



114th Convocation for the Conferring of Degrees and Certificates

Friday, Oct. 13, 2023



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 hard work, dedication, incredible experiences and memories. You have evolved and grown during your time at Brock and are now ready to face new challenges.

Brock University has provided you with the resources to succeed in your future endeavours, and the lessons learned have prepared you for a full and rewarding life and career. You have a degree from an outstanding University which will provide 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 119,000 graduates, including myself. May the knowledge and life skills you have gained at Brock University carry you forward and contribute to the communities of which you are a part.

We hope you stay connected, share your experiences and visit when you are able.

Live your best life and change world. Surgite!



Chris Ventura
President, Brock University
Alumni Association

In 1967, the first 39 students at Brock University became the first alumni at their Convocation. Today, you join more than 119,000 proud alumni 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). Brock is a place where passion meets opportunity—a place where you can make your own path and your own meaning. You were tenacious and accomplished so much as students. You earned this moment today. Grabbing hold of these opportunities is what gives Brock students their Badger Spirit. As you enjoy your first day as a member of the BUAA, remember to continue cultivating your Badger Spirit.

The BUAA is here to be your home when you want to come back and visit, create opportunities for you to stay engaged and be your biggest cheerleader as you enter the next phases of life. We are so proud of all you've done so far, and we can't wait to see what you do next. Congratulations, and welcome to the alumni family.



Rakha Zabin
President, Graduate
Students' Association

On behalf of the Brock Graduate Students' Association, I extend heartfelt congratulations on reaching this incredible milestone in your academic journey. As you don your caps and gowns, remember that this achievement symbolizes your dedication, resilience, and unwavering pursuit of knowledge.

While your time as graduate students may be concluding, your connection with our community remains strong. The friendships forged, the experiences shared, and the lessons learned will forever be a part of your journey.

As you step into the next chapter of your lives, carry with you the passion for learning that has brought you here. Embrace new challenges, continue to seek understanding, and make a positive impact on the world. Congratulations, once again! The journey doesn't end here – it evolves. We, the Graduate Students' Association, are proud to have been part of your voyage and can't wait to witness the greatness you will undoubtedly achieve. Keep shining!



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!

Convocation speakers



Maureen Connolly

Professor, Physical Education and Kinesiology

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences Excellence in Teaching Award Recipient

Dr. Maureen Connolly, a professor of Physical Education and Kinesiology, has been a member of the Faculty of Applied Health Sciences at Brock University since 1991. Born in St. John's Newfoundland, educated in the convent school system and a graduate from Holy Heart of Mary Regional High School, Maureen completed her undergraduate degree in Physical Education and an MA in Physical Education, with a focus in Administration and Leadership, at Memorial University of Newfoundland. She received her PhD in Education from the University of Alberta in 1990. Maureen works with qualitative arts-based inquiry, narrative, poetic and bodily expressive modalities and how these function across scholarly, pedagogic, and other creative outlets. She is a former competitive bodybuilder, YWCA Woman of Distinction, university teaching award winner, a 3M National Teaching Fellow (2003), and a 2009 Erasmus Mundus scholar.

Maureen has extensive experience in facilitation of small and large group process, supervision of theses and dissertations (over 130 successfully completed graduate supervisions) and has pioneered various innovative and applied pedagogies for bodies of varied abilities, sensibilities, and expressive potentialities. Maureen's teaching and research interests include curriculum, stressed embodiment, dance & movement education. Her commitment to Freirean approaches to teaching and learning is the foundation for the SNAP/s, CHARM, Side by Side, and other adaptive programs based in community service learning, which have been serving Niagara since 1994-95 and which have received regional, national, and international recognition and awards. Her theoretical dispositions are semiotic, phenomenological, post/anti-colonial, and irreverent.



James Allard

Associate Dean, Undergraduate Student Affairs and Curriculum, Faculty of Humanities

Dr. James Allard currently serves as Associate Dean, Undergraduate Student Affairs and Curriculum in the Faculty of Humanities, and he has been a member of the Department of English Language and Literature since 2003. After completing his undergraduate work at Algoma University College in Sault Ste. Marie, he went on to complete graduate studies at the University of Waterloo and a post-doctoral fellowship at the University of Toronto. He studies the interconnections between literature and the medicine, especially surgery and medical education, in Great Britain in the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries; he has published on the work of poets who engaged in formal medical training, on the public perception of doctors and patients as treated in a variety of texts and genres, and on the emergence of the idea of the "patient," among other topics. A past recipient of the John Charles Polanyi Prize for Literature and a top-ten finalist in the TVO Best Lecturer competition, his teaching areas include British Romantic Literature and Culture, Gothic, and Science Fiction, and he has a special passion for teaching first-year courses.

Order of proceedings

Morning Ceremony

Chancellor

Hilary Pearson

Board of Trustees

Mark Arthur

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

Kimberley Gammage

Rebecca MacPherson

Karen Campbell

Laura Mullins

Public Orators

Stephanie Brooks

Elyse Lappano

Convocation Co-ordinators

Tricia MacDonald

Amelia McIntyre

Sarah Sager

Sandy Howe

Ceremony Associates

Amanda Whitwell

Tania Melnyk

Matt Melnyk

Carly Dugo

Brendan Barrett

Angie Rubino

Convocation Music

Timothy White (Leader/Trumpet)

Lesley Kingham (Organ)

Jennifer McKillop (Vocalist)

Paul Otway (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, Marshall of Convocation, University

Registrar & Associate Vice-President, Enrolment

Services

The Chancellor's Remarks

Hilary Pearson

The President and Vice-Chancellor's Welcome

Lesley Rigg

Convocation Address

Maureen Connolly

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 Mark Arthur

Ashley Giroux, Faculty of Applied Health Sciences
Raadiyah Zowmi, Faculty of Social Sciences

Alumni Association greeting

Closing remarks

Dismissal

"O Canada"

(The audience will please rise.)

*O Canada!
Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all of us command.
With glowing hearts, we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free!
From far and wide,
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
God keep our land glorious and free!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.*

*Ô Canada!
Terre de nos aïeux,
Ton front est ceint de fleurons glorieux!
Car ton bras sait porter l'épée,
Il sait porter la croix!
Ton histoire est une épopée
Des plus brillants exploits.
Et ta valeur, de foi trempée,
Protégera nos foyers et nos droits.
Protégera nos foyers et nos droits.*



Graduates

Morning Ceremony

Indicates With First-class standing

* Indicates With Distinction

~ Degree Awarded posthumously

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences

Bedels

Kimberley Gammage
Rebecca MacPherson

Public Orator

Stephanie Brooks

Doctor of Philosophy

Bradley John Baranowski
Investigating the role of Brain Derived Neurotrophic Factor content and signalling on Amyloid Precursor Protein processing

Gabriela Maria Matamoros Caballero
Advancements in Trichuris trichiura treatment and diagnosis in children: Assessing high-dose ivermectin, benzimidazoles and diagnostic techniques

Stacey Renae Woods
Child-Adults Differences in Discrete Motor-Unit Activation: Insights from sEMG Decomposition

Master of Arts

Taylor MacKenzie Baillie
Sandy Howe
Tara Margaret Lundy
Joshua Stuart Mallory
Megan Claire Piché
Jesse Rey Porter
Wesley Joseph Spatazzo
Stephanie Nicole Wadge

Master of Applied Gerontology

Brook Ann Josephine Bolton
Matthew Annesley
Copperthorne Cary
Katharine Victoria Helen Champaigne
Antonio Benito Sante DiDomenico
Carah Marie Ekins
Jourdyn Elizabeth Forsyth
Samantha Hill
Krischella Rubion Laygo
Amy Elizabeth Ludolph
Jasman Mangat
Kira Marie McPherson
Millicent Dzifa Otchere
Sabrina Noel Richardson
Tatum Elise Sandercock
Pui Man Chloe Tse
Leah Kaitlyn VanDeburgt
Sydney Berlin Williams
Choi Yan Wong

Master of Public Health

Jasdeep Kaur Aujla
Simran Krishna Badalera
Sydney Renee Bartlett
Jana Najeab Bataineh
Danielle Ben-Shoshan
Chelsey Bertrand
Ashley Madison Bilodeau
Joshua Paul Bodnarchuk
Brae Blaire Delaney-Smith
Aseosa Gwen Ehi
Marie Anna Meridia Elliott
Jennifer Hoogenes
Carrie Houston
Raluchukwu Chinenye Igidiogu
Alexandra Rachel Inman
Tasnuva Twaseen Iqbal
Eshawn Varis Kalia
Taleen Karnieg
Charis Chi Ting Lai
Tessa Jane Leong
Mackenzie Jean Martel
Georgina May McKenna
Alissa Jayne Messner
Danielle Catherine Murphy
Ingrid Sofia Pazmino
Leanne Perrich
Fozia Raja
Mariah Rodriguez-Imbarlina

Mia Beatrice Rogers
Jake Nicholas Ross
Michelle Ruhigisha
Emma Elizabeth Salmon
Keara Jane Marjorie Smith
Hamza Hilal Syed
Samantha Grace Tiels
Jasmine Virk
Chad Peter Weber
Alexandra Wisnios
Jenny Zhang

Master of Professional Kinesiology

Chiara Ada Aceti
Hamza Mohamed Adwan
Prabhdeep Singh Aujla
Alyssa Paige Boudreau
Cassandra Mary Ann Copelli
Amelia Ceilidh Davis
Matthew Domenic Fantini
Giulia Fiorucci
Ryan Allan Gibson
Hannah Victoria Nicole Hesch
Lauryn Ann Hibma
Madeline Kathleen Hingston
Rachel Lynn Houston
Kendel Hutchinson-Cotoc
Oliver Wilfred Intengan
Steven Lam
Kearson Shawndra Mackenzie Lovegrove
Wijemuni Nivindu Ravindith Mendis
Robert John O'Halloran
Daniella Cabral Scurto
Michela Torchia
Rachel Lee Zelznak

Master of Science

Melanie Rose Burgess
Hussain Nazir Chattha
Tyler James Dobos
Roopan Dhaliwal
Madison Katherine Gagnon
Jessica Anne Goddard
Valerie Frances Pagnotta
Olivia Susan Parker
Katerina Maria Scheepstra
Isaac Joseph Seabrook
Matthew Kresnaputra Sudiyono

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Yusheng Guo

Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

David Asoata
Kiera Josephine Barnes
*Markus James Hale
Gavin Stuart Keith
Eric Visal Nang
Rutu Bhadrashbhai Patel
*Brianna Alexandra Rive
Kuldeepsinh Dalpatsinh Zala

Bachelor of Applied Health (3 Year)

Emily Elizabeth Beer
Corey Jason Feldman
Jordan Keith Gottlieb
*William Alexander Guitard
Genique Asia Oliver

Bachelor of Child Health (Honours)

Aseel Kamalaldin Abdalla Ahmed
#Supreet Kaur Muker
Oluwafisayo Blessing Oduntan

Bachelor of Kinesiology (Honours)

Madison Agnihotri
Elizabeth Anne Marie Anderson
Steven Daniel Bragues
#Catarina Anjos Da Silva
Kyle William Gostis
#Yasmina Khan-Poulin
#Nicoletta Klonizakis
Kevin Adrian Kukorowski
Doan Tam Le
Lauren Elizabeth Muir
Tyler Murphy

Bachelor of Kinesiology

Emilea Taylor Hüner
Gabriella Emma Johnston
Ethan Ronald Malboeuf
Danielle Nicole Ocampo

Bachelor of Physical Education (Honours)

Oliver Mathieu Richard Ham

#Emily Rose-Marie Perdue
#Richard Peter Popik

Bachelor of Public Health (Honours)

Vahid Afrasiabian
#Danika Alegria Aldana
Simranjit Kaur Bhandal
Christine Naomi Buckley
#Megan Ann Darlow
Danielle Avril Duggan
Tokunboh Crystal Lawal
Remy Te-an Nahar Majumder
Geethanjale Mohanarajah
Taniya Siddikbhai Moriya
Kesha Rakeshbhai Patel
#Khushi Anilkumar Patel
Vaidehi Prakashkumar Patel
#Memie Ashley Ramey
Dhruvrajsinh Virendrasinh Raulji
Nina Ellan Talya
Abitha Thavanesan
Divyesh Homprasad Upadhyay
#Tiffany Marie Zivku

Bachelor of Recreation and Leisure Studies (Honours)

#Justine Arlette Allen
Jacob Anthony Archambault
#Ariele Michelle Calberry
Isabel Charlotte Clarke
#Meghan E. Deprez
#Meaghan Duffy
#Natasha Maria Dumansky
Umur Gencoglu
#Ashley Olivia Giroux
#Gillian Elizabeth Greco
Jessica Hauck
#Rachael Anne Kataja
#Hannah Lee Knowles
#Grace Lindsay
Libby Paula Murison
Jessica Kate Muzzi
#Sarah Patricia Peter
#Jessica Quattrini
Justin David Smith
#Jason Gregory Wadge

Bachelor of Recreation and Leisure Studies with Major

Nathalia Barbillo Lopez
*Charlotte Ann Berube
*Brooke Michelle Busch
Sofia Catena
Wyatt Dolan

Cary Foo
Julia Lee Rae Gordon
Jonathan Cameron Hickman
Katherine Paola Locarno Baloco
Stuart Scott Loop
Gurnoor Singh Pannu
*Emily Nicole Prior
*Elly Grace Schreuders
Heather Spooner
*Kendra Leigh Zankl

Bachelor of Recreation and Leisure Studies (3 Year)

*Chelsea Bilton
Kyle Cosby
Giacomo Leonardo Cotrufo
*Aria D'Alimonte
*Christine Nicole Lapp
Devin Nicole McConaghie
*Lukas Alan Newhouse
Melinda Jean Nixon
Tristan Graham George Shaw
*Sarah Grace Simone

Bachelor of Sport Management (Honours)

Daniel Joseph Buccianti
#Adam Campbell
#Rachel Teresa-Kathryn Canavan
William Neal Downward
Yufei Han
#Kaitlyn Elizabeth Hickey
Kelsey Megan Hicks
Eric William Blake Houghton
#Kyra Kwan
#Matthew Anthony Lowe
Matthew Kyle Lynch
Logan Elgin Howarth McCutcheon
Carter Edwin McKenna
Aikaterini Papoutsis
Adam Muataz Qumizakis
Leo Robertson
Daniel John Rocco
Marshall Aaron Miles Silverstein
Justin Jeremiah Simon
#Ryan Taylor Gordon Snodgrass
James Richard St. Louis
Jacob Daniel Torrieri
Camilo Andres Velasquez
Giovanni Anthony Zentena
#Jayden Rebekah Zylstra

Bachelor of Sport Management with Major

Julian Arcila-Gaviria
Aman Neal Bedi

Devin Eric John Cunliffe
Alessia Cristina Di Falco
Nicholas Thaddeus Magier
Joshua Nicholas McDonald
Ali Mire
Conor Patrick Murphy
Aiden Cole Pincombe
Samuel Douglas Strike
Michael Vilaisavanh

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

#Reem Abou-Merhi
Natalie Theresa Elizabeth Adams
Jocelyn Agyare
Jasanpreet Singh Aujla
#Teanna Marie Cesar
#Alec Thomas Chunta
#Christopher John Crocco
Margaret Louise Demaria
Kisha Mitesh Desai
Lauren Alyssa Falzon
Alix Elizabeth Field
Monique Chanelle Genard
Alyssa Debra Crystal Grobb
#Alexander Seldon Hall
Weronika Hasham
Cassandra Peach Hoff
Mahadissa Hussain Zada
Mya Gabriella Ibrahim
Peace IgbinoBaro
Vaishakhi Kathiria
Danielle Carole-Anne Kenneth
Isidora Kostic
Alexander John Koumoundouros
Antoni Maghamez
Rihab Nori
Uzoma Esther Nwabudike
#Caragh Hannah O'Mahoney
#Osas Osagie
Hashini Janali Pallewatta
#Lindsay Hedy Eleanor Piche
#Liam David Pollock
Rachel Ruigrok
#Ishaan Sachdeva
#Calourin Shehata
#Utkarsh Thakur Sood
Kristine Cyril Cuvinar Vega
Yihan Yu
Rayyan Bin Zubair

Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Carley Davis
#Stephanie Laura Payne

Faculty of Social Sciences

Bedels

Karen Campbell
Laura Mullins

Public Orator

Elyse Lappano

Doctor of Philosophy

Victoria Dykstra
*Lie-telling during adolescence:
A multi-method approach*

Elvira Prusaczyk
*Consuming Pornography Predicts
Sexual Harm Against Women, but
Only When Consumers Are Higher
in Hostile or Benevolent Sexism:
Multimethod Research Evidence*

Ashley Dawn Ryan
*Mechanisms of episodic
simulation of helping behaviour in
younger and older adults*

Master of Arts

Sara Adloo
Muhammad Moin Akhtar
Sandra Akudugu
Xavier Conrad Mohai Alexy
Rebecca Johanna Anderson
Sandra Appiah
Amanda Marie Bailey
Kennedy Bastien
Jo-Ann Patricia Boyle-Jackson
Victoria Marie Collins
Sarah Elizabeth Coose
Robyn Paige Cumiskey
Tara Dekker
Sarah Docouto
Jordon Caleb Dumenil
Sarah Gordon
Tia Leanne Greto
Ethan John Guitard
Kaitlyn Michener
Noah Ryan David Nickel
Esteria Houshang Tehrani
Jordan Elizabeth Isnor
Alexander Plemon Lewis
Bingyu Liu
Abigail Mensah
Renata Miličević
Pratik Nath
Kaho Nishibu

Kimia Nouri
Ryan James Oakes
Carlie Anne Pagliacci
Oya Pakkal
Danielle Sheralyn Perry
Niruba Rasuratnam
Zohreh Salaribaghsangani
Rachel Evelyn Sheppard
Rachel Sophia Springle
Quinlan Veronica Cecil Stamp
Ruchika Suri
Alyssa Thibeault
Thurka Thillainathan
Vanessa Marie Turchio
Tayler Victoria Vajda
Melody Rebecca Van Massenhoven
Raadiyah Nusha Zowmi

Master of Applied Disability Studies

Gillian Teresa Athaide
Alexandra Ciglen
Milena Ghebregzhi
Megan Grace Kuzak
Nneka Yvonne Onyechonam
Manyata Sharma

Master of Business Economics

Macgregor Terrence Allen
Sunil Singh Anged
Steven James McKinnon
Carol Angeline Quadros

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Jessica Lee Abraham
#Henry Agyeman-Duah
Purnima Bhagria
Diego Brou
#Sikia Olivia Bucknor
Jared James Carter
#Amber Daisy Marie Cartledge
Nicole Gah-May Cheung
Tatiana Diaz L'Hoeste
Nam Anh Dinh
#Rebekah Sloane Empke
Hannah Nicole Giancaterina
Emily Anne Haley
Emily Irene Hemauer
#Alyssa Brooke Houlden
Princess Ebaide Idiako
Benedikt Henery Isert Bender
Rimmel Kamran
#Sheradin Faith Kubushesky
Eshe Teriyannah Lazaruk
Naomi Promise L'Ecuyer

#Nicholas Geatan Leduc
 #Carter Alexander Locke
 Shawn Michael MacDonald
 Kyra Mackenzie Maher
 Zia Bilal Malik
 Alexis Maynes
 Jordan Roxanni McNeillie
 Daniella Faith Manning Muir-Ames
 Kush Akshay Pandya
 Georgette Parodi
 Om Jayesh Patel
 #Reuben Pickering
 #Emily Hazel Polley
 #Justin Porga
 Maria Ahmed Qureshi
 #Brooke Kimberleigh Alexandria
 Roussy
 #Christian Joseph Santesso
 #Johnathon Michael Albin Schaefer
 #Jodie Celine Tyrese Sears
 Kelly Marie Simmons
 Amin Mahmoud Sono
 #Madison Taylor Stewart
 Blake Charles Stone
 #Victoria Tihomirova Todorova
 #Catherine Marie Elizabeth
 Vandongen
 Roberto Isai Velasquez
 Avery Elizabeth Vickers
 #Kevin Thanh Vo
 Thomas Morgan Walters
 Karley Lynn Wilson

Bachelor of Arts with Major

Andrew Joseph Abela
 Pavitra Vikas Agarwal
 Rilwan Aliyu
 Molly Savannah Bowron
 Zheng Chen
 *Bryan Alberto Cisneros
 Olivia Marie D'Amato
 Nguyen Phuoc Loc Dang
 Jason O Eghobor
 Juston Alexander Telfer Faux
 Edward James Hawkins
 Jordan Alexandria Henderson
 Maria Cristina Intzempelis
 Grace Paulinus Jim
 Wahid Aiman Khan
 Adrian Bhuvon Lildhar
 Hailee Allison McKay
 Daina Joelle Morris-Armstrong
 Salma Siman Mudey
 Kena Dhirenkumar Patel
 Emma Joan Periard
 Abbie Ann Peters
 Meredith Charmaine Reid

Emma Barbara Rivett
 Yves Nathan Akili Ruzinge
 Jeremy Justin Small Phillips
 Nicole Kristen Staios
 Daina Trishann Flores Thompson

Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

Mahmoud Abouelleil
 Talal Agha
 Imuetinya-Osa Tanya Asemota
 Avianne Nicole Banton Clarke
 *Donald Guy Barker
 Julia Jenifer Daniella Bertrim
 Kapil Bhawani
 Hongshen Cai
 Noah Charles Robert Campbell
 Zane Ashfaq Chowdhury
 Matteo Pancrazio Cristao
 Renu Dhaliwal
 ~Claudia Djorgee
 *Adrian Patrick Dobbin
 Jack Norman Donnell
 Jade D'Souza
 Sasinindu Nirman Egodage
 Ishan Daniel Joseph Etkins
 Nathan Samuel Ferraro
 Tricia Patricia Francis
 Daniel Fyneman-Kalio
 Antony Karuri Gitahi
 Emily Rae Clarece Hergott
 Grace Sarah Hornby
 Jonathon Charles Hostovsky
 Zhaojie Hou
 Dhyan Pulin Jhaveri
 *Bradley Joseph Joworski
 Ammaar Ruxshan Juhardeen
 Yifan Ju
 Ammar Yasser Kamal
 Breanna Grace Kelland
 Mia Elyssa Inns Kristensen
 Adeoluwa Timothy Laraiyetan
 Samuel John Leclair
 Hannah Florence Lemay
 Alexandra Cindy Levitt
 Man Li
 Ella Marie Livesey-Morton
 Taia Lana Joy Mandau
 Byron Lincoln Mansah
 Nicole Antoinette Nave
 Blake Norris
 Weilun Ou
 Sarieka Paul-Mulchan
 Ashley Alexandria Poretti
 Steven Prokopenko
 Kaylyn Victoria Purvey
 Jiexin Qin
 Rehauna Renee Reid
 Leonardo Yael Ruiz Villalva
 Justine Melanie Sayers

Jany Scherer
 Jay Nikunj Shastri
 Shiyang Shen
 Yang Shen
 Delilah Samantha Smithson
 Kayla Phoebe Marie Sproule
 Devona Ashley Stephenson
 Jason Nicholas Stott
 Jennifer Taylor
 Sarah Elizabeth Thomas
 Martin Walter Van Tol
 *Laurie Vaughan
 Kiet Tuan Vo
 Brookke Cassidy Elaine Vout
 Meagan Walford
 Minghan Wang
 Noor Warraich
 Zachary Webb
 Xinwei Wu
 Wenzhuo Xiao
 *Xin Ye
 Fengxin Zhang
 Yao Zhao

Bachelor of Business Economics (Honours)

Yupeng Bai
 Chaitanya Bahri
 Martin Sheung Kuan Chan
 Yixue Hua
 #Zachary Paul Tolliver

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

#Blake Joseph Van de Polder

Bachelor of Science (3 Year)

Syed Rushan Benazir

Certificate in Speech Language and Hearing Sciences

Kaiya Lillian Kawa

This program lists the names of individuals who were approved to graduate on October 1, 2023. The University regrets that names which were added after this date could not be included in this program.

Order of proceedings

Afternoon Ceremony

Chancellor

Hilary Pearson

Chair Of Senate and Mace Bearer

Don Cyr

President and Vice-Chancellor

Lesley Rigg

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

Geraldine Jones

Bedels

Monique Somma
Shannon Welbourn
Jennifer Li
Tek Thongpapanl
Gale Coskan-Johnson
Carole Stewart
Aleksandar Necakov
Adonis Skandalis

Public Orators

Zach Dadson
Elyse Lappano

Convocation Co-ordinators

Tricia MacDonald
Amelia McIntyre
Sarah Sager
Sandy Howe

Ceremony Associates

Amanda Whitwell
Tania Melnyk
Matt Melnyk
Carly Dugo
Brendan Barrett
Angie Rubino

Convocation Music

Timothy White (Leader/Trumpet)
Lesley Kingham (Organ)
Jennifer McKillop (Vocalist)
Paul Otway (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, Marshall of Convocation and Registrar & Associate Vice-President, Enrolment Services

The Chancellor's Remarks

Hilary Pearson

President and Vice-Chancellor's Welcome

Lesley Rigg

The Convocation Address

James Allard

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 Governor General Silver Medal

Presented by Lesley Rigg, President
and Vice-Chancellor

Daniel Belanger - Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Greek and Roman Studies
Faculty of Humanities

Mohammed Abbas- Bachelor of Science (Honours)
Biological Sciences
Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Alumni Association greeting

Closing remarks

Dismissal

“O Canada”

(The audience will please rise.)

*O Canada!
Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all of us command.
With glowing hearts, we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free!
From far and wide,
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
God keep our land glorious and free!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.*

*Ô Canada!
Terre de nos aïeux,
Ton front est ceint de fleurons glorieux!
Car ton bras sait porter l'épée,
Il sait porter la croix!
Ton histoire est une épopée
Des plus brillants exploits.
Et ta valeur, de foi trempée,
Protégera nos foyers et nos droits.
Protégera nos foyers et nos droits.*



Graduates

Afternoon Ceremony

Indicates With First-class standing

* Indicates With Distinction

^ Beta Gamma Sigma Designation

Faculty of Education

Bedels

Monique Somma
Shannon Welbourn

Public Orator

Zach Dadson

Doctor of Philosophy

Trâm Anh Bùi

Intercultural Competence Development: Exploring International Graduate Student Leaders' Journeys Through Contemplation and Mindfulness Based Inquiry

Timothy Joseph Dolighan

Exploring Teachers' Experiences of Teaching Online During the COVID-19 Pandemic: A Mixed Methods Multi-Phase Study

Kimberly Taylor Downes

Pre-Service Teachers Using Social Media: Self-Concept Development in Online Spaces

Karen Lynn Fagan Julien

Emotions, Emotion Regulation, and Interpersonal Emotion Regulation for Academic Writing: A Collective Case Study with Doctoral Students

Anneke Britt McCabe

Evoking A Soundscape: Inquiring Into Musician-Music Teachers' Narratives

Master of Education

Jessica Ascenzi
Dustin D Block
Robert Michael Crowe
Hannah Leanne Dabbs
Derrick Deklerk
Jeremy Gage
Stephanie Lee Gravelle
Carly Anne Nancy Greene
Michelle Lynn Jusdanis
Carmen Kukulj
Bridget Laura Kwakernaak
Dara Grace Laframboise
Alexandra Emily Maretzki
Megan Dominique Mazzone
Taylor Sedona McRobbie
Tiffany Amber Mills
Thuy Anh Ngo
Tanya Poppleton
Audrey Jane Boyer Schatz
Breah Marie Sovegarto
Adelia Halyna Spytzkowsky
Van Thi Thu Vo
Kristen Wall
Emma Louise Wasylenko
Jiawei Yu
Foroogh Zarei
Guoliang Zhu

Bachelor of Education and Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Nathan Harche
Craig Dalton Murphy
Deirdre Scholl

Bachelor of Education

Kelsey Leigh Anderson
Danielle Barry
Lauren Buonocore
John Anthony Castro
James Christian Champagne
Jessica Maureen Culp
Annette Catherine De Brabandere
Federico Di Giantomasso
Alistair Mark Dorward
Adrian Florin Dragomir
David Lloyd Hakala
Christopher Daniel Harrietha

Kenneth James Heidman
Brittany Frances Hudak
Keenan John Kersey
Joshua William Laurence Mason
Francis William McCabe-Barauskas
Coleville John Miller
Christine Lynn Pajek
Jean-Marc Pineau
David Quast
Stephen Earl Rees
Andrew Joseph Roach
Annie Anvita Singh
Cameron Stryker
Spencer Summerfield
Natalie Dawn Swaak
Sarkis Tachjian
Zacharie Noah Taylor
Andrea Holly Sarah Villneff
Hillary Alice Pearl Weppler

Bachelor of Early Childhood Education (Honours)

#Jenna Marie Katherine Campbell-Morgan
Samantha Grace Collins
#Brienna Elizabeth Copeland
Tara Brianna Dodds
#McKenna Leanne-Rose Harnum
#Jiaxin Li
Amelia Moffatt

Bachelor of Education (Adult Education)

Joanne Marie Beaudoin
Jordan Mario Belanger
*Doreen Mary Biesenthal
Rodger Bramwell
Danielle Nicole Denault
*Lan Thi Dinh
Laura Jane Dueck
*Simone Harris-Evans
*Patrick Wilfred Haynes
*Peter Moscone
*Laura Naumann
Brooke Catharine Pellegrino
Jennifer Jane Pinnell-Fisher
*Colleen Christine Porter
*Elysa Jhylsea Quilates

*Sangeeta Raina
*Sara Mary-Louise Reesor
*David Richardson
Jennifer Ann Siemens
*Eva Szczepaniak
*Christine Elizabeth Wickson

Certificate in Adult Education

Tomislav Strancaric

Certificate in Leadership in Community-based Education

Lilian Chiamaka Ogu

Goodman School of Business

Bedels

Jennifer Li
Tek Thongpapanl

Public Orator

Zach Dadson

Master of Professional Accounting

Forooz Nasersaeid
Yujing Wang

Master of Accountancy

Shaun Jaylon Alleyne
^Boris Babic
^Lei Angelika Palomo Bagadiong
Joshua Michael Belay
Kanwar Amolakh Singh Benipal
^Ruth Maria Benoy
^Sujoy Bhattray
Hon Ming Chan
Hanley Chao
Inderpreet Singh Cheema
Devin Samuel Croos
^Selina Julia De La Torre
Amanpreet Kaur Dhaliwal
^Manvinder Dhaliwal
Ramanpal Singh Dhani
Madison Nicole Dolny
^Ali Elkhodary
Vincent Fong

Brandy Frempong
Andrea George
^Simmer Gill
^Jillina Celeste Gomes
Mattia Eliseo Grillone
^Dylan Groat
^John Michael Guild
Michelle Pauline Guillemette
Joshua Michael Abogado Joaquin
^Tracy Lynn Jones
Harvir Singh Khakh
^Abdullah-Bin-Salman Khan
^Jessica Kowalczyk
Ignatios Leontis
^Shreedhara Madhyastha
^Faiz Mumtaz
Shakari Nagamany
^Sajan Nagra
Anne Ogwani Ogaba
Ali Salman Padhani
^Marc Palermo
^Monika Wiktorja Pyzik
^Lagsana Ramathesun
^Celina Katelyn Read
Jessica Yvette Richard-Brain
^Victoria Catherine Rivers
Harman Singh Sahota
William Jackson Frederick Scott
Samantha Margaret Sicari
Noah Laurence Solinger
^Ishita Sood
Balasubramanian Sundaram
Lauren Nicole Tam
Joseph Francis Tavano
Jacques Henry Tiessen
^Nicholas James Vadicchino
Winnie Wu
^Yao Ting Yang
Nansi Zhou

Master of Business Administration and Master of Public Health

Soumitra Biswas
Manraj Singh Brar
Victoria Catherine Brown
Gursimran Kaur Dosanjh
Cailey Felicia Tiffany Ellis
Laura Lynn Giles
Hannah Hardy
Sharon Joseph
Allyson Dana Kerr
Jessica Ann Liem

Margaret Josephine Mae
MacDonald
Nathan Elliott MacDuff
Lucia Francesca Marano
Meagan Cheryl McGaughey
Dominic Ong
Brandon Kyle Pe Benito
Mithusha Pratheepan
Olayinka Sanusi
Emma Grace Schmidt
Jake Stephen Scott
Dominic Russell Scozzafava
Yamini Singh
Zeping Sun
Kahlan Elizabeth Woodhouse

Master of Business Administration

Urvashi Aggarwal
Priyadarshini Aladi Mahendran
Prithvi Rajesh Arora
Taniya Arora
Rajat Awasthi
Jatin Balhota
Asmita Mukesh Bhandari
Henil Himanshu Bhatt
William Boyer-Richard
Vinayak Raj Chaudhry
Tianyu Chen
Nathan Jean-Marc Camille Chevrier
Tanmay Dalal
Akshay Raj Gupta
Rishabh Gupta
Yashi Gupta
Bishakha Halder
Weize Hong
Lei Hua
Digvijay Jagati
Prakruthi Kalludi Surya Kumar
Srimathy Kannan
Rithvik Kavuru
^Sujat Ali Khan
^Pawandeep Singh Kohli
Akshay Kumar
Tsz Hin Lai
Amandip Lidder
Fuxuan Li
Yang Liu
Yunlu Li
Yongjia Ma
Kathryn Lindsay McGuire
Rajat Kumar Meel
Derrick Waikin Ng
^Polina Osadchaya

^Rohan Ramesh Rudani
Sarah Kristin Scerbo
^Chan Preet Singh Sethi
Christy Shaji George
^Liang Shen
Gaurav Sindhwani
Pranav Sudharshan
Xiaolin Tang
Alyssa Ann Thompson
Hui Wang
Ruowen Wang
Zixuan Wang
Harshita Yadav
Jiayu Yu
Zakia Binte Zakir
^Yijian Zhang
^Hanyuan Zhou

Master of Science

Md Tanaz Abir
^Zahra Fouladgar
^Ehsan Khaksar
^Luv Khandelwal
^Mourin Mostafiz
^Shodhanth Ramaswamy
Jobandeep Singh Sethi

Bachelor of Accounting (Honours)

Campbell Rhese Bodfield
^Victoria Allison Campbell
#^Yu Chen
Benjamin James Crossman
Yash Gandhi
#Silan Liu
#Liang Ma
Asheer Nehal
Injot Singh Nijjar
Brennan Lawrence Noden
Andrew K Park
#^Anastasia Preobrazhenskaya
Darian Rahimi
Basit Ur Rehman
#^Rajvir Singh Sohi
Bin Yang
#Zi Yang

Bachelor of Business Administration (Honours)

Dodampe Gamage Buddhi
Raveesha Abeygunawardena
Alanoud Hesham Zaki
Osman Alhalis
Abdullah Abayomi Animashawun
#Erika Barbosa
Alexander Bender
#Michael Natale Tiberius Bianchi
Nikita Buzynskyy
Ishaan Channana
James Scott Connelly
#^Erica Emilia D'Alesio
Kiana Downing
Fraser Filipe Duarte
Dario David Fasolino
Michael Angelo Filipponio
Rahul Gambhir
Brandyn Michael Anthony Gentile
#^Bowen Edward Gocan
#Samuel Hunter Haight
Quan Tran Minh Ho
Syed Fida Hussain
#Wenxuan Jiang
Bohan Jin
Gurnoor Singh Kahlon
Chela Chayenne Kamps
Sydney Tyler Katzer
Michael Richard Kazimowicz
Nasr Aman Khan
Seo Yeon Ko
Yongshi Kuang
Taylor Glynn Langerak
Justin Aime Lavictoire
Adam Ryan Letham
Jiaqi Li
Yinliang Liu
Zhenwei Li
Yongru Lu
Stephanie Mai Zing Macartney
Keyi Ma
#^Benjamin Uwe James Mandigo
William Todd McDowell
Jack Archibald Simonton McIntyre
Sydney McVicar
Deya Meng
Ethan Dominic Moniz
Andrea Mora Vasquez
#^Anyia Irena Muraco
Kannan Nallathamby
Kaitlin Anne Nethery
#Celine Teixeira Oliveira
Karen Mary Oommen

Ryan Reitz Parkhurst
Vaibhav Rajendra Patil
#Jennifer Christine Pentland
Ronit Pruthi
Haran Raghavan
Alexander John Read
#^Ghina Rehan
Daniel Freer Rendeiro
Catherine Willa Mei Lan Mah Ross
Hossam Saadi
Simran Kaur Saini
Puneeth Sankaraiah
#^Benjamin Schmitz
Yufan Shen
Kent Simon Sim
Luxshanaa Suthersanan
Mariya Yusuf Taherali
Hassan Altaf Toor
Laura Daniela Vargas
Teodora Vucenovic
Edward Dragon Wang
Sihan Wang
Xiaoyu Wang
Shashwat Yadav
#^Taylor Michelle Yakiwchuk
Qianai Yang
Haojie Zhang
Taoyue Zhang
#Haotian Zheng
Zhongyue Zhu
Yukun Zou
#^Matthew Jacob Zupan

Bachelor of Business Administration

Furheen Ahmed
Chukwuebuka Valentine Attama
Zack Brady
Muskaan Diddi
Shreyans Jain
Adam Jawhar
Gurnoor Kaur
Ruyu Liu
Simran Singh Mander
Vijesh Patel
Seth Gennaro Raso
Jaskirat Singh Sahi
Julia Madison Sheppard-Longarini
Jasdeep Singh
Neil Srinivasa
Michal Szmelter
Amitoj Singh Wilkhoo
Zhenpeng Yuan

Faculty of Humanities

Bedals

Gale Coskan-Johnson
Carole Stewart

Public Orator

Elyse Lappano

Doctor of Philosophy

Mitchell Goldsmith
*The Unfinished Business of Anna
Kingsford: Science, Enchantment,
and Experiments on Animals*

Master of Arts

Shae Anne Marie Adamson
Gertrude Adzo Brew
Abbey Noel Dobbin
Samantha Paige Filomena Fisher
Elizabeth Catharine Anne Hoffer
Soen Lee
Stephan Legagneur
Ronald Nathan McCallum
Sunday Ogbonnaya
Friday Romanus Okpo
Jonathan William Earl Pavey
Sabrina Perreault
Kathleen Renee Powell
Samia
Kyle Stuart Kenneth Scarlett
Travis Lee Robin Seetoo
Noor Ul Ain

Bachelor of Arts (Honours)

Chikadibia Akoma
#Ciaran Paul Brophy
Violet Rhea Brown
#Kailey Lillian Eileen Cairns
#Aaliyah Angela Clarke
Evan Raye Collins
Rachael Lindsay Cunningham
#Kevin Guo
Deirdre Michelle Hanna
Minkun Hong
Luke Emerson Huffman
#Peyton Kacer Koole
Tianchu Li
Ethan David Luckasavitch
Ka Wai Lu

Melodie Grace Nassif
Martina Marie Phillips
#Samantha Michelle Savage
#Michelle Liana Shortt
#Amrit Jeremy Sooklal
Samuel Lindsay Stewart
#Jacob Allan Mark Walker
#Dongjian Wu
Celine Ayesha Zamidar

Bachelor of Arts with Major

Marsel Avdic

Bachelor of Arts (3 Year)

Leo George D'Intino
Jacob Joseph Maxime Dobbins
Anthony Nicholas Francella
William Ciaran Lim-Carter
Joseph Alexander O'Gorman
Tyarr Maliq Powell-Hodges
Samuel Eric Sabean
Jaiden Edwin Valentine
*Dean Louis Joseph Yacyshyn

Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Bedals

Adonis Skandalis
Aleksandar Necakov

Public Orator

Elyse Lappano

Doctor of Philosophy

Charles William Peter Barraco
*The bipartite function of Clade
TGAs: involvement in basal
immunity and systemic acquired
resistance*

Leeko Hyun Suk Lee
*Feasibility study using remote
sensing technologies to improve
zonal vineyard management*

Master of Science

Jocelyn Jane Armistead
Oyindamola Gbemisola Azeez
Hayley-Ann Grace Bennett
Karl Arthur Grantham
Yue Guan
Fatemeh Hasheminejad
Thomas Lee Jones Henley
Amir Khalili Mahmoudabadi
Marcelo Victor Muniz Correa
Alexander David Orshinsky
Zach Raczynowski
Christopher Salim
Jamie Rebecca Sapera
Lyzcel Talisic
Abril Anneliese Von Eicken
Connor Mackenzie Wilson

Bachelor of Science (Honours)

Asmaa Yahya Al Hariri
#Reet Chahil
#Nirvana Mykal Adara Chan Chow
Krithika Chandrasekaran Iyer
Aidan David Dawson
Mia Aleksandra Di Pasquale
Rafal Falih
Hao Gu
#Jennifer Rita Kujani
Jacob Peter Lavell
Brandon Thuan Le
#Zachary Riley McGovarin
Ryan James Emile Montminy
Kathy Nguyen
#Victoria Nguyen
Ahriin Noe
Aedel Alex Panicker
Ridhi Dipak Kumar Patel
Eric Michael Perry
#Steven Vicram Sabharwal
Abdulrhman Slim
#Isabelle Marilyn Sommer
Cole Alexander Wilson
Zachary Ivor Yerrill
#Peter Alfay Youssef

Bachelor of Science with Major

Emma Elizabeth Ford
Angelena Marie MacDonald
Vanessa Mbarika

Liam Gordon McKissock
Vanessa Mendoza Vasquez
Anika Payeur

Bachelor of Science (3 Year)

Julia Adriana Agostini
Rejoyce Teniola Akinreti
Abin Biju
Ria Choksi
Samantha Anna D'Agostini
Jevon Andre' Francis
Sara Grbovich
Tomar Issaev
Nishara Jeyarajan
Logan Klaas Jonker
*Cindy Nguyen
Ishikaben Rakeshbhai Patel
Emily Catherine Ruffolo
Yaw Agyarkoh Sarpong
Avneet Kaur Toor
Bradyn Willet-Smithers
Tiamet Yagho

Bachelor of Computing and Business (Honours)

#Tong Zhang

Certificate in Grape and Wine Technology

Daniel Alexander Phillipow
Rebekah Dawn Abrams Wegener

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individuals who were approved to
graduate on October 1, 2023.
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which were added after this date
could not be included in this program.*



Medals

Governor General Silver Medal

The Governor General of Canada has presented a silver medal to be awarded to two graduating students with the highest standing of all graduates in a first honours degree. Graduates from the fall and spring Convocation are eligible for this award.

Daniel Belanger, Bachelor of Arts (Honours)
Mohammed Abbas, Bachelor of Science (Honours)

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

Ashley Giroux, Bachelor of Recreation and Leisure Studies (Honours)

Faculty of Social Sciences

Raadhiyah Zowmi, Master of Arts

Awards

Dr. Michael Kompf Book Prize

Breah Marie Sovegjarito, Master of Education

Jack M. Miller Excellence in Research Award

Tori Dykstra, Doctor of Philosophy
Zahra Fouladgar, Master of Science
Stacey Woods, Doctor of Philosophy

Jack Noble Book Prize

Alexandra Emily (Ali) Maretzki, Master of Education

Distinguished Graduate Students

Faculty of Applied Health Sciences

Chiara Ada Aceti, Master of Professional Kinesiology
Tyler James Dobos, Master of Science
Gabriela Matamoros Caballero, Doctor of Philosophy
Jesse Ray Porter, Master of Arts
Sabrina Noel Richardson, Master of Applied Gerontology

Stephanie Nicole Wadge, Master of Arts
Jenny Zhang, Master of Public Health

Faculty of Education

Alexandra Emily (Ali) Maretzki, Master of Education
Karen Julien, Doctor of Philosophy

Goodman School of Business

Zahra Fouladgar, Master of Science
Laura Giles, Master of Business Administration & Master of Public Health
Simmer Gill, Master of Accountancy
Dominic Scozzafava, Master of Business Administration & Master of Public Health

Faculty of Humanities

Shae Adamson, Master of Arts
Mitch Goldsmith, Doctor of Philosophy
Soen Long Lee, Master of Arts
Sabrina Perreault, Master of Arts
Kathleen Renee Powell, Master of Arts
Noor ul Ain, Master of Arts

Faculty of Mathematics and Science

Jocelyn Jane Armistead, Master of Science
Oyindamola Azeez, Master of Science
Hayley Bennett, Master of Science
Yue Guan, Master of Science
Christopher Salim, Master of Science
Connor Wilson, Master of Science

Faculty of Social Sciences

Sarah Elizabeth Coose, Master of Arts
Bingyu Liu, Master of Arts
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