



113th Convocation for the Conferring of Degrees and Certificates

Faculty of Social Sciences



Congratulations Class of 2023





History of Brock University

Opened in 1964, Brock University is named for Major-General Sir Isaac Brock, who died in battle at nearby Queenston Heights in the War of 1812. Brock's final words were said to have been "Push on, my brave fellows!" A Latin translation of this is "Surgite!" — which is Brock University's motto.

The seeds of the University were sown long before the doors first opened. Brock's story is about a community that rose up and built the institution it wanted for its future.

In the late 1950s, there was growing public discussion about how Niagara should have its own university. The grassroots sentiment became a movement in 1957 when the Allanburg Women's Institute asked the Ontario government to consider opening a university in the region.

By fall 1962, the Brock Founders Committee was incorporated. They received approval to create a new university, then developed an administrative and academic plan. Then they began raising money.

After years of meetings and fundraising, Brock opened in September 1964. It had 127 students in a refurbished refrigeration factory at the foot of the Niagara Escarpment in St. Catharines. In 1966, the landmark Brock Tower was completed, and Faculties began moving "up the hill" to the University's permanent home atop the Niagara Escarpment.

For the next 30 years, Brock sent thousands of graduates on to successful careers. It built a name for its personal quality of teaching afforded by attentive faculty and controlled class sizes. As the new millennium dawned, enrolment soared. Brock transformed from an undergraduate institute to a comprehensive University with flourishing research, graduate and doctoral programs.

The campus steadily expanded to keep pace with the demand for a Brock education with the construction of world-class research labs, a landmark fine arts complex, an international students' centre and a new research and innovation hub.

Brock serves its community as a cultural, academic and recreational centre, bringing excellent facilities to the people who created the University all those years ago. We are committed to building our community and fostering an environment that serves our students and our neighbours.

The modern university is the lineal descendant of the university of the Middle Ages. Its purposes and organization, even much of its ceremonial role, are medieval in origin.

Today's ceremony stems from the medieval tradition. The procession of the guild of teachers, whose solemn assembly, or Convocation, is the modern equivalent of the full congregation of all Faculties, is followed by the Chancellor and the Mace, the symbol of the University's corporate authority. The academic gowns, hoods and caps declare in their various designs and colours the academic qualifications of the faculty. The citations and presentations by the faculty to the Chancellor attest to the Chancellor and to society the degree of proficiency attained by the students of the University.

The Chancellor confers upon the students the appropriate degree. It is the act, not a certificate, which constitutes the validity of the degree bestowed. The statement "I admit you" and the placing of the students' hands within those of the Chancellor and his associates, bind the students to the University. They receive what the University has been and what it is today. The graduates are what the University hopes to be.



Ambearrister

An 'Ambearrister' was gifted to Brock University in 2020 by Dr. Cindy Blackstock, Director of First Nations Child and Family Caring Society (FNCFC). This bear, an extension of the 'Reconciliation Ambearrister' program, is an initiative and resource created by the Caring Society to address inequalities of Indigenous children, youth and families. Today, this program extends itself to uplift reconciliation efforts from all peoples, recognizing that if reconciliation is to take place it must reside within each and everyone. The program also acknowledges that reconciliation and "addressing discrimination takes love, honesty, compassion and a real commitment to helping others do the right thing" (FNCFC). Under the guidance of an Elder, Brock's 'Ambearrister' received their name: Entiohathé'te (It will be a bright road/path). Entiohathé'te is meant to help us move forward and do work that supports these words. More importantly, they encourage thought on how we can act on these words and make ideas and concepts surrounding reconciliation a reality at Brock University. Entiohathé'te will also be a gentle reminder for the University to commit to the Calls for Action offered by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission.

Entiohathé'te's has found a home in The Phyllis Webstad Library located in Hadiya'dagénhahs First Nations, Métis and Inuit Student Centre.

The University flag

Our flag is the Banner of Arms of the Grant of Arms to Brock University, granted on March 17, 1965. The main feature on the flag is a gold-winged eagle with the book of learning on its breast. Yellow and red are colours associated with academic institutions and the eagle was once thought to be the bird that flew the highest and was the wisest.

The top the flag includes the maple leaf, representing Canada; a trillium representing Ontario and a shell (escallop)-a symbol long associated with the Lincoln-Welland Regiment and the County of Welland. The flag, donated by the members of Brock's 1994 Quarter Century Club, stands on the stage for each Convocation ceremony and is flown daily on campus.

The University mace

Maces were originally specialized war clubs, made of metal or garnished with metal spikes used by knights or other warriors.

This functional weapon evolved into a symbolic emblem of legislative and civic authority used by cities and towns and, ultimately, by parliament. Many universities have decorated maces as symbols of their corporate identity and authority.

Brock was presented with its mace in 1992 as a gift from the people of the Bailiwick of Guernsey, the birthplace of Major-General Sir Isaac Brock.

It is made of sterling silver and incorporates the Guernsey seal; the University crest; a crown from the Constable's baton; flames of learning from the University's coat of arms, a maple leaf, scallop shell and Trillium flower, which are symbols of the University; and a button from the uniform of Brock's 49th regiment.

A warm welcome from Brock University's Aboriginal Education Council

We at Brock University would like to acknowledge and honour the ancestors of those on whose traditional lands we gather today. Brock University is located on the shared lands of the Original Peoples, which became known as the traditional beaver hunting grounds. The Aboriginal Education Council and Brock University have worked collaboratively to keep the importance of our shared history, friendship and future relationships in our minds and hearts.

We would like to recognize the successes of our Indigenous graduates and all those graduating today.



Beta Gamma Sigma

Beta Gamma Sigma is the honour society serving business programs accredited by AACSB International — the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business.

Membership in Beta Gamma Sigma is the highest recognition a business student anywhere in the world can receive in a business program accredited by AACSB International. Brock received accreditation to AACSB in 2003, joining top international business schools, and in 2004 was admitted into Beta Gamma Sigma.

Membership in this honours society is offered only to the best business and accounting students: undergraduates completing third year in the top 10 per cent of their class and graduates ranking in the top 10 per cent of their undergraduate programs or top 20 per cent of their master's program.

Campus Wide Co-Curriculum

The Campus-Wide Co-Curriculum is a program designed to enhance the Brock student experience through the completion of activities and opportunities within 10 different co-curricular domains.

By completing the Campus-Wide Co-Curriculum, a student has made a meaningful investment in their holistic development and has demonstrated a significant commitment to continuous learning and personal growth. Students who complete the program are eligible to be inducted into the Isaac Brock Insignia Circle, a distinguished society of current students and alumni who are highly engaged in the Brock experience. This distinction is acknowledged by a red cord worn by the graduand.



Academic regalia

Academic regalia at Convocation is steeped in tradition. All participants wear gowns, which are reminiscent of the robes worn by monks or clergy in medieval times. Hoods, worn draped over the shoulders and back, are derivatives of the simple coverings worn by people of all classes to keep their heads warm in an inhospitable climate.

The Chancellor's gown is made from aegean blue silk and trimmed with gold lace. It is worn with a round velvet cap with a gold tassel. The Vice-Chancellor's gown is similar, but trimmed with silver. The University coat-of-arms is embroidered on the front facing of each gown. Honorary doctors wear gowns made of blue material with gold facings down the front and on each sleeve.

Faculty members wear the academic regalia appropriate to their degrees. Most doctoral gowns are more than one colour and many have three horizontal bars of velvet on each sleeve. Hoods signify the degrees and institutions from which they were received. Since Brock has faculty who graduated from scores of different universities, the Convocation procession is dramatic and colourful.

Brock's graduates wear aegean blue gowns and, after being admitted to their degrees, don distinctive hoods which identify them as graduates of our University. Made of scarlet viyella, the hoods are lined with navy blue and gold material. Three bars of navy blue are set against the gold in a manner that suggests a dress uniform that might have been worn by General Brock.



The edge of each hood is trimmed with velvet in the appropriate colour for the degree:

- Doctor of Philosophy
Black with Red Chevrons and Red Velvet Trim
- Master of Accountancy - *Black with Red Trim*
- Master of Arts - *Red with White Trim*
- Master of Applied Disability Studies
Black with Yellow Trim
- Master of Applied Gerontology
Black with Apricot Trim
- Master of Business Administration
Black with Blue Trim
- Master of Business Economics - *Red with Tan Trim*
- Master of Divinity - *Red with Purple Trim*
- Master of Education - *Red with Light Blue Trim*
- Master of Professional Kinesiology
Black with Light Sage Green Trim
- Master of Public Health - *Red with Peach Trim*
- Master of Science - *Red with Golden Yellow Trim*
- Master of Sustainability - *Red with Blue Trim*
- Master of Theological Studies
Red with Royal Blue Trim
- Bachelor of Accounting
Red with Emerald Green Trim
- Bachelor of Applied Health - *Red with Cream Trim*
- Bachelor of Arts - *Red with White Trim*
- Bachelor of Business Administration
Red with Emerald Green Trim
- Bachelor of Business Economics
Red with Tan Trim
- Bachelor of Child Health - *Red with Pink Trim*
- Bachelor of Computing and Business
Red with Grey Flannel Trim
- Bachelor of Education - *Red with Light Blue Trim*
- Bachelor of Early Childhood Education
Red with Delmar Blue Trim
- Bachelor of Kinesiology
Black with Light Sage Green Trim
- Bachelor of Music - *Red with Pink Trim*
- Bachelor of Physical Education
Red with Olive Green Trim
- Bachelor of Public Health - *Red with Peach Trim*
- Bachelor of Recreation and Leisure Studies
Red with Sage Green Trim
- Bachelor of Science - *Red with Golden Yellow Trim*
- Bachelor of Science In Nursing
Black with Peach Trim
- Bachelor of Sport Management
Red With Loden Green Trim

Honour cords

Honour cords are worn by graduands meeting the following criteria:

Graduands who have completed a 20-credit honours program with first-class honours standing, which requires a minimum 80 per cent average in all major credits and a minimum of 70 per cent in the remaining credits. As well, a transfer student must have completed a minimum of five credits at Brock University, including all departmental honours requirements for Year 4 and have maintained a minimum 75 per cent overall average and a minimum 80 per cent major average (based on Brock courses only).

or:

Graduands who have completed the approved 15-credit pass degree or 20-credit non-honours degree with a minimum 80 per cent overall average. Transfer students require a minimum 80 per cent cumulative average in all Brock courses and a minimum 80 per cent overall average.



Message of congratulations



Hilary Pearson
Chancellor

Graduands, I congratulate each and every one of you.

Today is a joyful milestone in your life and in the lives of those who have supported you in your journey.

It wasn't an easy journey. A university degree is a hard-won accomplishment that you should be proud of. And you, the Class of 2023, had some especially hard challenges in your time here, as did the classes of 2021 and 2022. You had to live through the pandemic-imposed closure of campus and the need to work online, losing valued time in person with your classmates and teachers.

Nevertheless, you and your families persevered to arrive successfully at today's celebration. I applaud you all for your resilience and your drive.



Lesley Rigg
President and Vice-Chancellor

At Brock, we believe in the power of education to transform lives, to inspire innovation and to promote social justice and equity.

We are committed to fostering a culture of inclusivity, diversity and respect, where all members of our community can thrive and contribute to the greater good.

I hope you carry these values with you wherever life takes you after today.

You are part of a vibrant and supportive community of people who are always here to offer you guidance, support and encouragement.

No matter where life takes you, know that you can count on the support of your fellow Badgers to help you along the way. And of course, know that you are absolutely always welcome to come back home.

From all of us here at Brock, to the Class of 2023 – congratulations!



Mark Arthur
Chair, Board of Trustees

On behalf of the Board of Trustees, it gives me great pleasure to congratulate each of you upon your graduation from Brock University.

The past few years have been filled with adversity, hard work, incredible experiences and memories. During that time, you also have evolved and grown, and are now ready for new challenges.

Brock has provided you with the resources to succeed in your future endeavours and the lessons you learned have prepared you for a full and rewarding life and career. You have a degree from an outstanding University, and that provides you with a lifelong key to many opportunities.

Allow me to also welcome you to the fast-growing ranks of Brock alumni with more than 115,000 graduates. May the memories and knowledge you have gained at Brock University carry you forward and contribute to the communities of which you are a part.

We hope you keep in touch, share your experiences and visit when you are able.

Live your best life and change the world. Surgite!



Allie Hughes
President, Brock University
Alumni Association

In 1967, 39 graduating students received degrees at Brock's first Convocation ceremony. Today, you join more than 115,000 proud graduates who are willing to connect with you, mentor you and build a supportive community that advocates for our collective successes as a member of the Brock University Alumni Association (BUAA). The BUAA represents the interests of our expansive alumni community, creates opportunities to stay engaged with the Brock community and recognizes alumni achievements through our Recognition of Excellence programming. Congratulations on this remarkable accomplishment and welcome to the Brock alumni family.



Rakha Zabin
President, Graduate
Students' Association

As graduation ceremonies are set to begin, and you look to the next steps in your lives, reflect back on the connections that you have made that will not end with the ceremony, rather carry on. Your education is with you forever, informing your decisions and helping to forge your path. You are moving on with great anticipation and excitement. Best of luck on your new beginnings.

We are thrilled to be celebrating your graduation with you. Well done! YOU DID IT! As your Graduate Students' Association, we could not be prouder. Our wish for you is that life becomes all that you want it to be. Live life to the fullest and give it nothing but your best. I am so grateful and honoured to send you congratulations on behalf of Brock GSA, your Graduate Students' Association. You are a star in the making — shine on!



James Maxwell-Barillas
President, Brock University
Students' Union

As you embark on this new chapter in your life, I hope you remember not only the countless hours of hard work and dedication, but the forever friendships and memories you have made along the way. Today marks a remarkable milestone in your life, and is a testament to your hard work and dedication throughout your academic career. As you begin the next chapter of your life, remember your time here as a Badger and how it has equipped you with the tools to shape a bright future. Embrace new opportunities, follow your passions and continue to pursue excellence. Today, we celebrate you and your achievements. Congratulations Brock University 2023 graduates. The future is yours!

Awards in excellence



Deborah Rosati (BAdmin '84)
Founder and CEO,
Women Get On Board Inc.

Honorary Doctorate Recipient

Deborah Rosati, an award-winning corporate director and entrepreneur, has been defined in three interconnected ways throughout her 35-year career — as a corporate governance champion, catalyst for change and community builder.

As the founder and CEO of **Women Get On Board Inc.** (WGOB), an 850-member social-purpose company, Rosati is building a community of the next generation of women corporate directors, advancing equity, diversity and inclusion (EDI), collaboration, courage and confidence in the boardroom.

Rosati is a leading and serving corporate director and has chaired many public company audit committees and nominating and corporate governance committees. In addition, she has led and served on numerous special committees with various mandates (including going public, going private, mergers and acquisitions, restructuring and special investigations). Rosati's passion for good governance and board diversity is rooted in her board journey, when she was often the only woman in the boardroom. These first-hand experiences cemented her conviction that having more women on boards makes better business sense.

Rosati's commitment to sustainable change and empowerment, deep governance and financial expertise and dynamic personality has made her a sought-after thought leader and speaker. Her thought leadership on corporate governance, sustainability, EDI and social impact is profiled on her website: deborahrosati.ca



Jenn Harper
Founder and CEO, Cheekbone
Beauty Cosmetics INC.

Honorary Doctorate Recipient

Award-winning social entrepreneur Jenn Harper is the founder and CEO of Cheekbone Beauty Cosmetics INC., which aims to help every Indigenous person see and feel their value in the world while developing sustainable colour cosmetics that won't end up in a landfill.

An Anishinaabe woman and member of the Northwest Angle #33 First Nation in Kenora, Ont., Harper has struggled with accepting her Indigenous roots and was estranged from her Indigenous family for much of her life. After learning about her grandmother's experience in residential school, she came to understand how her family was affected by generational trauma.

Harper has been making a name for herself in the beauty industry for years but gained significant exposure after appearing on CBC's hit show **Dragon's Den** in 2019. She has since been featured as *Chatelaine's* **Woman of the Year in 2019**, and recognized in *Canadian Business's* **New Innovators List** and *Entrepreneur* magazine's **100 Women of Influence** list, both in 2022.

She continues to be deeply involved in all aspects of Cheekbone Beauty operations, including its ongoing commitment to people and the planet.

Cheekbone Beauty is available in 52 Sephora stores across Canada as a Sephora Clean and Planet Positive brand, and in 609 JCPenney stores across the U.S.

Giving back to the Indigenous community is critical to Cheekbone Beauty's mission. The company has contributed \$200,000 in product and monetary donations to organizations across North America, with no plans of slowing.



Kyle Dubas (BSM '07)
President of Hockey Operations,
Pittsburgh Penguins

Honorary Doctorate Recipient

Kyle Dubas (BSM '07) is in his first season as the President of Hockey Operations for the Pittsburgh Penguins after being named to the position on June 1, 2023. In his role, Dubas, 37, oversees all aspects of the Penguins' hockey operations department, including establishing the strategic vision and philosophy for the franchise.

Prior to joining the Penguins, Dubas spent the previous nine seasons as a member of the Toronto Maple Leafs organization, including the last five as general manager. At the time of his hiring in 2018, he became the second-youngest general manager in NHL history at age 32.

During Dubas' five seasons as general manager of the Maple Leafs, the team compiled a regular-season record of 221-109-42 with a .651 points percentage, ranking fifth in the league in wins and points percentage. Three of the five best regular seasons in Maple Leafs history by wins and points percentage came under his tenure (2018-19, '21-22 and '22-23).

The organization qualified for the Stanley Cup playoffs each year during his tenure, and in 2022-23, Dubas guided the Maple Leafs to their first playoff series victory since the 2003-04 campaign.

The Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., native and Brock University Sport Management graduate originally joined the Maple Leafs organization as an assistant general manager in 2014.

Prior to joining Toronto, Dubas served as general manager of his hometown Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds of the Ontario Hockey League for three seasons from 2011-14.

Dubas and his wife, Shannon, have two children, Leo and Lennon.



Erin Panda
Assistant Professor,
Child and Youth Studies

Faculty Award for Excellence in Teaching

Erin Panda is an Assistant Professor in the Department of Child and Youth Studies (CHYS) at Brock University and co-director of the CHYS Developmental Neuroscience Lab. There, she conducts educational neuroscience research from two angles. From a basic science perspective, she studies how the brain responds while we read, listen to speech and regulate our attention and how these responses relate to what we know, how we feel and how we learn. From an applied perspective, she works with local school boards to evaluate how implementing evidence-based reading intervention improves learning outcomes for children who once struggled with reading. As an educator of future educators and (mental) health professionals, Panda sees teaching as an integral part of her knowledge mobilization work. Her goal is to provide the next generation of professionals with the knowledge and skills so they may be sensitive to children's diverse learning and mental health needs and have the tools to build evidence-based scaffolds that will lead all children to their next developmental stage.

Order of proceedings

Morning Ceremony

Chancellor

Hilary Pearson

Board of Trustees

Gary Comerford

Chair Of Senate

Don Cyr

Mace Bearer

Rosemary Condillac

President and Vice-Chancellor

Lesley Rigg

Marshall of Convocation, University Registrar & Associate Vice-President, Enrolment Services

Geraldine Jones

Bedels

Tim Murphy

Michelle Webber

Public Orators

Elyse Lappano

April-Dawn Blackwell

Convocation Co-ordinators

Tricia MacDonald

Amelia McIntyre

Sarah Sager

Sandy Howe

Ceremony Associates

Amanda Whitwell

Tania Melnyk

Courtney Keogh

Matt Melnyk

Liam Nielsen

Brendan Barrett

Angie Rubino

Convocation Music

Timothy White (Leader/Trumpet)

Lesley Kingham (Organ)

Paul Otway (Trumpet)

Ira Zingraff (Trumpet)

Laura Thomas (Timpani)

Indigenous Drumming

Ohniakara Singers

Procession of the Graduands

(The audience will be seated.)

Fanfare

(The audience will please rise.)

Academic Procession and Chancellor's Procession

Introduction of the Stage Party

Geraldine Jones

The Chancellor's Remarks

Hilary Pearson

Installation of the President and Vice Chancellor

The Chair of Senate will read the Instrument of Nomination

"Madam Chancellor, I have the honour to certify that on August 9, 2022 the Senate of Brock University endorsed the recommendation of the Advisory Committee on the Presidency that Dr. Lesley Rigg be appointed as Brock University's next President and Vice-Chancellor."

The Board of Trustees Representative will read the Instrument of Appointment

"Madam Chancellor, I have the honour to certify that on August 11, 2022, the Board of Trustees of Brock University received the recommendation from the Advisory Committee on the Presidency and appointed Dr. Lesley Rigg as President and Vice-Chancellor of Brock University commencing November 1, 2022 for a five-year term."

The Chancellor will administer the Oath of Office

"Do you, Lesley Rigg, pledge yourself to perform the duties of the President and Vice-Chancellor of Brock University as prescribed by law and by the statutes of the University and to promote the welfare of the University and its members?"

Convocation Address

Lesley Rigg

Conferring of Degrees and Certificates

The President and Vice-Chancellor will request the graduands to rise in their places and, when they have done so, will address them as follows:

“With the Degrees about to be conferred upon you there comes a certain expectation that you will continue sincerely in the pursuit of learning and truth and, that as far as in you lies, you will promote the interests and welfare of your University.”

“Do you acknowledge this expectation?”

The graduands will answer in unison:

“We do.”

The President and Vice-Chancellor will then address the Chancellor as follows:

“Madam Chancellor, as the candidates have acknowledged the responsibilities that accompany their degrees and certificates and, as they have successfully completed the courses of study prescribed by Senate, I would ask that you admit them to their several degrees and certificates.”

The Chancellor says:

“I admit you. Please be seated.”

Presentation of the Dean’s Medals

Presented by Dean Makus for the Faculty of Social Sciences

Madeline Maguire
Caitlyn Neufeld

Board of Trustees Remarks and Presentation of the Spirit of Brock Medal

Presented by Gary Comerford

Haley Myatt, Faculty of Social Sciences

Alumni Association greeting

Allie Hughes

Closing remarks

Dismissal

Graduates

Morning Ceremony

Indicates With First-class standing

* Indicates With Distinction

Bedels

Tim Murphy
Michelle Webber

Public Orators

Elyse Lappano
April-Dawn Blackwell

Master of Arts

Presented by Suzanne Curtin
Dean, Faculty of Graduate Studies

Fortune Addae
Emily Bagshaw
Susana May Boateng
Rory Hawk Bulmer
Elena Campbell
Meaghan Sarah Dell'Angelo
Nicole Margaret Freeman
Nadia Ganesh
Jennica Giesbrecht
Noemi Milagros Gomez
Tristan Stephen Griffiths
Kylie Jade Hamilton
Nazurah Ayesha Khokhar
Vincent Kwadwo Konadu
Autumn Kozluk
Jiayi Li
Elvia Uxmal Lopez Nava
Kelly Carolyn McCowell
Helen McCubbin
Steven John Medvesky
Sali Salah Moieldin
Shealin Hannah Murray
Haley Victoria Myatt
Bright Otchere Opare
Jonathan Douglas Potter
Aman-Preet Kaur Randhawa
Matthew Perham Rollins
Sulemana Alhassan Saaka
Victoria Lynn Scott
Maryam Shafagh Hir
Kelsey Marie Smith
Rosa Elvira Torres Hernandez
Felicity Regina Weber
Harriet Boatemaa Yeboah

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Presented by Ingrid Makus
Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences

#Sofia Abdul Razaq
Raimondo Joseph Aceti
Markus Patrick Mendes Aguiar
Sherifa Ahmed
Kelly Maria Amaral
#Ashley Anderson
#Melanie Carolina Arce Chaves
#Maxwell Scott Summerhayes
Archer
Syeda Noushin Arefeen
#Jennifer Alexia Argyrides
Brianna Morgan Arnold
#Luke Wilfred Atack
Madelyn Georgia Atkins
#Macey Willow Badner
#Julia Melissa Ann Barker
Wallene Santos Basterechia
Bianca Kimberly Stephens Beaudoin
Katie Nicole Becht
Jordan Anthony Beijos
Hailey Lynn Bellinato
Madeline Zoe Bourque
Jacob Myles Bray
#Alyssa Ida Brew
Teresa Angelina Brohman
Ethyn David Brown
Teagan Burke
Daniel Joseph Burlak
#Taylor Leigh Burns
Harrison Richard Burt
Victoria Manda Cabraja
#Julia Campli
Tia Nicole Cappella
#Ashley Carter
Erin Lianne Elizabeth Carter
Lauren Marie Cartwright
Virginia Carvalho
Joelle Chaaya
#Douglas Mitchell Chabot
#Serena Kimberly Chant
#Lindsay Christine Chard
Sharon Chen
Micah Gwendolyn Chhina
Gabriela Ann Choo-Shee-Nam
Sara-Jane Marie Chubak
#Ethan James Ciolfi
#Mikellie Clarkson
#Cassandra Jane Cleofe
Matthew Ryan Collison
Alexandra Paige Cook

#Madelyne Ann Coote
Laura Cristina Cote
Evan James Court
#Justice Rose Cowe
#Brayanne Laura Elizabeth
Crain-Johnston
#Katelyn Annie Crews
Shannon Danielle Crosson
#Taylor Elizabeth Cumming
#Cloe Curtis
#Marissa Ann De Cristofaro
Emily Elizabeth Dean
#Julia Estelle Dekoning
Amrika Deol
#Olivia Mary Detlor
Mia Linda Di Falco
#Larissa Nicole Dilibero
Tina L. Dort
Joshua Maurice Douglas
Ryan John Draper
#Sydni Alexandria Ebanks
#Brooke Amelia Patience Edwards
#Hanah Emily Edwards
Madalyn Ann Ellis
Jordyn Evans
Conrad Joseph Felice
Britney Ferguson
Janika Sofia Filipe
Mitchell James Freeborough
Rawan Gabir
#Jordan Emma Gabriele
#Jasmine Haily Gagnon
Blain Joseph Gallienne
Eli Marcus Gladysz
Madeleine Emma Goad
Bethany Anna Christina Gordon
Hannah Lillian Graham
Kaitlyn Alexandra Gregory
#Kaela Elizabeth Dawn Hansford
#Emily Victoria Harron
#Margo Elizabeth Callaghan
Hinchberger
#Michael Andrew Hinderyckx
Kayla Bryanne Hlywka
#Brittainy Hofer
Kennedy Kazimieria Hoffman
Jordyn Sonia Holmes
#Lyndsey Bannan Howell
#Mackenzie Taylor Hoy
#Jamie Ann Huggins
Laura Ignaczewski
Debora Cristina Inacio
Isra Islam
Taylor Christine Jacobs
#Gracie Alexandra Jeronimo

Donzel Clifton Johnson
Holly Joan Johnson
Denise Catherine Johnston
Eva Catherine Jones
Tony Jozepovic
#Allyson Cathlyn Jugloff
Kyra Kester
#Elizabeth Rose Kish
#Jade Alexa Kubassek
Samantha Margaret Kucherawy
#Rachel Claire Kuhn
#Mia Opal Landry
#Lauryn Margaret Latoski
Hayley Lynn Leger
#Justine Eva Lemaich
Madison Grace Cecile Lindsay
#Kennedy Link
Ethan James Ian Lock
#Paige Diana Lombardo
#Jilliann Andrea Ludwig
#Kirsten MacAulay
#Samantha Tarisa
MacLeod-Lorefice
#Madeline Katherine Maguire
Myriam Maheux
Jasmine Kimberley Makey
Safia Shamim Malik
Jasraj Singh Mangat
Begonia Mashaly
#Emily Marilyn Dawn
Massicotte-Finch
#Sofia Anna Maria Mastroianni
#Ashley Donna Mathieson
Rebecca Alyse McCormick
Macey Iris McEwen
#Madelyn Elyse McGillis
#Hailey Elizabeth McGurk
Kendra Ann McKellar
#Sydney Vittoria McKinney
#Samuel George McLean
#Victoria Alexa McRae
Christina Sophia Medoro
Raisah Kulsum Mehrali
Nicholas Miller
Malcolm Thomas Moore
Savannah Abigail Mumby
#Faith Elizabeth Munro
Njeri Mwangi
Reem Nasser
#Abigail Jane Natterer
Donhodzo Thandiwe Ndudzo
Alayna Stacey Nottingham-Round
Miriam Jolene Leigh Nowling
Precious Kelechi Nwogu
Debra Uchechukwu Nwokolo
#Emilie Alexandra Oakes
Jennifer Hirhyel Othman
Sabrina Paiva Pacheco

Isabella Concetta Palumbo
Makayla Donna Helen Penner
Ashley Elizabeth Penney
Cassandra Gina Pesce
#Jasmine Rose
Pessendawatch-Borutskie
Madison Elizebeth Pinder
Olivia Isabella Porco
Lindsay Brenna Pottier
#Sarah Kathleen Power
#Madison Ingrid Puppa
#Milica Radojicic
Jackie Lynn Rainville
Hailey Bryanna Rak
#Azreen Mahmood Rasna
Yazar Razek
Gracie Dian Reinhart
#Chloe Elizabeth Richardson
#Isabella Nicole Roberto
#Dante Antonio Romano
#Sierra Reve Salts
Victoria Sophia Sapeta
Georgia Sarkis
#Kiera Gabrielle Schaafsma
Dania Serri
#Hannah Avery Sharp
#Julianne Sheppit
Sabrina Kathryn Skalecki
#Madison Marjoire Claire Skeoch
#Kyra Phyllis Smelser
#Rebecca Joy Soppitt
Steven Spehar
#Natasha Jaye Stacey
#Nenad Stankovic
Homer Adalton Stephenson-Delaney
#Jillian Elizabeth Sternloff
#Megan Barbara Stevens
Megan Christine Stuchberry
#Madelyn Amelia Sturgeon
James Christopher Swift
#Kodylyn Dawn Tanner
#Bianca Cecilia Lesley Taylor
#Katie Tchang
Maria Tchistiakova
#Hannah Glori Thomas
Erik Sydney Tomasson
#Meg Tuff-Berg
Parneet Tut
#Sheldon Thomas VanBarneveld
Hannah Veronica VanDenhoogen
Abigale Marie VanVolkenburg
#Alejandro Vasquez Coronado
Giuseppe Verdejo-Diaz
#Abigail Noelle Vickery
#Megan Tiffania Vlahiotis
Yitong Wang
Dana Elizabeth Warren
Kelsey Christine Waterhouse

#Brittany Lynn Weaver
#Abigail Rose Wheeler
#Amanda White
#Lucinda Pearl Whitworth
Josephine Nicolette Wicks
Taylor Ann Wiebe
#Hayley Marie Williams
Courtnee Ann Winstanley
#Ashley Ke Wei Wong
Rebecca Sophie Woodall
Jiayi Xiao
Yuxin Xiao
Xueyi Xia
Hope Margaret Yonemitsu
#Sara Younes
Bronwyn Shea Ruby Young
Megan Elizabeth Young
#Madison Taylor Zelichowski

Bachelor of Arts With Major

Presented by Dean Makus

Brigilda Avullija
Adeola Favour Ayo-Adewuyi
Paige Margaret Anne Baker
Danielle Kristina Beaton
Ramanjot Bhamra
Wadelyne Bien-Aime
Emily Boakye
Emily Racheal Bossio
Nathan Dennis Braniff
Adeline Patricia Brotohusodo
Brienah Cassar
Samantha Chisholm
Chanelle Hannah Coleman Selman
Emily Demra Coles
Michaela Elizabeth Cukrovani
Tyler Allan Cundle
Karnail Dhillon
Jessica Christine Grace Downard
Julia Grace Farmer
Shanelle Marie Hanson
Sarah Mackenzie Hoath
Hsin-Yu Hsu
Aansana Kaneshalingam
Ella Joanne Kenny
Hailey Elizabeth Kerr
Karly Ann Kingsmore
Shelby Lee Kouyoumjian
Gavin Rigby Leung
Jiayu Lou
Alexa Lynn Mcdonnell
Raphaela Francine Medrano-Rivera
Sarah Bailey Louise Montague
Blessing Dede Odamtten
Kailey Shea O'Keefe
Miranda Josephine Petrucci

Lia Maria Daya Pinto
Carrie-Ann Joy Plante
Alessandra Maria Porco
Leah Dawn Quackenbush
Alyssa Elizabeth Roth
Chloe Rose Stallaert
Jocelyn Leigh Strugar
Ermal Tusha
*Jagtaran Uppal
Eric Jaden Van Den Boogaard
Claudia Catherine Ward
Sydney Kathryn Wiseman

Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

Presented by Dean Makus

Allana Jane Andrew-Minovski
Mahnoor Anwar
Santana Auchterlonie
Kallista Susanne Barriage
*Trianda Laura Lee Birmingham
Alyssa Rose Bracco
Anna Kay Buunk
Kaitlyn Nicole Cairns
*Vaenessa Chokephaibulkit
Samantha Kathryn Crerar
Melissa Luz Da Silva
Olivia Renee Da Silva
Nicholas Robert Davies
Shae-Lynne Victoria Dutcher
Andrew Gareth Eason
Olivia Louise Edwards
*Isabella Rose Escorcio
Justin Zachary Ferencina
Katie Friesen
Madison Alexandra Furgieuele
Shelagh Jayne Gould
Liam Christopher Harris
Melanie Minnie Suzanne Hiscock
Wilfred Cameron Mackay
Justin Phillip Mckinnon-Voutier
Mackenzie Kimberly Owen
Kristopher Douglas Parker
Lincy Anilbhai Parmar
*Megan Rose Picone
Katie Margaret Power
Pulkit Ramchandani
Gurleen Randhawa
Sydney Francis Rankin
Melita Richardson
Laura Lea Smith
Bianca Juliette Stellato
Stephanie Sylvia Olga Stoikos
Gillian Elizabeth Towell
Paige Chelsea Towers
*Brayan Eduardo García Trujillo
*Elly Ina Mary VanderWeyden
Selena Isabelle Visca

Bachelor of Business Economics (Honours)

Presented by Dean Makus

Delasi Kwaku Afenu
Sheng Cao
#Zihui Chen
Mark Anthony Dibattista
Ethan Joshua Galliford
Mohamed Gando Hassan
#Zuyi Huang
Aisha Eniola Ismail
#Zahra Kihel
Kenan Daren Lawrence-Robinson
Fan Liu
Andy Thanh Nhan Nguyen
#Do Anh Nhu Nguyen
Jozef Jan Olach
Jayani Patel
Nikitaben Mahendrakumar Patel
#Minh Anh Pham
Chenghao Qian
Alfonso Dario Rodriguez Sanchez
Lovepreet Sembhi
#Liyang Xi
#Zichao Yin

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Presented by Dean Makus

Calvin Lewis Dickens
#Michael Richard Hoggan
Haley Jaclyn Lang

Bachelor of Science (3 Year)

Presented by Dean Makus

*Hawkin Paleczny

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Order of proceedings

Afternoon Ceremony

Chancellor

Hilary Pearson

Board of Trustees

JoAnna Roberto

Chair Of Senate

Don Cyr

Mace Bearer

Michelle Webber

President and Vice-Chancellor

Lesley Rigg

Marshall of Convocation, University Registrar & Associate Vice-President, Enrolment Services

Geraldine Jones

Bedels

Karen Campbell
Rosemary Condillac
Marilyne Carrey

Public Orators

Amanda Smits
Shuang Sha

Convocation Co-ordinators

Tricia MacDonald
Amelia McIntyre
Sarah Sager
Sandy Howe

Ceremony Associates

Amanda Whitwell
Tania Melnyk
Courtney Keogh
Matt Melnyk
Liam Nielsen
Brendan Barrett
Angie Rubino

Convocation Music

Timothy White (Leader/Trumpet)
Lesley Kingham (Organ)
Paul Otway (Trumpet)
Ira Zingraff (Trumpet)
Laura Thomas (Timpani)

Indigenous Drumming

Strong Water Singers

Procession of the Graduands

(The audience will be seated.)

Fanfare

(The audience will please rise.)

Academic Procession and Chancellor's Procession

Introduction of the Stage Party

Geraldine Jones

The Chancellor's Remarks

Hilary Pearson

President and Vice-Chancellor's Welcome

Lesley Rigg

The Convocation Address

Dr. Erin Panda

Conferring of Degrees and Certificates

The President and Vice-Chancellor will request the graduands to rise in their places and, when they have done so, will address them as follows:

"With the Degrees about to be conferred upon you there comes a certain expectation that you will continue sincerely in the pursuit of learning and truth and, that as far as in you lies, you will promote the interests and welfare of your University."

"Do you acknowledge this expectation?"

The graduands will answer in unison:

"We do."

The President and Vice-Chancellor will then address the Chancellor as follows:

"Madam Chancellor, as the candidates have acknowledged the responsibilities that accompany their degrees and certificates and, as they have successfully completed the courses of study prescribed by Senate, I would ask that you admit them to their several degrees and certificates."

The Chancellor says:

"I admit you. Please be seated."

**Board of Trustees Remarks and Presentation
of the Spirit of Brock Medal**

Presented by JoAnna Roberto

Annilea Purser, Faculty of Social Sciences

Alumni Association greeting

Allie Hughes

Closing remarks

Dismissal

Graduates

Afternoon Ceremony

Indicates With First-class standing

* Indicates With Distinction

Bedels

Karen Campbell
Rosemary Condillac
Marilyne Carrey

Public Orators

Amanda Smits
Shuang Sha

Doctor of Philosophy

Presented by Suzanne Curtin
Dean, Faculty of Graduate Studies

Kristen Baker

Unfamiliar and newly learned face identification: An examination of individual differences.

Courtney Denise Bishop

Are We There Yet? An Examination of the Effectiveness of Individual Support Plans in Promoting the Human Rights and Quality of Life for Persons With Intellectual and/or Developmental Disabilities

Kristopher John Brazil

Psychopathy as a Conditional Reproductive Strategy in Boys and Men: An Evolutionary Developmental Perspective

Sarah Ciotti

Three Papers on Patient Experiences with Symptom Persistent Lyme Disease in Canada

Tiago Guardia De Souza E Silva

Lifestyle factors and neuroimaging metrics as predictors of cognitive performance in healthy aging

Nabin Maharjan

Understanding Nepali Youth's Community Participation in the Post Disaster Context

Brent Pitchford

The influence of reward associations in the facilitation and impairment of attention and conflict processing

Renata Paula da Silva Roma

Young People's Well-Being and their Relationships with their Dogs: Exploring the Role of Perceived Human-Dog Personality Matching and Attachment

Master of Applied Disability Studies

Presented by Dean Curtin

Rachel Linelle Archibald

Uroosa Bazmi
Jillian Lee Blain
Eliza Marie Buckingham
Sydney Rachel Cancilla
Tiana Micheline Defreitas
Gillian Nicole Delaire
Hailey Demelo

Kathryn Mary Claire Dessailly

Nishika Devgun
Ruxandra Dobrescu
Tasneem Abdi Eggeh
Amanda Ashley Ewles
Negin Farzandi

David Fernyhough

Tamara Ruth Giblon

Nabila Glaubitz

Alexander Edward Paul Glecoff

Sarah Annada Gopie

Hyla Renee Gwartz

Mei Ting Hwang

Misha Irfan

Elizabeth Isbister

Lavinia Jeykumar

Zhiyan Jin

Abbey Taylor Johnston

Yasmine Kandola

Holly Lorenne Kane

Taylor Alexandra Kanitz

Jiaqi Kan

Jordan Bernice Kelso

Maheen Ahmad Khan

Bennard Kpodoe

Sarah Amanda Krawczyk

Bailey Marion Leblanc

Emily Marino

Kurtis John Marvyn

Amanda Maria McDonald

Taylor Elizabeth McNeely

Jessica Memmo

Marwa Mohammed Iqbal

Holly Christine Constance Mugford

Aiyana Musgrave-Thornhill

Melissa Noce

Jordan Matthew O'Dell

Nicole Anne Picariello

Brierly George Pomfret

Bijal Prajapati

Victoria Anne Proulx

Kedisha Lereena Robinson

Maria Teresa Romano

Brittany Rowe-Bradley

Nabiha Salman

Hayley Elinor Samson

Claudia Simoes

Vithuja Suthanathan

Elena Catherine Testana

Alicia Shushi Tghlian

Tina Vo

Xiaochuan Wang

QI Wan

Rebecca Emma Weinberg

Hayley Megan Whalen

Emma Morgan Whelpley

Delaney Lyn Wright

Hunter Anne Wright

Maryam Zulfiqar

Master of Business Economics

Presented by Dean Curtin

Andrew Brown

Tanner Alexander Geddes

Brandon Yi Hao

Sarimah Allison Iwezor

Natalie Jung

Jiannan Mai

Qixuan Tong

Master of Sustainability

Presented by Dean Curtin

Kamran Abbasov

Kelly R. Bute-Seaton

Alexandra Nicole Cotrufo

Tasha Nihani Gunasinghe

Kristin Palilionis

Lauren Ann Rose Patterson

Shannon Ruzgys

Tannaz Sattar

Savannah Stuart
Tyler Joseph Stanley Thomson

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Presented by Ingrid Makus
Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences

#Noor Abdulghani Abdo
#Lindsay Madison Adoranti
Osasere Linda Airuehia
Bayan Al-Darawish
Entesar Almutairi
Edrick Edward Amri
Oreoluwa Ayomikun Ayomikun
Amusa
Aishwen Arudkanarajah
#Benjamin Austin Atchison
Ali Attyani
Justin Hartley Aubin
#Md Nafis Bin Azad
#Diby Aditya Banik
#Erin Katherine Bannister
#Taniesha Bansal
Noah Christopher Barron
Omotoyosi Oluwasemilore Bello
Deep Bodalia Bodalia
Keara Jill Boland
#Jared Alexander Samuel Boles
#Ashley Anne Buston-White
#Kendall Lynn Caperchione
Stephen Jake Champ
Kayla Charrois
Aaron Chau
Hannah Lesley Chisholm
#Jacob Ronald Ciantar
Juan Andres Cuestas Garay
#Olivia Catherine Davies
#Kirzty Gae Antonio De Torres
Raghgeet Kaur Dhani
#Justin Michael Dicienzo
#Ayebatonye Deborah Dick
#Victoria Alison Dougherty
#Emily Dwyer
Isabella Maria Jane Etenberg
Liam David Cassius Farrell
Benjamin Luciano Fernandes
Sera Flewelling
#Natacha Line Foucault
#Charles William French
Nicholas Garcia
#Alyssa Sheridan Gauthier
Silver Maria Francis I Geiger
Andrew Amin Girgis
#Julia Goncalves
#Gillian Marie Gooding
Megan Ashley Green
Andrew John Grewal
#Alyssa Nicole Hall

Rani Jaykumar Hansalia
#Megan Halina-Janet Helmeczi
Ha My Hoang
#Jesse William Lee Hodgson
Bryce Mackenzie Hope
#Arielle Mina Hounsham-Lalande
#Janelle Hunte
#Joshua John Hutten
#Breanna Ianiero
Ranuki Senanya Jayatilake
Alan Jeng
Ying Jiang
Kaitlin Ellie Leah Johnny
#Cedric Junor
Ayomide Abdulrazak Kazeem
Mohammed Nayeem Khan
#Rachel Hope Klumper
Natalia anna Kondrak
#Janice Yael Kremer
#Michelle Milinda Munakur Kudla
#Jean Haye Kwan
#Amelia Rose Lackie
Nigel Ethan Lamb
#Andrew Nicholas Lawrence
Peypey Lay
Tyler Christopher Douglas Leduc
#Bryn Joy Lemon
#Sydney Elizabeth Lemon
Jeremy Jon Lightbourn
#Julia Livingston
#Yini Li
#Lucas Anothony Lombardi
#Madeleine Margaret Jane
Luxton Justin
Kaysie Marie Macai
Leanne Alana Mac Askill
#Liam Joseph MacCarthy
#Dorothy Tambudzayi Makunike
Jane Victoria Mammoliti
Tomas Gastone Manazzone
Alexa Rose Maniaci
Tanner Mitchell Markusich
Evgenia McCormack
#Isabella Julia Irene McLaughlin
#Troy Dwaine Messenger
Noelle Angelica Mirabella
Falynn Roisin Molloy
Elecia Morris-Armstrong
#Madison Grace Motyka
Jonathan Baixing Mu
Aysha Joanna Murray
#Kristen Helen Nardini
Taila Omoruyi
Opeyemi Sharon Onayo
#Nicole Alexandra Onyszkanycz
Karenna Lynn Elizabeth Ottywill
Sarah Marie Panza
Katelyn Judith Partington

Samuel Hudson Pearson
#Alessandra Marie Perri
#Matthew Victor Peter
Philipp Petrenko
William Phan
Linda Naomi Pinzon Narvaez
Glory Andrea Plume
#Samuel Thomas Prong
#Rayann Mary Prophet
Deeana Elizabeth Proulx
#Annilea Dove Purser
#Bohong Qiu
#Caryl Fatima Quiambao
Connor James Raab
Megan Ann Rader
#Meghan Elizabeth Anne Rados
Gagandeep Kaur Rathaur
Abdur Rehman
#Ryan Joseph Resendes
#Sophie Jordan Reynolds
Kyle Bryan Riley
Nicholas Eric Ruggiero
#Caitlyn Leigh Anne Runstedler
Ajay Saju
#Jillian Marie Salwach
#Adriano Marco Sbraccia
#Bianca Maria Schiavi
Carina May Scott
Maeve Serniuck
#Molly Sheehan
#Tristan Sheppard
Gurneet Sidhu
Daneet Singh
Emma Patricia Anne Smiley
Desiree Anne-Marie Southern
#Megan Rachel Stockley
#Carley Ellen Superka
Haoran Tang
#Taya Hope Taraba
Melissa Leigh Taylor
Cassandra Tamara Telecki
#John Thomson
Kaiya Brooklyn Tudor
#Pearl Art Zarate Valdez
#Andrew Vincent Valero Bunke
#Jasmine Elizabeth Lyn Van Geffen
#Hanna Sophie Velovic
Michael George Vergadis
Sarah Jane Vermolen
Avarie Leah Ruth Wideman
Stewart James Wilson
Karli Woods
Emily Nicole York
#Jinyang Zhang
Qiyun Zhang
Xiuhang Zhang

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Younis Alagha
Muhannad Hazem Al-Anqar
Oyinkansola Deborah Atere
Blessing-Babi Mbuyi Babi
Sarah Elizabeth Barlow
Joshua Samuel Boxill
Rimpal K Chahal
Kara Hanna Chamberlain
Alexandra Caitlin Collins
Cameron Tyler Davenport
Daris Cameron Fraser
William Patrick Greenshields
Joshua Alexander Kerr Hall
Muhammad Ibrahim Jawed
Hailey Vanessa Jeffrey
Awais Mohammed Khan
Jay Peter Macdonald Lumsden
Sama Thamer Mahdi
Mingyang Ma
Tengfei Ma
Christina Adeline McCann
Shubam Mohan
*George Pagonis
Nathaniel George Henry Preiner
Selena Racco
Pawan Singh Rawat
Jamal Ruchdi Sabri
Laiba Sheraz
Harvin Singh
Sharavi Vivek Sinha
Zachary David Andrew Smith
Ethan James Snook
Maria Paula Sotelo
Thulasiga Thevakesaran
Win Oshiozokhai Umoru
Kevin Daniel Brendan Wycks

Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

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Brandon Shane Adamson
Taiwo Samiat Adeleke
Momoreoluwa John Akinyemi
Jawad Ali
Leena Mohamed Ali
Uchenna Nicole Anene
Loshian Azad
Gurjyot Singh Bedi
Sevag Yervant Belian
Danielle Bernard
Prashant Om Bhardwaj
Aayush Bhatti
Dainalee Bondoc
Rranice Ambrozone Bonnick

Jaipal Singh Brar
*Brette Bishop Brezynskie
Grace Anne Cassibo
Ke Chen
Muchun Chen
Siyu Chen
Emilie Kathryn Clarkson
Dean Charles Coates
Caitlyn Marie Cochrane
Julie Katherine Costa
Maxwell Glennalan Davis
Erica Julia De Fazio
*Marissa Maria Depaulo
Luke Alexander Di Gregorio
Kyle Dias
Fernando Echazarreta
Chibuzor Joshua Eleweke
Monique Cassandra Fisher
Jacob Peter Flanagan
*Carley Ann Foster
Minshen Gao
Mansahez Singh Gill
*Max Gill
Princess Mekeda Candace Grey
Mohammad Mahir Al Hafeez
Yue Han
Wei Huang
Yulong Jiang
Haodong Jiao
Jayden Liam Jones
Jingyan Ju
Atharv Jaysing Kamthe
Sharan Karunaagaran
Samantha Marie Kelly
Muhammad Awais Khalid
Mohammad Hassaan Khan
Muhammad Hamza Khan
Saad Saghir Khan
Emily Tara King
Sydney Jean Marie Klassen
*Larissa Sophia Kolundzic
Godsman Kwakwah
Gajan Langeswaran
Evan John Lepp
Sarah Vy Le
Yan Li
Zhengyang Li
*Zifeng Liang
David Wesley Lisowsky
Haozhe Liu
Yun Liu
Devon Alexander Long
Hong Lu
Shami Madilo
Parth Mahajan
*Rumbidzai Debra Makunike
Tarek Ziad Massoud
Jessica Mayhew

Alissa M Mckinnon
*Lucas Michtics
Ahmed Seifeldin Sidahmed
Mohamedkheir
*Michele Kathleen Munnerly
Jocelyn Navarro
Matthew Robert Nichols
Ramina Nissan
Daniel Noel
*Brianna Marie Oakes
Osinigwe Jessica Nkassi Okafor
Alicia Ann Oldfield
Chukwudebem David Onuorah
Emmanuel Owotoah
Jinil Oza
Kiara Lee Parlevliet
Naitik Pareshkumar Patel
Cuong Nhat Pham
Frank Marco Pucci
Runjin Qi
Aarash Aar Rahman
Nithesh Rajmogan
Grace Rawsthorne
Tyrus Rehanek
Leila Summar Rghei
Samuel John Richardson
Rijwan Ahmed Riji
Adrian John Roberto
Emily Rollo
Oskars Ansis Rugelis
Aqduş Shehryar Saeed
Gabriel Joseph Savelli
Daniel Sawchuk
Heli Shah
Davison Alexander Shepherd
Kristen Anne Shepley
Harkirat Singh Sidhu
Nathan John Simanavicius
Victoria Erin Sterling
Ethan Edward Gary Stringer
Yiwei Sun
Huien Tan
Hannah Marie Teeple
Mikayla Elizabeth Toner
Alex Jacob Ulbin
Kate Karine Wong Fung Can
William Nicholas Wong
*Yanan Wu
LangQing Xiao
Youning Yan
Zheng Yuan
*Andrew James Zezela
Jingyi Zhang
Shaoliang Zhang
*Yiang Zhang
Langfeng Zou

**Certificate in Teaching
English as a Second/
Foreign Language**

Presented by Dean Makus

Marcus Charles Lew
Sandra Elizabeth VanEgas Orellana

**Certificate in Speech
and Language Sciences**

Presented by Dean Makus

Stephanie Ormel

**Certificate in Women's
and Gender Studies**

Presented by Dean Makus

Heidi Elizabeth Huber

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Medals

Governor General Gold Medal

The Governor General of Canada has presented a gold medal to be awarded to a graduating student with the highest standing of all graduates in a master's or doctoral degree program.

Scott Miskey, Master of Science

Board of Trustees Spirit of Brock Medals

Awarded to one undergraduate and one graduate student per Faculty who best exemplify the spirit of Sir Isaac Brock.

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences

Chimerem Amiaka, Master of Science
Emily Bonisteel, Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Faculty of Education

Loredana Amatuzio, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)/
Bachelor of Education
Nguyen Hoang Giang Le, Doctor of Philosophy

Faculty of Humanities

Ashley Rydzik, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Goodman School of Business

Deeya Chhabra, Master of Business Administration
Bao Huynh, Bachelor of Business Administration
(Honours)

Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Scott Miskey, Master of Science
Silvana Nguyen, Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Faculty of Social Sciences

Haley Myatt, Master of Arts
Annilea Purser, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Dean's Medals

Awarded to the student graduating with the highest cumulative overall average in their respective Faculty.

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences

Jeffrey Dertinger, Bachelor of Kinesiology (Honours)

Faculty of Education

Annilee Baron, Bachelor of Education

Faculty of Humanities

Daniel Belanger, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Tiana Giovannangeli, Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

Goodman School of Business

Tim Klett, Bachelor of Business Administration
(Honours)

Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Mohammed Abbas, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Chemistry
Juleen Patel, Bachelor of Science (3 Year)

Faculty of Social Sciences

Madeline Maguire, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Caitlyn Neufeld, Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

Awards

Cara Chefurka Memorial Book Prize

Maddy Furgiuele, Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

Dr. Michael Kompf Book Prize

Kimberley Au, Master of Education

Jack Noble Book Prize

Heather Ann Kavasak, Master of Education

Maurice Perkins Award

Tim Klett, Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours)

Distinguished Graduate Student

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences

Katie Hunter, Master of Science

Grace Nelson, Master of Arts

Kate Wickham, Doctor of Philosophy

Faculty of Education

Heather Ann Kavsak, Master of Education

Nguyen Le, Doctor of Philosophy

Goodman School of Business

Aida Ahmadi, Master of Professional Accounting

Ajel El, Master of Science

Wei Xu, Master of Business Administration

Faculty of Humanities

Jane Baker, Master of Arts

Kenton Engel, Master of Arts

Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Mohammad Ahmadi, Master of Science

Katia Benseba, Master of Science

Alexander Furlan, Master of Science

Liam McDevitt, Master of Science

Vansh Mehta, Master of Science

Scott Miskey, Master of Science

Joel Wingrove, Master of Science

Lihi Habaz, Doctor of Philosophy

Samin Tajik, Doctor of Philosophy

Faculty of Social Sciences

Emily Bagshaw, Master of Arts

Nadia Ganesh, Master of Arts

Jennica Giesbrecht, Master of Arts

Brandon Hao, Master of Business Economics

Kelly McCowell, Master of Arts

Steven Medvesky, Master of Arts

Aman-Preet Randhawa, Master of Arts

Shannon Ruzgys, Master of Sustainability

Kelsey Smith, Master of Arts

Emma Whelpley, Master of Applied Disability Studies

Kristopher Brazil, Doctor of Philosophy

Brent Pitchford, Doctor of Philosophy

Distinguished Graduating Student

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences

Madison Baker, Bachelor of Physical Education

(Honours)/Bachelor of Education

Emily Bonisteel, Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Madilyne Charles, Bachelor of Child Health (Honours)

Olivia Garrett, Bachelor of Science in Nursing (Honours)

Samantha Gregorio, Bachelor of Recreation and Leisure

Studies (Honours)

Rita Kocsis, Bachelor of Public Health (Honours)

Steven Kottaras, Bachelor of Kinesiology (Honours)

Abbey Retta, Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Alyssa Scalera, Bachelor of Sport Management

Faculty of Education

Erin Bebbington, Bachelor of Education

Corrina Centritto, Bachelor of Education

Megan Chaulk, Bachelor of Education

Kayla Cookson, Bachelor of Education

Sarah Ens, Bachelor of Education

Christiane Rutledge, Bachelor of Education

Rachel Wade, Bachelor of Education

Christina Zara, Bachelor of Education

Faculty of Humanities

Daniel Belanger, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Raphaël Brière, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Sydney Brint, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Haley Ciszek, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Sarah Fisher, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Thomas Hanson, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Maiya Irwin, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Adam Julien, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Kristen Koop, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Madeleine Kwan, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Nicolette Salire, Bachelor of Music (Honours)

Goodman School of Business

Sujoy Bhatray, Bachelor of Accounting (Honours)
Tim Klett, Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours)

Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Mohammed Abbas, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Alexandra Bernekier, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Roxanne Dekeyser, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Madeline Janecek, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Una Lim, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Theresa Muraca, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Taryn Petrovsky, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Jonathan Rocco, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Teanna Rowe, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Mohammed Sameer, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Jared Scott, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Mario Spinosa, Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Gina Yockell, Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Faculty of Social Sciences

Lindsay Adoranti, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Pearl Art Valdez, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Olivia Davies, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Alyssa Gauthier, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Alyssa Hall, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Cedric Junor, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Rachel Kuhn, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Andrew Lawrence, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Yini Li, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Madeline Maguire, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Do Anh Nhu Nguyen, Bachelor of Business Economics
(Honours)
Matthew Peter, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Samuel Prong, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Certificate of Engagement Recipients

Karoline Amanda Lucas
Annilee Baron
Emily Bonisteel
Ayla Coe
Julie Katherine Costa
Olivia Detlor
Elisha Fogg
Owen Harris
Jessie Hendriks
Maahum Khokhar
Renee MacLeod
Sama Mahdi
Gopichand Maruri
Jesse Masterson
Lauren May
Samuel Mclean
Evelin Melekh
Samantha Merrilles
Rhoda Nabayego
Silvana Nguyen
Neha Sharma
Anna Truong

Beta Gamma Sigma Recipients

Aida Ahmadi
Amara Ali
Aisha Aliyu
Glenn Alloway
Antons Arhipovs
Boris Babic
Lei Angelika Bagadiong
Olivia Baker
Jamie Ball
Sree Prakash Baskaran
Ruth Benoy
Sujoy Bhattray
Estelle Marie Blanchin
Varun Singh Chauhan
Zhuoran Chen
Deeya Chhabra
Biyun Dai
Selina De La Torre
Sophie-Pearl Degain
Manvinder Dhaliwal
Arjot Dhillon
Thi Phuong Uyen Dinh
Xiaofan Dong
Ali Elkhodary
Dorothee Sophie Ernst
Luis Paul Henry Ganserer
Jue Gao
Vineet Garg
Daniela Gatti
Rocky Ghosh
Simmer Gill
Hermela Gizaw
Jillina Gomes
Shuai Gong
Prince Goyal
Dylan Groat
John Guild
Adel Hadjiesmaeili
Yujuan Han
Matthew Henriques
Annamarie Hudlin
Idaf Iqbal
Garrett Jackson
Lauren Johnson
Deepinder Kaur
Ishween Kaur
Aisha Khan
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