Law. "I am hoping the written communications skills I have fostered in my English degree, coupled with the llogical skills I have learned as a math major will be a great combination to help me prepare."

The University of Winnipeg is proud to honour Ava Stokke as valedictorian



Damilola AshajuBachelor of Arts (Hons) in Economics

Valedictorian

Damilola Ashaju chose to pursue his studies at The University of Winnipeg because of its strong reputation in academics and supportive community atmosphere.

Damilola initially leaned towards studying Applied Computer Science, but with an open mind, he explored various subjects including Macroeconomics and Microeconomics. Instantly, he found a passion.

Given Damilola's interest in the field, he took all the Finance courses offered at UWinnipeg including BUS/ECON 4800 and 4801. Damilola even completed level one of the Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Program, scoring above the 90th percentile in the exam, which is unusual for a student at his stage.

He served the Finance and Economics Students' Association (FESA), first as its Vice-President (Academic Services) in 2022-23, and then as its President in 2023-24. During his final term as a student assistant at the Faculty of Business and Economics, he helped lay the groundwork for launching the inaugural student-managed investment fund.

Even following COVID when student engagement declined, Damilola competed in external competitions including the CFA Research Challenge (2024), CFA Ethics Challenge (2023), JDC West Finance delegate (2023), and Bank of Canada Governor's Challenge (2021, 2024). He also served as a volunteer for Siloam Mission and United Way Winnipeg.

Damilola's believes it's important to embrace every opportunity for growth and exploration. "Keep an open mind and don't be afraid to explore different subjects and extracurriculars - that was how I found my passion for economics!" he said.

The University of Winnipeg is proud to honour Damilola Ashaju as valedictorian.



Indigo Wiebe

Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology

Valedictorian

Indigo Wiebe chose to study Kinesiology and Athletic Therapy because of her longstanding interest in sports and healthcare. As an athlete herself. she knew firsthand what it was like to recover from a sports-related injury with the help of a supportive, knowledgeable athletic therapist.

Growing up in southern Manitoba, Wiebe demonstrated leadership qualities from an early age. After finishing high school in Winkler-where she received a McDonald's Leadership Award from the Manitoba High Schools Athletic Association-she entered UWinnipeg looking for a sense of community.

"I wanted a place where I could walk down the halls and recognize my classmates, and show up to my professor's office and have a good conversation, not only about school, but also about life," she said.

Over the next four years, Wiebe distinguished herself through academics and through extra-curricular activities. She served as the Wesmen women's basketball team's student athletic therapist, coached high school and club volleyball, and volunteered at a local community centre.

She was a recipient of the Chuck Badcock Scholarship in Athletic Therapy, the Gord Mackie Scholarship in Athletic Therapy, and an Ongoing Education Support Award from the Winkler Community Foundation.

Wiebe's professors-among them Val Pelleck, Glen Bergeron, and Ben Trunzo-offered more than instruction and expertise, guiding Wiebe on a path to academic and career success.

Likewise, her classmates became like a second family to Wiebe, supporting her through long days of study. When Wiebe gets married next month, one of her classmates, Hayley Arpin, will be a bridesmaid. Fittingly, the two friends celebrated together on the final day of classes by popping a bottle of sparkling apple juice and dropping by faculty offices. After all that hard work, it was time for a toast

After graduation, Wiebe plans to work at a multi-disciplinary clinic in Winkler and pursue ongoing education.

"I'm not done with learning yet," she said. "There's so much more out there for me."

The University of Winnipeg is proud to honour Indigo Wiebe as valedictorian.



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A World of Diversity

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.

The University of Winnipeg's 124th Convocation includes graduates from:

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