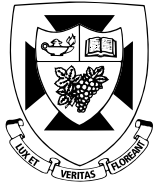


THE UNIVERSITY OF
WINNIPEG

**The University of Winnipeg
The Eighty-Seventh Convocation
for the Conferring of Degrees**

The University of Winnipeg
Duckworth Centre
Sunday, June 1, 2008



THE UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG

To the graduates of 2008:

Congratulations!

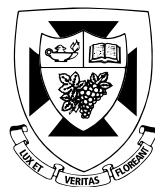
It is a great pleasure for me to be with you on this special occasion, to shake your hand and wish you well as you set out on the next venture in your life. You have much of which to be proud, since the successful completion of your University of Winnipeg degree bodes well for your future success, in your career and in your community.

And all of us benefit from your success, because society is immeasurably enriched by the kind of critical and creative thinking you have acquired here.

Whatever you choose to do, whether you change the world or just change the life of one individual, do your very best at it, and know that we will be watching you with pride.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "H. Sanford Riley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "H" and a stylized "R".

H. Sanford Riley, CM
Chancellor,
The University of Winnipeg



THE UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG

To the graduates of 2008:

It was Mahama Ghandi who said, "You must be the change you want to see in the world." Change begins with you.

As a student in the 1960s at The University of Winnipeg, my friends and I thought change was important, and I believe active engagement is even more critical today. Four decades later, the issues facing us as global citizens are more pressing than ever. I am optimistic because I believe that you, our next generation of leaders, understands better than anyone that we need to respect and care for our planet, that we have a responsibility to champion human rights, and that compassion is worth cultivating. We are connected. With the Internet and Facebook and YouTube, your generation gets that. You live and breathe those interconnections in a way that no generation has before.

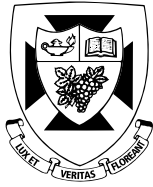
Armed with your degree and a better sense of who you are, you are now equipped to create change, here at home and in the broader community.

Obtaining your degree from The University of Winnipeg, in the downtown 'hub' of the city, has allowed you to experience people from diverse cultures. You've honed your ability to think critically, to look beyond the obvious, to become socially aware.

Our priority is to offer the very best in post-secondary education and to nurture in you the special sense of pride and belong-ing that makes The University of Winnipeg experience so unique. It is my hope that as a graduate you will carry this pride with you, as I do.

I also encourage you to return and pursue your academic excellence at UWinnipeg as a graduate student. This fall new graduate programs offered at The University of Winnipeg include a Master of Arts in Aboriginal Governance, Master of Science in Applied Computer Science and Society, Master of Science in Bioscience, Technology and Public Policy and in 2009 Master of Arts in English with a focus on Cultural Studies. These programs are unique in Canada. If you chose to go right into a career, we welcome you back as an active alumnus/na.

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THE UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG

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In both the *Globe & Mail* and *Maclean's Magazine*, The University of Winnipeg ranks in the Top-10 on an annual basis as one of Canada's leading post-secondary institutions according to our students. It is our goal to have all our graduating students, year after year, leave us with the same high level of satisfaction.

This year The University of Winnipeg Foundation unveiled an ambitious Capital Campaign with a target of \$70-million. The University has created "A World of Opportunity", which has so far raised an inspiring \$58-million. The expansion of Duckworth Centre, the enhancement of public access to Spence Street is completed. The refurbishment of Wesley Hall, the construction of the Richardson College for the Environment & Science complex and the McFeetors Hall: Great-West Life Student residence are underway. These expansions and improvements will increase our ability to deliver the high-quality programs for which we are known, and to participate fully both as a community partner and an institution with global commitments.

We are an evolving campus. In the years ahead, I encourage you to stay in touch with us. As new alumni, you are now members of a family of nearly 40,000 people who have passed through our doors as students and graduates.

You are now graduating into a complex and challenging world, but as Henry David Thoreau said, "Go confidently in the direction of your dreams! Live the life you've imagined." If you commit to that, anything is possible.

Please accept my best wishes for your adventures ahead.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lloyd Axworthy'.

Lloyd Axworthy



The Alumni Association

of The University of Winnipeg

To The Graduates of 2008:

Our education puts us in a very challenging position. It provides us with the economic and social power to make a bigger difference in our local and global community. The challenge lies in our choosing how, when and where to act, using our education and experience, in creating positive change.

In the spirit of “positive change”, I congratulate you, on behalf of over 40,000 alumni; and I welcome you to the family that is the University of Winnipeg Alumni Association.

I invite you to become an active member of the alumni family, wherever you may live. Sharing your ideas, skills and talents can help make education at The University of Winnipeg a more complete and fulfilling experience for students. Your active participation not only keeps you in touch with old friends, but also makes new friends and reveals new opportunities.

Today, Class of 2008, we celebrate your accomplishments and wish you continued success. May what you have learned here serve you well.

Welcome to the Alumni family!

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara Kelly".

Barbara Kelly, BA (Class of '60), Cert. Comm. DCE '97
President, The University of Winnipeg Alumni Association



Eighty-Seventh Convocation **Order of Proceedings**

10:00 a.m.

for the conferring of degrees in Science and Education

The Honourable Lloyd Axworthy, PC, BA, PhD, LLD, OC, OM
President and Vice-Chancellor, presiding

ENTRANCE OF THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The audience is requested to rise for the entrance of the graduands.

Edward H. Byard, BA, PhD
Chief Marshall

Ron Krug, B.Comm.
Organist

Winnipeg Police Pipe Band

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

James Christie, B.Th., M.Div., MA, D.Min.
Dean of Theology

GREETINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Honourable Lloyd Axworthy, PC, BA, PhD, LLD, OC, OM

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Conferred by
Chancellor H. Sanford Riley, CM, BA, LLB

Honorary Doctor of Science
John Langstaff, B.Sc., PhD

Presented by
Kenneth J. Friesen, B.Sc., M.Sc., PhD
Principal, The Richardson College for the Environment



Address to the Graduates
John Langstaff

Honorary Doctor of Laws
Sharon Hope Irwin, BA, MA, Ed.D.

Presented by
Kenneth W. McCluskey, BA (Hons.), MA, PhD
Dean, Faculty of Education and Extended Learning

Address to the Graduates
Sharon Hope Irwin

**THE CLIFFORD J. ROBSON MEMORIAL AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING**

Athar Ata, B.Sc., M.Sc., PhD
Associate Professor of Chemistry

**THE MARSHA HANEN AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN CREATING COMMUNITY AWARENESS**

Vesna Milosevic-Zdjelar, B.Sc., B.Ed.
Instructor in Physics

ADMISSION TO DEGREES IN SCIENCE AND EDUCATION

Conferred by
The Chancellor, H. Sanford Riley



DEGREES FOR SCIENCE AND EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONOURS)

Sheila Patricia Ann Atchison	David James Harrison	Daniel Rheault
Rebecca Danielle Bergen	Chad Douglas Iverson	Peter Vincent Selby
Christin Heather Boschmann	Cheryl Anne Jones	Matthew Lee Simonson
Katrin Braasch	Laura Lynn Marginet	Ryan Peter Roy Smith
Laura Anne Elizabeth Burnip	Nathan Mbong	Jenna Gaylene Tichon
Cobus	Michael Harry McDonald	Stephanie Ann Van Den Bosch
Amrit Pal Dhillon	Bryan James McIntosh	Carolyn Ruth Weiss
Zhaopeng Fan	Raena Mina	Shawna Wolfe
Siavash Fazel Darbandi	Geoffrey David Moen	Bing Ye
Jessica Leanne Flamand	Olubodun Abisola	Laura Carolyn Zilke
Leigh-Anne Bridget Gillespie	Tracie Danae Parkinson	
Daniel Joseph Gladu	Cameron Patrick	
Laura Danielle Groening	Ryan Paul Allen Peters	

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (4-YEAR)

Daisydee Ubaldo Bautista	Naomi Happychuk	Jhonnathan Edenilson Menjivar
Ashleigh Lauren Boyce	Cobina Hardisty	Yuriy Roman Mokriy
Adam Michael Brisson	Robin Georgette Hiebert	Wajihah Mughal
Kimberly Bryson	Kristin Lee Hogg	Angelina Louise Murphy
Sara Gayle Bryson	Krista Kjarna Jamieson	Jill Elizabeth Peters
Christa Daniel Desrochers	Stephanie Jane Janz	Scott Alexander Reimer
Jacqueline Joy Dewar	Lindsay Hemminger-Kaletzke	Eric Gene Robinson
Erin Marie Dudley	Jonathan Bryan Kennedy	Heidi Marie Robinson
Jackie Lynn Dunn	Dmitri Krassioukov-Enns	Heather Irene Slivinski
Lee Matthew Fedorchuk	Jodi Lynn Larkin	Sean Michael Thomas
Stephen William Gietz	Mayumi Liyanage	Stefanie Christine Tudryn
Patrick Aidan Goeres	Holly Lockery	
Robert Scott Gourlay	Anne Elizabeth Reid Mattila	
Shantel Gushue	Todd Robert McKenzie	
Krista Lorraine Hanis	Lee Alan McTavish	



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Christine West Ackerman
Ian Scott Alexander
Liliane Allegro
Holly Marie Anderson
Kyle James Antonchuk
Lindsay Elizabeth Arnett
Gerlene Bogle
Laurie Eileen Boon
Lindsay Bowman
Reid Brown
John Theodore Burbank
Kyle Craig Burkett
Cai Wen Yan
Alix Michelle Cameron
Shannon Rae Campbell
Bree-Ann Alyssa Carruthers
Victoria Chau
Soujanya Sudha Chavali
Subha Chhibba
Sarah Clifford
Nicole Cook
Jessica Cudmore
Jennifer Lee Danyliw
Marvin John De Castro
Jillian Lee Dudar
Kamila Irena Duplak
Carl Douglas Durand
Jared Scott Dyck
Leslie Dawn Eyjolfson
Allison Paige Friesen
Robley Goff, B.A.
Charles Goss
Lindsay Marie Graham
Marcus Gwozdz
Jonathan George Hall
Kelly Kathryn Hall
James William Grant Harnett
Kristen Ashley Himpe
Stephanie Jean Hinrichs
Kaitlin Hodgins

Samantha Michelle Holschen
Quoc Minh Le Huynh
Laura Christine James
Kelsey Elizabeth Kent
Edward Khinich
Dayna Marie Kiesman
Jon Klassen
Rachel Suzanne Klassen
Melanie Fay Krahn
Ashley Dawn Kushnir
David James Lewis
Wei Li
Lo Siu Fung
Ya Xing Lu
Megan Catherine MacDonald
Marissa Tumaming Magnayi
Justin Tyler March
Kristine Marshall
Justin Niall Nevin Martin
Catherine Marie Marynick
Mbateta Gloria Mbulo
Kaitlyn Ashley McCormack
Jill McDonald
Jennifer Lee McKay
Sean Eric McMullen, B.A.
Shannon Joyce McNeill
Debbie Reyes Monton
Jarrett Morka
Shivani Neerajan
Cheryl Marie Newton
Kim Christina Nguyen
Meredith Anne Parker, B.A.(Carl.)
Selina Marie Passante
Leah Rochelle Peters
Justin Matthew Raap
Lorraine Roberts
Jessica Lauren Robinson
James Grant Rogers
Nikolaos Saites, B.A.(4 yr)(Man.)
Jacqueline Rachelle Samborski
Kayla Chantal Savard

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Neena Ann Felicity Schreiber	April Dawn Tremblay
Jagmeet Singh Sekhon	Marilyn Walker
Laura Alys Sexton	Lei Wang
Seth Richard Shaffer	Dustin Dennis Warelis
Jaskiran Sidhu	Joy Ruth Watson
Goldie Shayne Gatabonton Silva	John Angus Webb, B.A.(Tor.)
Davinder Hargovind Singh	Lindsey Gale Wegner
Rui Sun	Christopher Kirk West
Vitaliy Suprunov	Angela Dawn Wilson
Stephanie Tan	Meghan Elizabeth Wood
Stefano Francesco Tarantola	Breanne Elizabeth Yakel
André Tristan Tardiff, B.Sc.(Brandon)	Muhammad Sajid Yar Khan
Douglas Thevenot	Ashley June Young

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

Dimitra Aglogallos	Krista Susanne Bergsma
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Marshall Bradford Alcock, B.A.	Jenna Bernardin
Lauren Michelle Alex. B.A.	Sukhdeep Kaur Birdi
Christine Beatrice Alexander	Janat Ruby Blackmon, B.A.
Athanasios Alexiou	Donica Crystal Blatz, B.A.(Man.)
Holly Marie Anderson	Annette Camilla Blazewicz
Romaine Rivero Angeles	Julianna Brooke Borkowsky
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Elizabeth Armstrong	Lina Braun, B.A.
Debbie Maria Arruda	Rachel Kristjan Maendel Braun
Ashleigh Elizabeth Auty, B.A.(Hon.)(Queen's)	Sara Elisabeth Breedveld, B.A.
Anne Bachinski	Lisa Marie Briggs, B.A.
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Meagan Tiara Ballantine-Dickson, B.A.	Colin Bruce-Smith, B.Sc.
Paige Claire Bannister, B.A.	Logan Brunette
Shane Michael Barchuk	Matthew Wayne Buck, B.A.
Suzanne Marie Barrett	Corinne Bueckert
Cheryl Davilee Bates, B.A.	Karyn Leanne Busch
Veronique Christine Bedard, B.A.(Hon.)	Irene Cadotte
Karen Johnson Bees	Shannon Rae Campbell
Stacey Marie Beldom	Marie Jeanne Corinne Caron
Erin Katherine Bergeron	Miranda Lynn Chapman, B.A.

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Christopher Dimalanta, B.A.	Ryan Donald Hayes
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Jennifer Driedger	Tiffany Melissa Hersak
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Daniel Kolisnyk Edinborough	Jessica Lynn Hildebrand
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Kelli Marie Edson	Andrea Hladkyj
Christopher Kenneth Epp	Krista Holben
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Devin King	Matthew Richard Molinski
Melissa Kirkland, B.A.(Man.)	Collin Reid Moskal, B.A.
Jon Klassen	Myrna Joy Myers Piske, B.I.D.(Man.)
Nathaniel Reuben Klassen, B.A.(Prov.)	Naomi Negrych
Rachel Suzanne Klassen	Evelyn Faith Ng, B.A.
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Kasha Nicole Korchinski	Angelina Olivier-Job
Jena Lee Kostiuk	Colleen Lee Omand
Camille Nicole Krahn, B.A.	Myriame Moura Orloff, B.A.
Jeremie Kuypers	Megan Ottenbreit
Melissa Breanne Kwasny	Kelly Dawn Otto
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Desiree Lemieux, B.A.(Hon.)	Pamela Diane Penner, B.A.
Jenaya Nowell Loewen, B.Comm.(Hon.)	Jamie Pereira, B.Sc.(Man.)
(Man.), B.A.(Prov.)	Arlee Merle Mae Perry
Melissa Karleen Ryane Lutzer	Andrea Lynn Peters
Sean Michael MacRae, B.A.	Amanda Pettit, B.A.(New Mex.)
Nicolás Antonio Madrid	Stefanie Lauren Phillips
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Marnie Ann Malandrakis	Amanda Mary Lorraine Pomfret
Alisha Mann, B.A.	Yolanda Maria Poyner
Leanne Katherine Mann, B.Sc.	Sarah Nicole Poysti, B.A.(Man.)

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Suzana Prazeres	Katrina Rachel Suppes
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Melissa Correia Raposo	Daniel Rene Tougas
Jarrett Wilson Rempel	April Dawn Tremblay
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Rebecca Lauren Reynolds, B.A.	Lindsay Turbett
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Dean Kenneth Rigaux	Kimberly Van Lancker
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Mirelle Anne Robertson	Araceli Coloma Virgines
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Dariene Alanna Ross	Jenifer Dawn Waito
Jaspreet Kaur Saini	Joy Ruth Watson
Catherine Doreen Salter	Nathan Watson
Ottoniel Santizo Gonzalez, B.A.	Kent Mark Michael Andrew Whiteside, B.A.
Rachelle Wendy Sapiak, B.Sc.	Rina Blaine Starr Whitford, B.Sc.
Abby Laurence Schnurr	Holly Breanne Wicklund
Koffi Sedzro, B.A.(Benin)	Lisa Johanna Wicklund
Kathryn Marie Seidel, B.A.(Man.)	Jacqueline Wiebe
Janessa Michelle Selent	Ashlee Willner
Theresa Katarina Senez, B.A.	Angela Dawn Wilson
Peter Sherman, B.A.	Katherine Rose Wojtowicz, B.P.E.(Man.)
Darlene Patricia Sigurdson, B.A.	Ashley Rae Wonnick
Carly Jean Marie Slatcher, B.A.(Man.)	Colin Brett Wood
Kristi Lynn Sloboda	Yuriy Yamchuk, M.Sc.(Kiev St)
David Stewart, B.A.	Heather Marie Zinn, B.A.
Romeo Mendez Suban	Lisa Marie Zubert, B.Sc.(Hon.)(Exeter)
Jennifer Anne Sumerlus	



WELCOME TO THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Barbara Kelly, BA, Cert.Comm.

President, The University of Winnipeg Alumni Association

THE DISTINGUISHED ALUMNI AWARD

Earl E. Backman, B.Sc.

Class of 1968

Presented by Barbara Kelly

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

Tracie Parkinson, B.Sc.(Hons.)

NATIONAL ANTHEM

O Canada! Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all thy sons 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.

RETIREMENT OF THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The audience is requested to remain in their places until the academic procession has retired.

An informal reception will be held immediately following the recessional on Spence Street. In the event of inclement weather, the reception will be held in Riddell Hall.

We invite you to enjoy our campus.



Eighty-Seventh Convocation **Order of Proceedings**

3:00 p.m.

for the conferring of degrees in Theology, Joint Masters, Arts,
and Business Administration

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President and Vice-Chancellor, presiding

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GREETINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT

The Honourable Lloyd Axworthy, PC, BA, PhD, LLD, OC, OM

CONFERRING OF HONORARY DEGREES

Conferred by
Chancellor H. Sanford Riley, CM, BA, LLB

Honorary Doctor of Laws
Mohinder Singh Dhillon, BA (Hons.)

Presented by
Neil K. Besner, BA (Hons.), MA, PhD
Associate Vice-President (International)



Address to the Graduates
Mohinder Singh Dhillon

Honorary Doctor of Laws
James A. Richardson

Presented by
Michael Benarroch, BA (Hons.), MA, PhD
Acting Dean, Faculty of Business and Economics

Address to the Graduates
James A. Richardson

ADMISSION TO FELLOWSHIP IN UNITED COLLEGE
Claudia A. Wright, AB, MA, PhD

Presented by
Brian Stevenson, BA (Hons.), MA, PhD
Vice-President (Academic)

**THE ROBIN H. FARQUHAR AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN CONTRIBUTING TO SELF-GOVERNANCE**
Michael Benarroch, BA (Hons.), MA, PhD
Acting Dean, Faculty of Business and Economics

**ADMISSION TO DEGREES IN THEOLOGY, JOINT MASTERS,
ARTS AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**
Conferred by
The Chancellor, H. Sanford Riley



MASTER OF DIVINITY

Connie Doreen Epp, B.A.(Hon.), B.C.S.(Concord Coll.)
Juergen Hamm, B.A.(Prov.)
Irma Karen Pangborn, B.G.S.(Brandon)

MASTER OF ARTS (THEOLOGY)

Megan Elizabeth Barritt-Flatt, B.A.(Adv.)(Man.)
Esther Ruth Epp-Tiessen, B.A., M.A.(Man.)
Helen Wanda Mikolajewski, B.A.(Hon.), M.P.A.
Elsie Hannah Ruth Rempel, B.Ed., B.A.(Man.)
Philip Wright, B.Th.(C.B.Coll.)
Gayle Helen Zacharias, B.A.(Wat.), B.Ed.(Man.)

MASTER OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (JOINT UM)

Leah Cranston
Charlene Ducharme*
Daniel Fehr, B.A.(Hon.)(Man.)
Sarah Gamblin*
Emily Grafton
Jeffrey Honey
Patrick Lagioia
Emma McDonald*
Ida McKay*
Mary McGunigal, B.A., LL.B.(Man.)
Alfred Muswagon*



MASTER OF ARTS (JOINT UM)

Nathan Hoepfner*
Kristopher Keen
Roland Pajares*
John Richthammer*

**as at February 2008*

BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS)

Mitchell Robert Ashcroft
Maureen Nicole Babb
Jennilee Beaupré
Anna Hilary Bergen
Laura Blackwood
Alexandra Rachel Bolton
Amy Brar
Heather Lee Brereton
Kristen Kimberly Bromilow
Maria Elizabeth Bromilow
Colin Robert Campbell
Anny Chen
Spencer Timothy Chimuk
Jennifer Ellen Ching
Nicole Michele Coppens
Michelle Leanne Crease
Claire Kathleen Dalmyn
Leah Annette DeGagné
Janelle Natalia Delaquis
Manvir Singh Dhoot
Sayer Scott Down
Vanessa Dyck
Melissa Marie Dzwonek
Adrian Idong Essiet
John Laurence Forrest
Shari Beth Fournier
Aaron Richard Frost
Mathew Claude Gagné
Katherine Marisol Gall
Sadira Garfinkel

Brittany Goulding
Gillian Lindsay Grodzik
Hayley Katherine Grunsten
Alexander David Gunn
Alexander Laurence Hall, B.A.(Man.)
Britt Lise Harvey
Jonathan Gregory Hildebrand
Rebecca Jayne Hildebrand
Ainsley Jane Hillyard
Meijiao Hong
Amanda Leigh Horn
Daniel Asad Howlader
Bree Ann Hoyer
Trevor Ryan Janz
Fan Li Jia
Corie Daun Johnston
Hendrik Johannes Jordaan, B.A. (North West Univ. S.Africa)
James Matthew Ward Kennedy
David Ronald Kille
Aaron Joshua Klassen
Abigail Ray Klassen
Benita Nicole Kliewer, B.A.(CMU)
Rachel Anne Kosatsky
Ashley Elizabeth Langford
Ji-Eun Lee
Lee Seow Chia
Whitney Mae Elizabeth Light
Tanya Kathryn Loeppky
Ruth Elizabeth Lowe
Cameron Kenneth David MacLean

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BACHELOR OF ARTS (HONOURS) *(continued)*

Dragana Majhen	Sheena Lenora Sanderson
Kanyika Mangachi	Benjamin Jacob Isaac Schellenberg
Kristin Marie Marand	Karla Evelyn Schulz
Joel Paul Marion	Trevor Curtis Shaw
Suzanne Elisabeth Martin	Anna Elizabeth Shumilak
Jessica Laura Mayor	Katherine Dianne Sjoberg
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Jillian McIntosh	Erica Dawn Steinke
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NATIONAL ANTHEM

O Canada! Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all thy sons 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.

RETIREMENT OF THE ACADEMIC PROCESSION

The audience is requested to remain in their places until the academic procession has retired.

An informal reception will be held immediately following the recessional on Spence Street. In the event of inclement weather, the reception will be held in Riddell Hall.

We invite you to enjoy our campus.



UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG SPRING CONVOCATION AWARD RECIPIENTS

June 1, 2008

MEDALS FOR OVERALL ACHIEVEMENT

The Governor General's Gold Medal for the highest standing in a Master's degree

Jordan Wolfe *as at October, 2007*

The Governor General's Silver Medal for the highest standing in an undergraduate degree

Seth Richard Shaffer

The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Arts (Honours course)

Rebecca Jayne Hildebrand

The University Silver Medal for the second highest standing in Arts (Honours course)

Ashley Elizabeth Langford

The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Arts (4 year course)

Christopher James Ewert

The University Silver Medal for the second highest standing in Arts (4 year course)

Marika Daria Hazel Olynyk

The Lieutenant Governor's Medal for the highest standing in Arts (General course)

Tara Siobhan Heida Norberg

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Walburga Bshouty

The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Business and Economics (4-year course)

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The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Science (Honours course)

Stephanie Ann Van Den Bosch

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The University Silver Medal for the second highest standing in Science (Honours course)

Lee Elizabeth Hrenchuk *as at October, 2007*

The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Science (4 year course)

Christa Daniel Desrochers

The University Silver Medal for the second highest standing in Science (4 year course)

Jacqueline Joy Dewar

The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Science (General course)

Seth Richard Shaffer

The University Silver Medal for the second highest standing in Science (General course)

Alana Serena Lajoie-O'Malley

as at October, 2007

The Chancellor's Gold Medal for the highest standing in Education

Joy Ruth Watson

The University Silver Medal for the second highest standing in Education

Cara Camille Hart

The O.T. Anderson Award (for distinguished academic and extra curricular performance)

Benjamin Jacob Isaac Schellenberg

The Mayor's Medal

Johnathan Benjamin Osborne



MEDALS FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN AN HONOURS COURSE

Aboriginal Governance (Honours course)
No award

Anthropology (Honours course)
Claire Kathleen Dalmyn

Applied Computer Science (Honours course)
Matthew Lee Simonson

Biochemistry (Honours course)
Stephanie Ann Van Den Bosch

Biology (Honours course)
Lee Elizabeth Hrenchuk *as at October, 2007*

Biopsychology (Honours course)
No award

Chemistry (Honours course)
Lisa Marie Stewart *as at October, 2007*

Classics (Honours course)
No award

Dance (Honours course)
Anna Hilary Bergen

Economics (Honours course)
Takahashi Hidenori

English (Honours course)
in memory of Professor R.N. Hallstead
Rebecca Jayne Hildebrand

French Studies (Honours course)
Krista Michelle Wawrykow

Geography (Honours course)
Katherine Michelle Hastings
as at October, 2007

German Studies (Honours course)
No award

History (Honours course)
Anna Elizabeth Shumilak

Mathematics (Honours course)
Jenna Gaylene Tichon

Philosophy (Honours course)
Ruth Elizabeth Lowe

Physics (Honours course)
Michael Harry McDonald

Politics (Honours course)
Karla Evelyn Schulz

Psychology (Honours course)
in memory of Dr. C.J. Robson
Ashley Elizabeth Langford

Religious Studies (Honours course)
Dragan Majhen

Sociology (Honours course)
Benita Nicole Kliewer

Student-Designed Major (Honours course)
Colleen Lynn Pawlychka

Theatre & Film (Honours course)
Suzanne Elizabeth Martin

Women's and Gender Studies (Honours course)
Courtney Anne Slobogian *as at October, 2007*



MEDALS FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN A 4-YEAR COURSE

Business & Administration (4-year course)
Jie Han as at October, 2007

French Studies (4-year course)
No award

Anthropology (4 year course)
No award

Geography (4 year course)
Jacqueline Joy Dewar

Applied Computer Science (4-year course)
No award

German Studies (4 year course)
No award

Bioanthropology (4-year course)
Ashleigh Lauren Boyce

History (4 year course)
No award

Biochemistry (4-year course)
Laura Lynn Marginet

International Development Studies
(4-year course)
Christopher James Ewert

Biology (4 year course)
Robert Scott Gourlay

Kinesiology & Applied Health
(4-year course)
Nicola Dirks

Biopsychology (4-year course)
No award

Mathematics (4 year course)
No award

Chemistry (4 year course)
Yonas Yemane Negassi as at October, 2007

Philosophy (4 year course)
No award

Classics (4 year course)
No award

Physics (4 year course)
No award

Combined Major (4-year course)
No award

Politics (4 year course)
No award

Communications (4-year course)
Matthew David Lacroix

Religious Studies (4 year course)
No award

Conflict Resolution Studies (4-year course)
Laura Lee Normand

Rhetoric & Communications
(4-year course)
Margaret MacAulay

Developmental Studies (4-year course)
No award

Economics (4 year course)
Christopher James Ewert

Sociology (4 year course)
Jeffrey Andrews as at October, 2007

English (4 year course)
Graca Resendes

Statistics (4-year course)
Jenna Gaylene Tichon

Environmental Studies (4-year course)
Marika Daria Hazel Olynyk

Women's and Gender Studies
(4-year course)
No award



MEDALS FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN A GENERAL COURSE

Aboriginal Governance (General course)
No award

Business & Administration
(General course)
Anna Aileen Juangco-Maniquiz

Anthropology (General course)
Lauren Anna Benson

Applied Computer Science (General course)
Michael Bialowas *as at October, 2007*

Bioanthropology (General course)
No award

Biochemistry (General course)
Seth Richard Shaffer

Biology (General course)
Stephanie Ann Van Den Bosch

Biopsychology (General course)
John Angus Webb

Chemistry (General course)
Stephanie Ann Van Den Bosch

Classics (General course)
Walburga Bshouty

Combined Major (General course)
No award

Conflict Resolution Studies
(General course)
Martine Alexandra Friesen

Criminal Justice (General course)
Jillian Leigh Carrington

Dance (General course)
No award

Developmental Studies (General course)
Nicole Elise Desorcy *as at October, 2007*

Economics (General course)
Zhen Zhong Wang

English (General course)
in memory of Professor R.N. Hallstead
Lorissa Janelle Thiessen

Environmental Studies (General course)
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French Studies (General course)
Jie Han *as at October, 2007*

Geography (General course)
David Johnson *as at October, 2007*

German Studies (General course)
Walburga Bshouty

History (General course)
Christopher James Ladd

History of Art (General course)
No award

International Development Studies
(General course)
Judith Lynne Biber *as at October, 2007*

Kinesiology & Applied Health
(General course)
Daniel Andrew Mazur *as at October, 2007*

Mathematics (General course)
in memory of Dean O.T. Anderson
Samantha Michelle Holschen

Philosophy (General course)
No award

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MEDALS FOR ACHIEVEMENT IN A GENERAL COURSE *(continued)*

Physics (General course)
Alana Serena Lajoie-O'Malley
as at October, 2007

Politics (General course)
Sarah Solveig Murdoch

Psychology (General course)
in memory of Dr. A.R. Cragg
Tara Siobhan
Heidi Norberg

Religious Studies (General course)
Vicki Suzanne Friesen *as at October, 2007*

Rhetoric & Communications
(General course)
Ruth Elizabeth Lowe

Sociology (General course)
Kristee Dawn Logan

Statistics (General course)
Breanne Elizabeth Yakel

Theatre & Film (General course)
Sarah Elizabeth Gurevich

Women's and Gender Studies
(General course)
No award

OTHER AWARDS

The Certified General Accountants
Association of Manitoba Prize in
Business & Administration
Anna Aileen Juangco-Maniquiz

The Dr. Dan A. Chekki Prize for
Excellence in Sociology
Matthew Claude Gagné

The Bill Gadsby Pre-Service
Teaching Award
Christine Elizabeth Baker
Alyssa Cherish Rajotte

The Ron Norton Prize in Psychology
David Ronald Kille

The Swiss Ambassador Book Prize
for Distinction in French Studies
Alexander Laurence Hall

The Swiss Ambassador Book Prize for
Distinction in German Studies
Amanda Julie Katherine Schmidt
as at October, 2007

**The University of Winnipeg
The Eighty-Seventh Convocation**

Honorees



John Langstaff, B.Sc., Ph.D

Honorary Doctor of Science

John Langstaff is an individual who is actively committed to the development of science and to the advancement of the healthcare industry in Canada.

Langstaff, a 2001 Distinguished Alumnus of The University of Winnipeg, is an international leader in pharmaceutical research and development. The President & CEO of Cangene Corporation, Langstaff has been influential in developing excellence in the biotechnology industry in Manitoba.

Under Langstaff's leadership, Cangene has become a world leader in the development, manufacture and commercialization of specialty hyperimmune plasma and biotechnology products. These antibody products may aid in the fight against challenging diseases such as Hepatitis B, smallpox, Ebola, anthrax and SARS.

His direction has led to Cangene being recognized as one of Canada's best employers, one of Canada's fastest growing companies and one of the world's Top-100 biotechnology

companies. His industry contributions outside of Cangene are also significant. A present member of the Board of Directors for Biotech Canada and the University of North Dakota Research Foundation, Langstaff has also served as a member of the Board of Directors for the International Centre for Disease Control and the chairman of Bionet – an Industry Development Initiative of the Government of Canada.

Today, The University of Winnipeg is honoured to present John Langstaff with an Honorary Doctor of Science for his long, remarkable career in science and healthcare.



Sharon Hope Irwin, B.A., M.A., Ed.D

Honorary Doctor of Laws

For more than 25 years Irwin has dedicated her efforts to children with special needs. The founding director of SpeciaLink – the National Centre for Child Care Inclusion, Irwin has served on numerous commissions, working groups, task forces and committees with the purpose of disseminating successful inclusive child care practices and policies.

She is an advocate for young children with special needs and their families, locally, regionally and nationally, serving on numerous commissions, working groups, task forces and committees.

As Senior Researcher of SpeciaLink, the National Centre for Child Care Inclusion, her work took her across Canada, identifying, analyzing and disseminating successful inclusive practices and policies in child care.

Her work for the special needs project of the Canadian Union of Postal Workers helped to add a labour partner to the growing movement for equitable treatment of children with special needs and their families.

Among her many publications, Irwin is the primary author of the SpeciaLink Child Care Inclusion Scales, a tool for measuring inclusion and for helping centres work towards higher inclusion quality. Irwin has provided training in these Inclusion Scales to more than 2,500 child care staff and related professionals across Canada and the United States, often in collaboration with Debra Mayer of Winnipeg, the current director of SpeciaLink.

Today, The University of Winnipeg is honoured to present Sharon Hope Irwin with an Honorary Doctor of Laws for her outstanding work in the area of inclusive child care and early intervention programs.





Mohinder Singh Dhillon, B.A. (Hons.)

Honorary Doctor of Laws

Mohinder Singh Dhillon is an entrepreneur and well-respected leader in Manitoba's Indo-Canadian community. Throughout his life, he has championed diversity and multiculturalism. He is an ardent advocate for human rights and is devoted to supporting Manitoba's new immigrants.

"Mohinder is an excellent role model for our community," said President & Vice Chancellor Dr. Lloyd Axworthy. "He illustrates the ideals of leadership, engaged citizenship and service that we wish to instill in our students and which express the values of our University."

Dhillon arrived in Winnipeg in 1967, Canada's Centennial Year, and has been contributing to the fabric of his community ever since. As a new immigrant, he was familiar with the challenges that many new Canadians face upon their arrival in Manitoba while raising a family.

Upon his arrival, he worked full-time at Bristol Aerospace. Today, he leads his own real estate company R & R Realty,

which he currently operates while making a contribution to his community.

Dhillon's work with the Manitoba Interfaith Immigration Council has helped welcome and integrate close to 5,000 refugees and new immigrants to our province.

Dhillon has contributed his time and effort to more than 30 organizations including his serving as an advisory board for the Canadian Museum for Human Rights and The University of Winnipeg's Global College.

The University of Winnipeg is proud to present Mohinder Singh Dhillon with an Honorary Doctor of Laws for a remarkable lifetime of community service activities.



James A. Richardson, B.A.

Honorary Doctor of Laws

James A. Richardson is the great-grandson and namesake of the founder of James A. Richardson & Sons, Limited, a company that has contributed to Canada's growth since 1857. Richardson not only inherited his grandfather's name, he also inherited his grandfather's leadership skills and the family spirit of philanthropy. Richardson is renowned for his business acumen and tireless commitment to our community.

Richardson attended The University of Winnipeg Collegiate before obtaining a BA from Queen's University and launching his career at James A. Richardson & Sons, Limited.

Richardson's vision and practice of philanthropy is 'get involved', which he demonstrated at an early age.

For decades Richardson, has been at the forefront of community service, serving diverse organizations such as the Canadian Paraplegic Association, Big Brothers Big Sisters and the Canadian Olympic Foundation. His insight, leadership and generosity also extend to The University

of Winnipeg, where he has contributed to the University, The Collegiate and The University of Winnipeg Foundation.

As a dedicated conservationist, Richardson is involved with Ducks Unlimited Canada, the International Wetlands and Waterfowl Research Institute and the Nature of Conservancy of Canada.

Richardson gives generously of his time, having serving on numerous boards and associations where he shares his insight and wisdom to benefit our community.

James A. Richardson is awarded an Honorary Doctor of Laws in recognition of his inspiring philanthropy and continuous involvement in improving our community.





Claudia A. Wright, AB, MA, PhD

Fellowship in United College

Claudia Wright has been instrumental in the creation of two critically important new programs at The University of Winnipeg – the Aboriginal Governance program and the Urban and Inner-City Studies program.

At her retirement in July 2007, Wright was Vice-President, Research and Graduate Studies, having served the University for more than 38 years. With the same dedication, Wright has served the wider community, most notably in her commitment to human rights and multiculturalism.

From 1984 to 1988, Wright served as Chairperson of the Manitoba Human Rights Commission, and was instrumental in introducing a new human rights code for Manitoba. She also co-chaired the provincial Manitoba Task Force on Multiculturalism, was Vice-President of the Canadian Association of Statutory Human Rights Agencies and served on the Mayor's Advisory Committee on Race Relations for the City of Winnipeg. In each of these roles she brought credit and distinction to The University of

Winnipeg and was honoured with numerous awards including: The Clarence Atchison Award for Community Service (1985); the National Black Coalition of Canada Distinguished Service Award for Political Action and Education in the Community (1983-84); the YWCA Woman of the Year Award for Public Affairs (1985).

Before joining the senior executive team at The University of Winnipeg, Wright was the Dean of Social Science and an active member of the Faculty Association.

Claudia Wright's admission to Fellowship in United College recognizes four decades of untiring public service to both The University of Winnipeg and the broader community.



Earl E. Backman, B.Sc.

Distinguished Alumni Award

Earl Backman (B.Sc.'68) was born and raised on a dairy farm in Lundar, Manitoba in the Interlake Region 75 miles north of Winnipeg. The ninth of nine children, he attended high school in Lundar and Warren, Manitoba. He and his future wife Candace initially studied at United College. Both graduated with Bachelor of Science degrees from the newly chartered University of Winnipeg in 1968.

Backman recently retired after 35 years of public service in Manitoba. In February 1997, he became Chief Executive Officer of the Brandon Regional Health Authority, which was the only fully integrated Health Services Region in the province, having responsibility for delivery of a full spectrum of health care services directly to Brandon, and regionally to 180,000 people in Western Manitoba. Backman had previously served as city manager of the City of Brandon for 14 years, where he was responsible for all traditional city operations, the Municipal Airport and Fire/Emergency/Ambulance Services.

Earlier in his career, he spent 14 years (1969-1983) with the Government of Manitoba, including positions in the Departments of Public Health; Health and Social Development; Management Committee of Cabinet (Treasury Board); Education and The Public Schools Finance Board. Backman has always been active in community life. While working and raising a family for 25 years in the Winnipeg area, he served as the youngest board member of the Misericordia Hospital and also

was elected its youngest Chair of the Board. He has maintained a close interest in the hospital's operations over the years, participating as an originating member of the Misericordia Hospital Foundation.

During 20 years in Brandon, Backman was also very actively involved with a number of organizations, including the Chamber of Commerce, the Brandon Economic Development Board, Venture Corporation, Wheat Belt Community Futures, the Keystone Centre, the Downtown Business Improvement District and the Assiniboine Riverbank Development Board. He also coached youth hockey and baseball teams.

Backman served as Chair of the successful 1997 Canada Summer Games Bid Committee and Chair of the Board of Governors of the Host Society for those highly successful Games.

An avid golfer and baseball player, Backman continues to volunteer and participate in a variety of sporting activities.





Athar Ata, B.Sc., M.Sc., PhD

The Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Excellence in Teaching

Athar Ata is an associate professor of chemistry at The University of Winnipeg, renowned for his energy and enthusiasm. Ata has an excellent reputation as a teacher that is exemplified in his full classes, especially for non-required courses.

Associate Professor and Acting Chair of Chemistry Désirée Vanderwel describes Ata as “the anchor of the chemistry program” at The University of Winnipeg. He has trained and mentored numerous students in his labs who have continued their academic success in research, published work and awards.

He is a consummate researcher who shares his knowledge. Ata’s labs are known to engage, motivate and educate future chemists while instilling the highest research standards. Ata serves as an excellent role model for his students. The Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Excellence in Teaching is earned by gaining the respect, support, admiration and recognition of students. As one student wrote, “Dr. Ata is the most influential

professor I have yet to encounter. He demonstrates a true love and passion for teaching in the classroom.” Another student said, “Dr. Ata’s gift for presenting complex concepts in the least complex manner is a hallmark of teaching excellence.”



This prestigious acknowledgement by his students is a testimony to Ata’s commitment, love and dedication in his classrooms, his labs and his field of work.

The University of Winnipeg is proud to present Athar Ata with The Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Vesna Milosevic-Zdjelar, B.Sc., B.Ed.

The Marsha Hanen Award for Excellence in Creating Community Awareness

Vesna Milosevic-Zdjelar joined The University of Winnipeg’s Physics Department in 2000 and since that time, she has made important contributions in the area of creating community awareness.

In particular, her passion for science education has led to several high-profile science outreach programs. Let’s Talk Science is a program where University faculty and students visit area schools or host field trips to the University to promote science awareness and literacy, in a hands-on manner.

Milosevic-Zdjelar is one of the main coordinators for UWinnipeg’s participation in the NSERC Promoscience Program – a program that features a series of weekly science activities at the Manitoba Children’s Museum.

Milosevic-Zdjelar has also helped with the CSI program of summer camps for inner-city schools that is run through the Social Planning Council of Winnipeg. The program

helps at-risk elementary students stay involved in learning over the summer months.

She assists with the organization of the Homework Club at the Wii Chiiwaakanak Learning Centre, presents at conferences and symposia for science teachers, judges science fairs, serves as a mentor to numerous teachers and students, and speaks to several outside organizations – all while maintaining a heavy teaching load at the University.



Today, The University of Winnipeg is honoured to present Vesna Milosevic-Zdjelar with the Marsha Hanen Award for Excellence in Creating Community Awareness.



Michael Benarroch, B.A. (Hons.), M.A., Ph.D

The Robin H. Farquhar for Excellence in Contributing to Self-Governance

What most distinguishes Dr. Michael Benarroch's commitment and service to the University is the quality of his work and his willingness to assume leadership. To date, he has been an active member of 36 committees, often acting as chair. His latest contribution has led to the development of the innovative new Faculty of Business and Economics, a unique blend of business and liberal arts curriculum designed to nurture the next generation of socially conscious business leaders. His energy and enthusiasm in seeing this complex project through from inception is a testament to his ongoing commitment.

During Benarroch's 16-year tenure, he has served The University of Winnipeg Faculty Association, and has taken up responsibilities on Senate and with the Board of Regents. He often steps forward to take on difficult and time-consuming tasks, for instance, as chair of the Faculty Personnel and Tenure Committee, where he earned the respect of all for his fair and reasoned judgment.

Benarroch has demonstrated a profound personal and professional commitment to the betterment of this institution and to attaining excellence in self governance. He has accomplished all this while chairing the department, carrying out a productive research agenda, and being available for media interviews and public events on behalf of the University.

Dr. Michael Benarroch receives the Robin H. Farquhar Award today for excellence in contributing, for 16 years, to self-governance at the University of Winnipeg.



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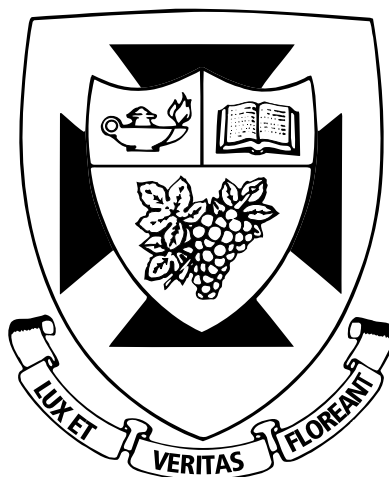
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The University of Winnipeg Coat of Arms

The Coat of Arms of The University of Winnipeg was officially adopted by the governing bodies of the University during the academic session of 1972-73.

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

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



Academic Dress

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

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

The edging colour on the hood indicates the faculty in which a degree is conferred: Theology – red; Science – gold; Education – blue; Arts – white. The width of edging is determined by the degree: three inches for doctors; two inches for masters and bachelors. Hoods are lined in red with a white chevron.

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

The Banner

The banner, prominently displaying the Coat of Arms, was unveiled in 1988. The volunteer effort of Pat Corner, Fran Farquhar, Susan Ferguson, and Sonya C. Wright took more than 1,000 hours. Over 400 meters of thread and 30 meters of wool material went into the project using traditional techniques such as quilting, embroidery, and crewel.



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