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Spring has sprung!

At our last Council meeting in Fredericton I challenged all councillors to think of a personal event that they could host to promote, showcase, highlight, or talk about our university. For this spring issue, I am challenging all grads to do the same.

We are all members of a special club. The name of our club is the UNB Associated Alumni. When people are members of a club I feel that they all have a responsibility. Our responsibility is to ensure that UNB remains the vibrant, dynamic, academically sound institution that it has been for 226 years.

We can all speak positively about UNB in our local communities. We can all encourage family members and friends to think of attending UNB. We can all keep in touch with the alumni office. We can all attend local events that are advertised on the Associated Alumni website. We can all take advantage of our affinity programs. We can all wear UNB clothing or display a UNB banner.

Think about saying yes to at least one of these items. Even better, let me know about other items I have forgotten. I haven't forgotten about **Homecoming 2012** from Sept. 27 to 30. All alumni can attend Homecoming, and I'd like to extend a special invitation to those who graduated in a year that ends in a two or a seven. I am counting on seeing you there.

As this magazine goes to print the campuses are getting ready for graduation, and I will have the pleasure – on your behalf – of welcoming all our

Welcome aboard, Shawn!

In this edition of *Alumni News*, we welcome our newest alumni office staff member, Shawn Amos, to the position of Alumni Community Manager.

Shawn is a 2009 BBA graduate, a Fredericton native, and comes back to UNB after holding positions with Radian6 and Moosehead Breweries in their social media and marketing divisions. Shawn will be focusing on building a higher profile for UNB alumni online as well as taking over as managing

new alumni. My position affords me the opportunity to meet many students...a definite highlight. I wish all students good luck on their exams. I look forward to meeting our new graduates and having the opportunity to present them with our Associated Alumni pins and watch them get their graduating coins. (Another reason to come to Homecoming would be to check out these keepsakes!)

Congratulations to our Varsity Reds men's hockey team for winning the AUS championship and putting in a great showing at the CIS national championship tournament in Fredericton.

We have enjoyed watching the games and hosting our hockey alumni in the Associated Alumni box.

Both our Varsity Reds and our Saint John Seawolves graduating athletes will receive watches from the Associated Alumni. We are very proud of all athletes who represent us in competition. They carry a large load with classes and practices.

It would be great hear from you. Keep in touch at hjn@unb.ca.

Finally, don't forget to vote for new or returning UNB Associated Alumni councillors!

Happy Spring,

Heather Neilson
President, Associated Alumni

editor of *Alumni News* and working with the larger UNB team to provide communications of various forms to all alumni and friends. Please feel free to contact Shawn at any time via email at: shawn.amos@unb.ca or by phone at (506) 451-6929.

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Above: President Eddy Campbell speaks with Gordon Pitts.

A conversation with the president: UNB's role in New Brunswick's future

Dear Alumni,

Our society is changing. Challenging times lie ahead as governments deal with deficits, attempt to reorganize services, and contend with an aging population. Beyond educating the next generation of New Brunswick minds, the University of New Brunswick can play a large role in helping to address these challenges. In fact, this work has already begun.

An update on UNB's plans and accomplishments, a president's report to the community, in the form of an interview in which I participated with journalist and author Gordon Pitts is now available on our website.

The catalyst for this conversation was the publication, earlier this year, of an economic impact study commissioned to understand the degree to which UNB plays a role in contributing to the provincial

economy. The highlights of this study and the interview can be found at: www.unb.ca/conversation.

The work and research of UNB's faculty, students and staff have already contributed positively to the advancement of New Brunswick's economy, culture, and social fabric. We can and must do more.

I hope you enjoy reading and learning more about UNB's place in our world, and welcome your feedback and ideas.

Sincerely,

H.E.A. (Eddy) Campbell
President and Vice-Chancellor



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Above: Sean Dunbar (BA'91, LLB'93). [Photo: Rob Blanchard]

ALUMNI PROFILE: Sean Dunbar

What happens when a New Brunswick craft brewery wins the 2011 Brewery of the Year award at the Canadian Brewing Awards?

If you're Sean Dunbar (BA'91, LLB'93), president of the Northampton Brewing Company and brewer of Picaroons, he keeps on keepin' on.

"Winning Brewery of the Year gave us a lot of recognition and attention from across Canada," he says. "I guess that makes us a 10-year overnight success."

Picaroons Traditional Ales – a collection of 12 craft beers with names like Melon Head, Dark and Stormy Night, and Yippee IPA – started out as a UNB MBA thesis that explored the idea of starting a brewery.

The idea took root with Dunbar and fellow UNBers Pete Stapleton (B.Sc.'89, MSE'92), Cameron Gunn (BEd'89, LLB'93) and Andy Hashey (BBA'90, LLB'93). While they studied for the bar exam and finished their articles, Dunbar and Hashey pulled together a business plan that became the foundation on which Picaroons was built.

"Right from day one the company has grown under

our feet," says Dunbar. "There's a lot of demand, and it's a good time to be doing what we do."

And they do it well. Their beers have been winning Canadian Brewing Awards since 2005.

"We sell our products in New Brunswick and a few locations in Nova Scotia," he says. "And our customers want more: every time we think we'll have excess inventory to bring to a new market, New Brunswick soaks it up."

Their motto is: Helping the world, one beer at a time.

"Right now I'd like that to mean that we expand our certified organic product offering by sourcing even more organic product from acreage right here at home," says Dunbar. "We want to stay true to our New Brunswick roots, but we also want to show the world what New Brunswick can do." 🍷

Learn more online:

www.picaroons.ca

2011 Canadian Brewing Awards video:

<http://bit.ly/yezvDp>

Touching base with: Office of Research Services

Key facts:

35

of patents issued (with another 82 being processed) between 2001-2011

206

of research disclosures prepared between 2001-2011

18

of startup companies created between 2001-2011

\$53,244,182.00

amount of research funding at the university during the last fiscal year

69

per cent increase of research funding at the Saint John campus during the last fiscal year

almost 80


per cent of university research conducted in the province, taking place at UNB

At right: Karen Kidd, Canada Research Chair and professor of biology at UNB Saint John (at right) works with a graduate student.

The Office of Research Services, with representation on both the Fredericton and Saint John campuses, is responsible for supporting the research enterprise at UNB.

“That means we process the paperwork associated with research activation, including research disclosure documents and patent filings,” says Dwight Ball, executive director. “We also facilitate the knowledge transfer process by developing licensing agreements and contracts that protect the intellectual property of faculty members and promote business development through partnership identification in support of the agendas of our researchers on both campuses.”

At UNB, intellectual property belongs to the researcher, and any commercialization-related revenues are split between the researcher and the university, if the university assists in its development and/or commercialization, according to a mutually agreed-upon contract.

“The majority of our funding comes from grants, but another large chunk comes from contracts, some of which originate from companies staffed by alumni who direct their employers to UNB for the expertise they require on a given project,” says Ball. 





FOLLOW UP:

Pond Deshpande Centre for Innovation and Entrepreneurship hires executive director

Karina LeBlanc has joined the Pond Deshpande Centre as its first executive director. With more than 15 years’ experience in senior management in both Fortune 500 and start-up companies, Ms. LeBlanc is a specialist in bringing new products to market – from beta testing and market validation to market launch, sales process development, selling and customer support strategies.

“My formal training in engineering and business, 10 years in the trenches with two different start-up companies and most recently as a consultant, helping entrepreneurs bring their ideas to market through market validation studies and raising early stage financing, all of these experiences have inspired me to become part of the wave of new innovation in the province.” – Karina LeBlanc 🌹

At left: Karina LeBlanc [Photo: Joy Cummings]

Enhancing student-alumni engagement

Ask any UNB alumni why they have stayed engaged with their alma mater and chances are they will say it’s because they had a great student experience.

We’ve done the research: the more positively a current UNB student views his/her university experience, the more likely he/she is to continue a relationship with UNB beyond graduation.

The UNB Associated Alumni Office has been working to find new and innovative ways to play a positive role in the current student experience. We have worked with numerous student groups on campus to plan events that allow alumni and students to interact, learn and share:

- The new alumni box at the Aitken Centre has hosted both members of the UNB Student Union and members of the 2012 graduating class on two separate occasions.
- The office has sponsored alumni panel sessions that allow students and alumni to meet and discuss specific career fields and paths.
- Starting this year, the association will present a Club of the Year Award to a student organization that demonstrates a deep involvement in campus life. This year’s winner, UNB Engineers Without Borders, received the inaugural award at the UNB Student Union Recognition Night on March 30.

- Other events include a Grad Class Program with more events and promotion, including engagement of students with current young alumni at an early screening of the blockbuster movie, *The Hunger Games*, and a wine and cheese networking event that saw students learn how to connect with alumni through a speed networking social.

With the continued development of student/alumni networking programs and other means to enhance the UNB experience, the UNB Associated Alumni Office is looking forward to even more exciting events and activities. 🌹

Below: Amanda Libby (BBA’12) and Simon Bowser (BBA’12) in the Associated Alumni box at the Aitken Centre. [Photo: Supplied]



@UNB: The Andrew and Marjorie McCain Human Performance Laboratory

The Andrew and Marjorie McCain Human Performance Laboratory is a research, education and clinical service facility within the faculty of kinesiology at the University of New Brunswick.

Located in The Richard J. CURRIE CENTER, the state-of-the-art laboratory is designed to discover, disseminate and apply knowledge related to biomechanics and the neuromuscular physiology of human movement. It is managed by Dr. Vicky Chester and Dr. Usha Kuruganti, both associate professors in the faculty of kinesiology; and Dr. Chris McGibbon, a professor in the faculty of kinesiology and at the Institute of Biomedical Engineering.

“We have some absolutely amazing tools in this lab, and they have really broadened the scope and accuracy of the work we can do,” says Chester.

Thanks to the funding received from the family of Andrew and Marjorie McCain, the lab is equipped with 12 Vicon T160 cameras – top of the line motion capture cameras that allow researchers to collect up to 2,000 frames per second at 16 times the resolution of the cameras the faculty was using previously.

“These are the cameras Hollywood is using to create video games and animations for big-budget movies. They use the information to create realism, we use it to be accurate,” explains Chester.

The lab is also equipped with force plates, which show the impact of the foot upon the floor, and an electromyography system that wirelessly displays the electrical activity created by muscle movement.

“Together this equipment allows us to accurately estimate what muscles are doing without entering the body,” says Chester. “The patients who come through the lab are often surgical candidates for bone realignments, muscle transfers and muscle lengthenings. The data we collect helps us understand their specific movement patterns, make treatment recommendations, and non-invasively monitor their post-surgical progress.”

The lab works in partnership with institutions around the Atlantic Provinces, including the Stan Cassidy Centre in Fredericton, the IWK in Halifax, the Janeway Centre in Newfoundland, and the Shriners’ Hospital in Montreal.

“We help patients get the best treatment possible, because our recommendations are based on great data. It’s that simple,” says Chester. 🏹

[Photo: Joy Cummings]



UNB coin update

The UNB coin was handed out for the first time at the Spring 2011 graduation ceremonies. It is already becoming a proud symbol of our common bonds as UNB alumni. Our 2012 graduates are eagerly awaiting the moment during the ceremony when they, too, will receive their coin. The university and the Associated Alumni are working hard to make the coins available to alumni who graduated prior to 2011. Those interested in purchasing a coin can contact the Alumni Office at (506) 453-4884. 🏹



Caption correction:

UNB honours record number of high achieving athletes – photo originally printed in Winter 2012 issue of *Alumni News*.

Above, first row from left to right: John Richard, (BPE '96) director of athletics; Pablo Urbina, soccer; Delothiniere Lederman, soccer; Jessica LeBlanc, swimming; Dr. Eddy Campbell, UNB president; Melissa Hilchey, swimming; Vicki Baba, cross country; Natalie Riley, cross country; Dr. Tony Secco, vice-president Fredericton (academic). Second row, from left to right: Jean-Francois Godin, wrestling; Samantha Stewart, wrestling; Zachary Knopp, track and field; Shea Nordheim, soccer; Will Allen, soccer; Amanda Bakker, volleyball; Elise Arsenault, soccer; Kara Johnston, soccer; Sacha Demers, soccer; Melanie Foster, basketball; Colin Sonnichen, swimming; Brian Beaudette, swimming; Natalie Doucette, swimming. Back row, from left to right: James Murphy, cross country; Nick Larade, track and field; Emma Russell, basketball; Peter Goggin, basketball; Logan Keoughan, volleyball; Colin Adams, basketball; Samantha Kaminsky, basketball; Juliana Vantellingen, swimming; Danielle Losier, swimming; Ryan Lauzon, soccer; Heather Ambrey, soccer. [Photo: supplied] 🍷

The Andrews Initiative presents: the year of water

The Andrews Initiative at UNB has declared 2012 the Year of Water, and is examining this most basic and indispensable of natural resources in a series of lectures.

The speaker series began with Maude Barlow, founder and national chairperson of the Council of Canadians, and her presentation *The Global Water Crisis and the Challenge for Canadians*.

Other speakers have included Nobel Peace Prize nominee Sheila Watt-Cloutier, advocate on Arctic climate change, with *Everything is connected: environment, economy, foreign policy, sustainability, human rights and leadership in the 21st century* and Marq de Villiers, author of *Water: the fate of our most precious resource*.

On April 10, Kim Sturgess, CEO and founder of Alberta WaterSMART presented *Water security: global problem, local solutions* at the Wu Conference Centre in Fredericton.

Additional speakers are planned for the Fall.

This series presents an opportunity to delve deeply into the integral role that water plays in our lives and in the world.

The Andrews Initiative, created by UNB president emeritus John McLaughlin, fosters study and dialogue about important issues within the community. 🍷

CONGRATULATIONS: **Sylvia Smith** (B.Ed.'89)

wins the Governor General's History Award for Excellence in Teaching.



Above: Sylvia Smith

Sylvia Smith's career in teaching really began with her program at UNB Fredericton in the late 1980s (she graduated with a B.Ed. in 1989) and her internship at Oromocto High.

Learn more at Canada's History website
→ <http://bit.ly/u73p9l>

See the video about Sylvia's award-winning Project of Heart initiative
→ <http://vimeo.com/33415297> 🍷



Above: The UNB Fredericton and Saint John business club, on their way to Russia in 1972. [Photo: Supplied]

Back to the USSR!

Forty years ago in May 1972, 70 students and professors from the UNB Fredericton and Saint John business club went behind the iron curtain to visit Russia. Today we are reaching out and asking all comrades from this memorable adventure to attend a reunion celebration to share stories and pictures during Homecoming from Sept. 27 to 30, 2012, on the Fredericton campus. If you are from this group or know someone from the Russia trip, please contact Barb MacMullin, co-ordinator alumni reunions by emailing barbm@unb.ca.

Richard Costello, who recently passed away after a battle with cancer, was a member of the group.

Following the trip, he wrote articles about the journey for the *Telegraph-Journal*. Below is a short excerpt:

“Crossing the Soviet border on a train is an experience not similar to any I have previously had. From the moment our coach passed the blue and white striped post in the middle of a wooded area, our cameras were in constant use, until about a couple of hundred yards down the track when a young uniformed fellow started motioning that we shouldn’t be taking pictures. He was motioning with his machine gun. Strange how silent a group of college students can become.”

Richard Costello, 1951-2012. 🍷

Student athlete community service award: **Melissa Foster**

Melissa Foster, a fourth-year UNB Varsity Reds women’s basketball forward, is the 2012 recipient of the AUS student-athlete community service award.

A native of Moncton NB, Foster is a three-time Academic All-Canadian with a 3.7 cumulative GPA in 3.5 years at UNB.

Melissa currently coaches the Junior V-Reds mini girls basketball team, volunteers at local community basketball practices, and has participated in the Read with the Reds’ program. She volunteers weekly at the local hospital and is the vice president of the UNB Athlete’s Council.

Foster also found time to participate in the Terry

Fox Run, the CIBC Run for the Cure, Operation Christmas Child, the Salvation Army Adopt-a-Family program, and UNB’s very successful Shoot for the Cure initiative.

Melissa’s most impressive accomplishment has been her work with the UNB Right to Play Club. She founded the club last September and has already raised over \$4,000 through various fundraising events, with a goal of raising \$10,000 by May. She was chosen to attend an international Right to Play conference in Rwanda this summer.

“I could not be more proud of Mel,” says women’s basketball coach Jeff Speedy. “She is a very caring, unselfish individual and a truly amazing teammate.” 🍷

Sean Falconer leads Proven.com

...with a passion for problem solving

Dr. Sean Falconer (BCS'03, MCS'05) is the co-founder and chief technical officer of San Francisco-based Proven.com, an employment platform that helps businesses find the right person for the job. But what makes Falconer the right person for his job?

While the St. Stephen, NB native has the academic credentials – a PhD from the University of Victoria and post-doctoral research at Stanford University – he credits his extracurricular activities as the key to his success.


During his undergraduate degree, Falconer took advantage of the co-op program and wrote software that he sold to a local business.

“You’re not going to find out what you want to do for your career in classes,” says Falconer. “And I would never hire anyone who didn’t have side projects because they’re a way of demonstrating passion for your field.”

As a UNB student, he was also heavily involved in programming competitions that required competitors to write software to solve real-world problems.

“A typical student would probably solve one or two, maybe three problems a week. Sean would probably solve 10-12 problems a week,” says his

former coach, Ken Kent, professor of computer science. “Running a start-up business would involve a similar passion for problem-solving.”

Proven.com is still a young company, but considering that Falconer’s work ethic helped take the UNB team to the world programming finals twice, its growth should prove exciting to watch. 



Above: Sean Falconer (BCS'03, MCS'05) is the co-founder and chief technical officer of San Francisco-based Proven.com. [Photo: supplied]




Spring reading

Anna Keefe (B.Phil.'06) took second place in the 15th Annual Great Canadian Literary Hunt with her poem Long Week. This is her first poetry publication.

Michelle Lafrance (PhD'03) was jointly awarded the Wallace and Margaret McCain Course Release Award to continue work on the edited book, Creating Counterstories: Women resisting dominant discourse in speaking their lives.

Zoe S. Roy (MEd'95) wrote The Long March Home, a story about three generations of women, set in China and Canada. It is her first novel.

Kari Trogen (MA'08) and Brit Trogen wrote Margaret and the Moth Tree, a spellbinding story about a quiet, brown-haired orphan named Margaret trapped in a dreadful orphanage run by the sinister, beautiful Miss Switch. 



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2012 CIS men's hockey nationals

For the second year in a row, UNB played host to the 2012 Cavendish Farms University Cup Presented by Home Depot. The Varsity Reds joined l'Université de Moncton Aigles Bleus, the McGill Redmen, the University of Western Ontario Mustangs, l'Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières Patriots, and the University of Saskatchewan Huskies in one of the most exciting hockey weekends of the year.

The CIS championships were a great opportunity for current students, alumni and friends to come together to celebrate their community and connect with one another. During breaks in the action, the Aitken Centre concourse was filled with young and old, sporting red and black

scarves, jackets and jerseys from every era of UNB hockey.

Although the Varsity Reds didn't come out on top, they put together a very impressive season – going 34-7-4 and capturing the AUS championship in a sweep of l'Université de Moncton Aigles Bleus.

Thousands of alumni came together to celebrate university sport, as UNB played host to the country. Congratulations to the UNB organizing committee for an outstanding job over the past two years. You really provided the community with a fantastic, well-run event. 






Alumni Box:

Construction is complete on the new Alumni Box at the Aitken Centre.

The project was funded by a gift from the Associated Alumni, which included money for the construction and outfitting of the box, and an annual amount for use as athletic student scholarships for the UNB V-Reds program.

The finished box has seating for 30, and offers full food and beverage services, as well as live connections to Facebook and Twitter so guests can share their experience in real time. The box will host students, faculty, staff and alumni supporters as a way to thank those who give their time and resources to the university community. Box availability is coordinated by the Alumni Office. 



*Above: The new Alumni Box at the Aitken Centre.
[Photos: Rob Blanchard]*





[Photos, above and bottom right: Brian Smith. Photo, bottom left: A. Meade, Brunswickan]



Getting to Saskatoon

UNB women's basketball: the history and the legacy.

By Anne Fenety (B.Sc.'74), a proud Red Bloomer

In November 1910, Mount Allison University defeated UNB by a score of 19 to 41, in what appears to be the first recorded Canadian women's intercollegiate basketball game.

The UNB women – later known as the Red Bloomers – recovered from that inauspicious start and went on to dominate Maritime intercollegiate basketball.

The Bloomers were, however, untested on the national stage. That changed in 1972. Fresh off their tenth consecutive Atlantic conference title, the Bloomers went to the finals of the inaugural Canadian women's intercollegiate basketball championships in Saskatoon. Being there was a dream come true. Getting there was challenging. I was there for the dream; decades later, I can speak to the challenges.

The sixties:

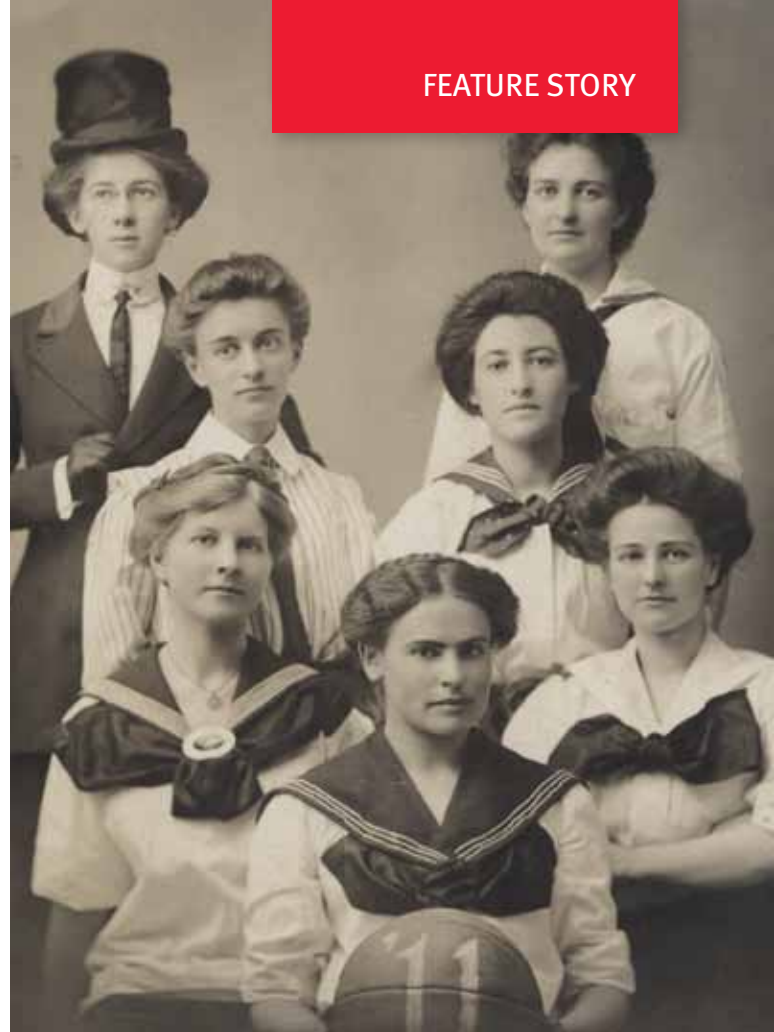
A new era in intercollegiate basketball

Men's national university championships began in 1962, but over a decade would pass before women achieved that status. Getting there required money and determination.

The money came from Fitness and Amateur Sport, whose budget ballooned to \$20 million during the 60s. The determination came from female physical educators in Canadian universities, who faced challenges, such as regional differences in women's basketball rules.

In the 60s, western universities played basketball as we know it today. But eastern universities played "girl's," six-a-side rules where players had restrictions on where they could go and how many times they could dribble. "Girl's" rules were dropped in 1966.

In December 1968, after years of lobbying efforts, women from 10 Canadian universities met to propose national intercollegiate competitions. Finally, in March 1972, 62 years after that UNB/Mount A game, the inaugural women's national intercollegiate basketball championships were set for Saskatoon.



Above: Molly Otty (1911) Grace Aiton (1912) Tiny Day (1909) (chaperone) M. Lillian Corbett (1911) Frederica Hatheway (1911) Captain Zula Hallett (1911) and E. Beatrice Smith (1911) [Photo: courtesy of the UNB archives.]

The season:

A new incentive for the Bloomers

In a pre-season interview, Coach Sandra Robinson (BPE'64) suggested that the new national intercollegiate championships would provide a unique "incentive" for the Bloomers to step up their training.

In early season play, the Red Bloomers (now the Varsity Reds) took on an inter-conference challenge in Quebec, posting exhibition victories against Montreal, McGill and Bishop's. When asked about the national status of the Bloomers, Coach Robinson predicted that "we are pretty close to number one".

The Bloomers finished the season with an 8-0 win/loss record and took the Atlantic conference title during playoffs in UNB's packed, noisy Main Gymnasium. Next stop: Saskatoon, to join the other conference winners (UBC, Western Ontario, and Bishop's) and test Coach Robinson's prediction.

The journey:

Are we there yet?

The trip to Saskatoon was miserable, thanks to snow. After numerous flight delays and cancellations, the day ended in Toronto in three airport hotel rooms (10 Bloomers + two managers + one coach divided into three rooms = no sleep x 13). The next day – and only after the ticket agent mistakenly thought we were the national team – did we finally get boarding passes. Tired but excited, we arrived in Saskatoon 25 hours after leaving home.

The tournament:

A tale told in two newspaper stories

The four-team single-elimination draw meant each team played just two games. After our opening Friday night match with Western Ontario, the [Saskatoon Star-Phoenix](#) byline read: Late Rally Lifts Bloomers to CIAU Final. Down three points with two-and-a-half minutes to go, starting guards Joyce Douthwright (BPE'72) and Karen Lee (BPE'72) took over the game, scoring, forcing turnovers and drawing fouls. The result: a 57-52 victory and a trip to the finals to meet the UBC Thunderettes.

After Saturday's final game, the [Star-Phoenix](#) story opened with "Somebody forgot to tell the UNB Red Bloomers they were licked Saturday night at the Education Gym." UBC led 46-28 at the half, but once again, the Bloomers took over late in the game. With four minutes left, Leslie Olmstead (BPE'72), Marilyn Watts (BA'75), and Karen Lee scored repeatedly from the floor and the free throw line. In the final two minutes, three of UBC's Canadian national team members fouled out and we narrowed the gap to five points as the clock ran out. Given the final score (UBC 74, UNB 69), Coach Robinson was right: we were pretty close to number one. Tired and proud, we left Saskatoon, but the travel gremlins weren't finished with us. The trip home took 28 hours.

The legacy:

40 years of UNB women at the nationals

Since that first tournament, 15 more UNB women's basketball teams have earned berths in the national championships. Two more teams made it to the finals (1974, 1976). Since awards were introduced in 1979, UNB has won Coach of the Year, and eight All Canadian Team awards (four First Team, four Second Team). So far, we have no national championship, but as they say in sports, there's always next season. Canadian women's college basketball has hit two major milestones: its first game over a century ago and its first national championships 40 years ago. UNB women's basketball teams were there for both. 🎀



Above: Jennifer George cutting down the netting after winning the 1984 AUAA championship.
[Photo: courtesy of the UNB archives.]

Below: V-Reds women's basketball today.
[Photo: Joy Cummings]



Collaboration lives here

The Tucker Park healthcare initiative: more than the sum of its parts

It's no secret that UNB Saint John is a campus in the midst of a metamorphosis.

The refurbished Canada Games Stadium, the exciting new Hans W. Klohn Commons building, and the new tenants on campus – Dalhousie Medicine New Brunswick (DMNB) and the New Brunswick Community College's (NBCC) Allied Health building – are already providing new learning and research opportunities for students, faculty and the larger community.

DMNB opened its doors in 2010, and has just welcomed its second cohort of students. Just next door, the NBCC Allied Health building opened in September 2011, and its students are already hard at work.

“NBCC took advantage of the opportunity to locate our Allied Health building on the UNB Saint John campus because of the huge benefits of collaboration with UNB Saint John and with DMNB,” says Catherine Sidney, department head, NBCC Allied Health. “The chance to share resources and services, to find ways for our students and researchers to work together, and to be within walking distance of the Saint John Regional Hospital...that was a win win win for us.”

Students from all three institutions are already working and studying together in the commons, and natural connections are being made between faculty members and researchers.

[Photo: Sean McGrath]



“We’re calling it the Tucker Park Collaborative,” says Dr. Robert MacKinnon, vice-president at UNB Saint John. “To facilitate communication between our three institutions and with the Horizon Health Network – in particular the Saint John Regional Hospital – we meet regularly to discuss ways to share space, promote research and establish committees that will help our respective teams connect and collaborate.”

It’s an idea that has had immediate uptake among the partners.

“We have six specialties represented in the NBCC Allied Health building, and it’s terrific to have them together in one place. We’ve only been open since September, but we’re already looking beyond our walls, actively participating in the Tucker Park Collaborative,” says Sidney. “We’re seeking out ways to harmonize some aspects of the curriculum across our programs, and we’re working together on shared initiatives – including one that will transition students from the practical nursing diploma here at NBCC to the bachelor of nursing degree at UNB Saint John.”



“This is a small campus, and each of us are the distributed units of much larger institutions,” says Dr. John Steeves, associate dean, DMNB. “But that doesn’t matter. With all four of our province’s health education institutions in one spot – a scenario that is unique in Canada – the Tucker Park Collaborative is about the power in small.”

Dr. Ruth Shaw, dean of the faculty of science, applied science & engineering at UNB Saint John, also sees the advantages of size.

“The opportunity to build on our existing collaborations with DMNB, NBCC and Horizon Health, and our ability to develop new partnerships stems primarily from the fact that we are located in close proximity to each other in a relatively small environment,” says Shaw. “On a regular basis we ‘cross the street’ to discuss ideas and proposals for programs and research projects. A great example is the Natural Products Research Group created by Drs. Chris Gray (UNB Saint John chemistry), John Johnson (UNB



Above: UNB Saint John nursing students Marc Alexander and MacKenzie Butler. [Photo: Sean McGrath]

Middle: Dalhousie Medicine NB students Jeff Wagner, Melanie Matheson and Sarah Higgs with Dr. Frank McCarthy. [Photo: supplied]

At left: NBCC Allied Health students. [Photo: supplied]

Saint John biology) and Duncan Webster (Saint John Regional Hospital). This research partnership has resulted in a five-fold increase in graduate students in this area in the past few years alone. Last summer they hosted the 3rd annual Maritime Natural Products Research Conference here on campus and their students regularly present their work at local, regional and national conferences.”

Collaboration is proving to be an essential tool, helping the campus manage the evolution of healthcare.

“More and more, healthcare is focused upon complex cases and the treatment of chronic illnesses,” says Roberta Clark, assistant dean of health research and partnerships at UNB Saint John. “To address this challenge, we need to marshal the skills and talents of a multitude of disciplines.”

Inter-professional care is a hot topic in healthcare today, one that dovetails nicely with UNB Saint John’s emphasis on inter-disciplinary study.

“Taking an inter-professional approach to healthcare delivery is becoming more and more important. It just doesn’t make sense anymore to work in isolation,” says Sidney. “We need to have a team approach to patient care that involves all the related disciplines – and the patient – on an even playing field. The Tucker Park Collaborative is a working model of the benefits of this approach.”

“We have been on board with this approach for some time now,” Clark says. “We have already begun structuring our programs in nursing and in health sciences to ensure our students are ready to engage in inter-professional practice when they graduate – but when the co-location with both DMNB and NBCC Allied Health came along, we knew it was an opportunity to take this approach to the next level.”

And it’s happening already.

“We have long been able to talk about our stellar nursing program and our strengths in biopsychology and health sciences – but now we can talk about even more,” says MacKinnon. “Our nursing faculty members are collaborating with the DMNB faculty, our health sciences students are working together with the team at NBCC Allied Health, and together we have better access to the Saint John Regional Hospital.”

“In September 2012 we’re launching a master of education program focused on adult education with a health stream, through UNB’s faculty of education,” says Steeves. “UNB Saint John is spearheading the

COLLABORATION AT WORK

Just a few examples of annual events involving multiple partners in health:

Code Blue Challenge – your patient is in jeopardy FEB. 8, 2012

Host: Saint John Regional Hospital

Involvement: UNB Saint John
NBCC Allied Health
Dalhousie Medicine NB
Horizon Health Network Zone 2

Description: Interdisciplinary teams
Reach For The Top-style
questions.

More info: <http://bit.ly/HBfFLg>

Inter-professional Health Research Day MARCH 23, 2012

Host: NBCC Allied Health

Involvement: UNB Saint John
NBCC Allied Health
Dalhousie Medicine NB
Horizon Health Network Zone 2

Description: Graduate students, faculty
members, professionals gather
to profile their research projects.

More info: www.ihrnb.ca

Discovery Days in Health Sciences MAY 9, 2012

Host: UNB Saint John

Involvement: UNB Saint John
NBCC Allied Health
Dalhousie Medicine NB
Horizon Health Network Zone 2

Description: High school students come to
campus and receive an overview
of health-related careers from a
variety of interactive
presentations.

More info: <http://bit.ly/H88tle>

development of curriculum with health educators at NBCC, professionals at the Saint John Regional Hospital, their own nursing faculty, and DMNB's faculty as well. It will be a truly inter-professional approach."

Many group initiatives are underway – some of them already in their third or fourth year. Events such as the Code Blue Challenge, the Inter-professional Health Research Day, and Discovery Days in Health Sciences are just a few. But perhaps the best example of the collaborative learning environment is Dr. Anthony Reiman.

Reiman, a Saint John native, was appointed UNB Saint John's Canadian Cancer Society Research Chair in December 2011. He's also assistant dean of research for DMNB, a researcher with the Atlantic Cancer Research Institute, and a practicing oncologist at the Saint John Regional Hospital.

"We're pleased to be partnered with the Canadian Cancer Society and the Atlantic Cancer Research Institute for this great initiative," says MacKinnon. "This research chair demonstrates precisely the kind of collaborative research partnerships we want to see as a result of the growing cluster of health care expertise here on campus."

Reiman obtained his bachelor of science degree at UNB Fredericton, an MD from the University of Toronto, and a master of science at the Harvard School of Public Health. He completed his post-graduate residency training in internal medicine at Dalhousie University and in medical oncology at the University of Alberta. He returned to Saint John in 2008.

"Stories like Dr. Reiman's are helping us become known as a teaching and research cluster," says MacKinnon. "Those ideas and the buzz they create will feed up into the Health and Life Sciences Steering Committee, where we engage with our healthcare partners on a provincial level."

The Health and Life Sciences Steering Committee includes senior representatives from Horizon Health, Dalhousie Medicine, NBCC, Enterprise Saint John, the Saint John Board of Trade and UNB. As a group they work to promote health research and the investment required to support that agenda. They engage with economic development professionals, provincial government departments and others to realize advantages for the whole province.

"Each of our institutions has a provincial responsibility," says Steeves. "Maximizing the value of our



*At left:
Dr. Anthony Reiman.
[Photo: supplied]*

co-location means looking at the business side of it to realize benefits for the province."


As the Tucker Park healthcare initiative evolves over time, research will be a high priority development item.

"Being the provincial university puts us in the driver's seat. Almost 80 per cent of the university research conducted in this province takes place at UNB," says MacKinnon. "We have the protocols, the ethical guidelines and the processes in place to provide this kind of leadership. Five years down the road we will have a vibrant research cluster here on campus. We'll have new funding for graduate students, and we'll have shared faculty appointments."

It's a sentiment shared by the other partners.

"Short term, the opening of the DMNB clinical sites in Moncton, Fredericton and Miramichi will create additional opportunities that will feed into the mix," says Steeves. "Longer term, I think we'll see the appearance of new master's courses at both UNB Saint John and DMNB, and someday possibly PhD and post-doctoral programs as well. We'll also operationalize collaborative research – allowing researchers and resources to move seamlessly between institutions."

If the first stage of UNB Saint John's metamorphosis was focused on bricks and mortar, the second stage will be about building research-related capacity.

"As host to DMNB and NBCC Allied Health, we provide leadership for the collaborative, and set the overall agenda for research and development at the steering committee, all with the goal of bringing a vibrant health research agenda to New Brunswick," MacKinnon says. "Together we can build a capacity that we don't have individually. We'll be more than the sum of our parts, and that's good for everyone." 

Bringing Agroforestry to Haiti

A Q&A with:

Ron Smith, research scientist, faculty of forestry and environmental management

Bruce Pendrel, acting director general, Canadian Forest Service – Atlantic Forestry Centre

Chris Dickie (B.Sc. F'05) executive director, INFOR.INC

In March 2012, Ron Smith, Bruce Pendrel and Chris Dickie packed their bags for Haiti. This is their third visit to the impoverished nation as part of an agroforestry effort under the auspices of the Foundation for International Development Assistance, Productive Cooperatives Haiti (FIDApcH) and the Canadian Institute of Forestry's Forests Without Borders.

What is FIDApcH?

FIDA is a fascinating organization. It is a registered Canadian charity with a very well established reputation in international development. Many non-governmental organizations use them as a resource for their own efforts. FIDA's goal is to help developing countries stand on their own without support from Western aid. They want to work themselves out of a job. FIDA works with an on-the-ground team in Haiti called Productive Cooperatives Haiti (pcH). Since 1984, FIDApcH has worked with and provided resources and support to 37 agricultural cooperatives encompassing more than 9,000 members. Their initiatives are designed to

foster small-scale agricultural entrepreneurship on a sustainable, environmentally friendly basis. They share a common strategy and methodology to the approach we want to follow.

What is agroforestry?

The simplest definition is this: planting trees and other stuff together. It's about optimizing the agricultural returns on each unit of land. That means you don't just plant hardwood trees that will require the farmer to wait 50 years until harvest. It means you plant hardwood trees and other crops with shorter-term harvests that will create a more regular income stream. We're talking about wood, but also fruit, oil,

Below: a typical Haitian landscape. [Photo: Bruce Pendrel]

“Haiti’s economy is struggling.

One of the reasons is that it has experienced substantial deforestation. Less than 1 per cent of the forest is left.”

Ron Smith, research scientist
faculty of forestry and environmental management

biomass and other products that help farmers reduce or eliminate the gap between crops and improve their income earning potential.

What is the project in Haiti?

Haiti's economy is struggling. One of the reasons is that it has experienced substantial deforestation. Less than 1 per cent of the forest is left. They are at year zero of their planting cycle, and they have a real opportunity to establish an agroforestry model on a go-forward basis.

What role are you playing in the process?

It's easy to ask – what can a Canadian forester add to the mix in Haiti? But agroforestry is less about species and more about strategy and approach. That is the information and expertise we're sharing in Haiti. It is important to note, however, that we're there to listen and to work collaboratively with the people there – not to prescribe or direct.

Can you tell me about the trips you've already taken to Haiti?

On our first trip, in April 2011, we were there to evaluate FIDApcH as a partner in this process, and to get a feel for the country and its people. We met with agricultural cooperatives in Duchity, to learn about their needs and equally importantly, their vision for their communities. We had to ask – do we really have a place here? Can we add value? The answer was a resounding yes.

On our second trip, in October 2011, we again met one-on-one with the agricultural cooperatives to address issues and some of the gaps we identified following our first visit. Our discussions focused on what they would like to see their communities look like in 50 years. Part of our responsibility is to try to help them develop a plan that will see their vision become a reality. To start moving toward this goal, a series of short, medium and long-term goals and action items were identified.



Above: meeting with university faculty at the public university of Haiti, faculty of agronomy. (UPEH universit  publique de Haiti) [Photo: Bruce Pendrel]

On this trip it is our goal to deliver on one of those action items. We'll be investing in a tool cooperative funded by Forests without Borders and the Canadian Institute of Forestry, and matched by the shares the members buy to be part of the co-op. This approach, where members contribute directly, honours the motivation to start the tool co-op in the first place. In other words, the local initiative and local motivation described to us in our first meetings are the key drivers for undertaking this collaborative project. The cooperative will choose appropriate local tools, and members will be able to borrow the tools they need to plant their crops.

Instead of bringing the tools to Haiti from Canada, we're having the tools made there – we want to keep as much of the money and expertise as possible in Haiti. This tool lending service will be a substantial win for the agricultural cooperatives, creating real value that will legitimize them in the eyes of their members. It will be a big step.

Why is it important for UNB to participate in initiatives like this one?

Projects like these provide opportunities on so many levels. We've made partnerships with institutions in Port au Prince (Haiti) and in the Dominican Republic, which will result in an exchange of ideas and resources that will benefit both students and researchers. We're talking about creating international field training opportunities that will have an impact on a wide variety of international development projects.  )

Learn more online

www.fida-pch.org
www.unb.ca/fredericton/forestry/
www.infor.ca/
<http://cfs.nrcan.gc.ca/about>

See the Youtube video:

<http://youtu.be/KSt28ss712k>

FACULTY PROFILE

Kelly Munkittrick

...just add water

Dr. Kelly Munkittrick, a professor in the biology department at UNB Saint John, was always fascinated with water as a child. Now, he finds himself working with water in ways he never dreamed possible.

“As the scientific director of the Canadian Water Network (CWN), I’m regularly exposed to new areas and emerging fields,” he says. “And at UNB, I’m challenged by lots of questions from eager minds. It’s a great combination – because good research requires a desire to explore new things and a commitment to asking good questions.”

Ultimately, Munkittrick’s goal is clean, safe and sustainable water across Canada and the world – and the CWN is a big part of that equation, focusing on storm water management, wastewater treatment, and secure water sources for drinking, industrial and agricultural uses.

Improving aquatic science research

Munkittrick also holds a Canada Research Chair in ecosystem health assessment, focused on improving programs that monitor fish populations.

“We examine river systems and identify areas that are impacted by industry, then work with industry and government to try and reduce that impact,” he explains.

Munkittrick was part of the Saint John River project, which released a State of the River report in July, and he is designing river-monitoring programs for Chile, Brazil, Uruguay, Sri Lanka, and Cuba. He is also involved with UNB’s Canadian Rivers Institute (CRI), a project aimed at advancing aquatic sciences research.

Why UNB?

Before coming to UNB Saint John in 1999, Munkittrick spent five years with industry and eleven years in government. He also studied pulp mills and hydroelectric dams.

“My decision to come to New Brunswick was prompted by its pulp and paper mills and hydroelectric dams,



Above: Dr. Munkittrick. [Photo: supplied]

all tied to a river that is more developed than many I have ever worked with, and one that is subjected to a wide variety of stressors,” he says. “And the work environment at UNB Saint John is really harmonious; the faculty and staff get along well.”

In the future, Munkittrick hopes to find new ways to communicate with decision makers about aquatic sciences, leading to better land-use planning and natural resource management.

“Our biggest challenge is getting people to understand water’s real economic value, so they will prioritize it properly, and to erase the perception that Canada has an overabundance of it,” he says. 🐟



Above, from left: Holly Knight, Kelly Quinn and Jessica Hooper on graduation day, with professor Rose McCloskey. [Photo: Joy Cummings]

UNB Saint John nursing students win Health Innovation Award

A trio of UNB Saint John nursing graduates have given the Health Council of Canada something to think about.

Holly Knight (BN'11), Kelly Quinn (BN'11) and Jessica Hooper (BN'11) won a Health Innovation Award for their paper entitled *Safe injection facilities: how InSite provides insight into what the rest of Canada needs*.

They examined Vancouver's InSite, a supervised injection facility for intravenous drug users, the only one of its kind in North America. Their report won second place, taking the three women to Ottawa for the awards ceremony last May.

"We were shocked to be shortlisted," Knight said. "When we found out we were going to Ottawa, we were floored."

Rose McCloskey, a professor in the department of nursing and health sciences at UNB Saint John, is proud that three of the six shortlisted entries were from UNB's nursing program.

"I always encourage students to compete for this award; this is the first year we've had success," said McCloskey.

What began as a class assignment grew from there, said Knight. "We were asked to explore an area of health care that could have nationwide benefits and we thought: this is the one."

While in Ottawa, the three were treated like royalty, Knight said. "We met so many people who are actively involved in something we're passionate about; it was phenomenal."

Nursing at UNB Saint John

The nursing and health sciences department at UNB Saint John is located next to the largest healthcare facility in New Brunswick, the Saint John Regional Hospital (SJRH). Students work here as part of their program.


Knight spent nine years as a practical nurse at the SJRH, returning to school in 2007 to pursue her bachelor of nursing.

"[At UNB Saint John] everyone knows your name," she said. "I like that."

Her work experience also reinforced that UNB Saint John was the best place for her to pursue nursing.

"I saw how well the university and hospital work together," she said. "And there's a high success rate for job placement with the BN program."

Now, Knight works full time at the New Brunswick Heart Centre, and hopes to eventually complete her masters of nursing degree at UNB.

"I'm not done learning yet," she said. "Nursing is a lifelong learning process." 

UNB Saint John athletics update

SEAWOLVES

Men's soccer

- Finished season with 5 wins, 3 ties and 2 losses.
- Lost to Holland College in the ACAA Championship final (held at UNB Saint John).

Women's soccer

- Finished the season with 1 win, 3 ties and 8 losses.

Women's basketball

- Finished season with 9 wins and 11 losses.
- Won the 12th annual Kingston Cup, for the first time since 2007
- Lost to Holland College in the first round of the ACAA championships.

Men's basketball

- Finished season with 1 win and 20 losses.

Women's volleyball

- Finished season with 6 matches won and 12 lost.
- Alison Stymiest is ranked 9th in the country for kills.

Men's volleyball

- Finished season with 2 matches won and 11 lost.

VARSITY REDS

Women's track and field

At the AUS track and field championship, Rachele MacDonald recorded personal bests for indoor track and field performance in all three of her events. She placed:

- 9th in the 60m with a time of 8.37 seconds;
- 2nd in the 300m with a preliminary time of 42.50 seconds and a final time of 42.53 seconds; and
- 4th in the long jump with a distance of 4.92m.

She placed 16th in the women's conference based on individual points scored, and was also the top points earner for the UNB team – making her the first Saint John campus athlete to become the most valuable athlete for the UNB track and field team.



At left: Rachele MacDonald, Aramark female athlete of the week [Photo: supplied]



Above: The Seawolves women's basketball team at the ACAA Championships in PEI.

Above right: An alumni basketball match was held prior to the Kingston Cup this year. Back row from left: Rod McNutt, BBA'92; MBA'96; Nick Doyle; Alan Rivers-Bowerman, BBA'09; Jeremy Salgado, BA'05; and Andrew Naismith, BA'11. Front row from left: Scott Hachey, BA'09; Jamie Dobbelsteyn, Jennifer Bergeron, BBA'13; Stephanie Wilkins, BA'13; Juston Herrington, BA'97; and Steve LeBlanc, BBA'01 [Photo: David Connell]

At right: The Seawolves women's basketball team poses with the Kingston family [Photo: David Connell]





Male athlete of the year
Jason DeMerchant
(soccer/basketball)



Female athlete of the year
Alison Stymiest
(volleyball)



Dr. Ann Gorman Condon
Academic Athletics Achievement award
Joseph Murphy (soccer), Leanne Davis (basketball)



Graduating athletes honoured by Associated Alumni

UNB Saint John student-athletes were honoured at the annual athletic awards banquet in March. The UNB Associated Alumni recognized the graduating athletes and presented them with specially-designed watches for their commitment to their sport.

At right: back row, from left: Kyle Roode (BBA '12), Nathan Munroe (BBA '12), Jason Demerchant (BBA '12), Alec MacKinnon (BBA '12). Front: Heather Nielson (BPh '72), President of the Associated Alumni, Sarah Trott (BBA '11), Joseph Murphy (B.Sc. '12), Erica Forward (B.Sc. '12), Manuel Reyes (B.Sc. '12), and David Thorne (BBA '91), member of Alumni Council. [Photo: Supplied] 🏆



Student leaders on the SJ campus

UNB students who have made outstanding extracurricular contributions to their academic program, department or to the Saint John campus as a whole were recognized at the seventh annual UNB Saint John graduating student leaders' award event held at UNB's Grand Hall in March. Former student leader and UNB Saint John alumnus Tony Gogan, BBA '88 was the evening's guest speaker.

Congratulations to our 2012 graduating student leaders: Lindsay Barton, BA; Katie Biggs, B.Sc.; Ashley Carpenter, B.Sc.; Nicole Chiasson, B.Sc.; Jane Crawford, BBA; Andrew Cowie, B.Sc.; Erica Forward, B.Sc.; Elizabeth Godfrey, B.Sc.; Eima Hajizadeh, BA; Meaghan Higgins, BN; Ugochukwu Ifesi, BHS; Isatu Johnson, BN; Mary-Jane MacAfee, BN; Nathan Munroe, BBA; Joseph Murphy, B.Sc.; Brittany Nelson, BN; Kyle Roode, BBA; John Runcie, BA; Joseph Sanford, B.Sc.; Holly Steeves, B.Sc.; Bilal Tariq, BBA; Jian Zhang, BBA; and Ying Zhang, BBA. [Photo: Supplied]

The awards program was created in 2005 by the UNB Associated Alumni to acknowledge and encourage student participation in university affairs. More than 150 alumni are now members of this exclusive group of UNB Saint John graduating student leaders. 🏆



From left: Janet Moss, Gérard V. La Forest, C. Anne Crocker and Eddy Campbell, UNB president, at the official unveiling of the La Forest Rare Books Reading Room and the dedication of the C. Anne Crocker New Brunswick Legal Heritage Collection.

La Forest Rare Books Reading Room helps preserve New Brunswick's legal history

Years in the making, the newest addition to the University of New Brunswick's faculty of law was officially opened March 23.

The La Forest Rare Books Reading Room along with the C. Anne Crocker New Brunswick Legal Heritage Collection were unveiled during a ceremony at the Gérard V. La Forest Law Library in Fredericton.

The La Forest Rare Books Reading Room provides a secure, climate-controlled environment for the preservation of UNB's important historic collection of legal materials. Keeping the documents safe and in pristine condition will benefit future generations of law teachers, researchers and scholars as well as members of the Bar and Judiciary.

Among the rare materials housed in the La Forest Rare Books Reading Room are [Commentaries on](#)

[the Laws of England](#), Fourth Edition, by Sir William Blackstone published in 1771, as well as the [Canadian Railway Act](#) of 1903.

The room is also home to the C. Anne Crocker New Brunswick Legal Heritage Collection which aims to preserve and reflect New Brunswick's legal heritage. The collection brings together the province's legal publications including law reports, legislation, other reports and texts, as well as legal sources from other jurisdictions that were consulted by New Brunswick legal practitioners and scholars in the 19th and early 20th century. The collection is named in honour of C. Anne Crocker, C.M., UNB law librarian emerita, who helped cultivate the collection throughout her 30-year career.

In addition to preserving important legal documents
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Scholarships, bursaries and prizes

Stephanie Anderson Scholarship

Field:	Science	Value:	\$2,000
Number:	1	Duration:	4 years
Conditions:	Awarded to a student who is a graduate of Miramichi Valley High School and is beginning the Bachelor of Science degree program on the Fredericton campus. Selection is based on academic achievement and financial need. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services guidelines. One scholarship to be awarded every four years.		
Donor:	Stephanie Anderson, B.Sc.'84, and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.		

Barry and Flora Beckett Bursary

Field:	Science, Applied Science and Engineering	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded on the basis of financial need to a Saint John campus student who has completed at least the minimum requirements for the second year of an undergraduate degree program in the Faculty of Science, Applied Science and Engineering and has demonstrated successful academic achievement. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services Guidelines.		
Donor:	Barry and Flora Beckett and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.		



Professor emeritus continues to inspire hundreds of students

At the core of Dr. Ronald (Ron) B. Kelly's teaching was his ability to inspire students. Dr. Barry Beckett knows first-hand the positive impact Kelly – a professor emeritus in chemistry at UNB Saint John – could have on a student.

"I was given the opportunity to study under the supervision of Dr. Kelly and, thanks to him, became the first student to obtain a PhD having completed all of the work in Saint John under the supervision of a Saint John faculty member," said Beckett,

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At left: Dr. Ron Kelly, UNB Public Relations Department Photograph Collection, 991-Kelly. Image courtesy of Archives & Special Collections, Harriet Irving Library, University of New Brunswick.

Scholarships, bursaries and prizes, continued.

Carol Bronnum Memorial Scholarship

Field:	Political Science	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a Fredericton campus student who has completed at least the minimum requirements for the first year of a degree program and has declared a major in Political Science. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services Guidelines. Selection is based on academic achievement.		
Donor:	Friends and family of Carol Bronnum.		

Clayton A. Buckingham Basketball Award

Field:	Unrestricted	Value:	Variable
Number:	Variable	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a male student who is entering an undergraduate degree program on the Fredericton campus and is a member of the Varsity Reds men's basketball team. The recipient must be a resident of New Brunswick and have an entering average of 80 per cent or higher. This award is open to transfer students.		
Donor:	The Buckingham Family.		

Edna Isabel Corbett-Wile Scholarship

Field:	Unrestricted	Value:	Variable
Number:	1 or more	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to female students who are enrolled in an undergraduate degree program, have graduated from Oromocto High School and are from Queens County with preference given to those from Gagetown. Selection is based on academic achievement. Consideration may be given to financial need.		
Donor:	The estate of Byron Wile.		

Linda Darling Memorial Scholarship

Field:	Unrestricted	Value:	\$500
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a student enrolled in an undergraduate degree program. Selection will be based on scholastic achievement.		
Donor:	John Miller, M.Sc. '84.		

La Forest Rare Books Reading Room, continued.

for future generations, the La Forest Rare Books Reading Room also recognizes the accomplishments of the Honourable Mr. Justice Gérard V. La Forest, C.C. Justice La Forest's career encompassed work as a lawyer, law teacher, scholar, senior civil servant, Justice of the New Brunswick Court of Appeal and of the Supreme Court of Canada. Justice La Forest has donated materials from his personal collection to the reading room including books, reports, articles,

speeches, newspaper clippings, photographs and other memorabilia spanning his distinguished career.

“The opening of the La Forest Rare Books Reading Room is wonderful because it not only preserves historic legal documents but also celebrates a great UNB alumnus and New Brunswicker in Justice La Forest,” said UNB president Eddy Campbell. 🍷

Scholarships, bursaries and prizes, continued.

Eric C. & Marilyn M. Garland Athletic Award

Field:	Unrestricted	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a Fredericton campus student who has graduated from a New Brunswick high school and is enrolled in an undergraduate degree program at UNB. The recipient must be a member of a UNB varsity team and demonstrate exceptional leadership qualities. Selection is also based on financial need. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services guidelines, and have at least an 80 per cent entering average or a 2.5 grade point average in the previous year of study, as per the CIS regulations on athletic awards.		
Donor:	Marilyn Garland (BT'79) and Dr. Eric Garland (B.Sc. CE'54, B.Sc. ME'55), and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.		

Hermie and Elsie Godin Memorial Scholarship

Field:	Unrestricted	Value:	\$2,200
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a student from Restigouche County who is beginning an undergraduate degree program directly from high school. Selection is based on academic achievement and financial need. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services guidelines.		
Donor:	The children of Hermie and Elsie Godin, in their loving memory, and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.		

Saint John Investors Group Prize

Field:	Business	Value:	\$250
Number:	2	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Two prizes valued at \$250 each will be awarded to Saint John campus students as follows: A \$250 prize to the student with the highest academic standing in BA3421 (Personal Financial Planning) and a \$250 prize to the student who has achieved the highest academic standing in BA4437 (Investment Analysis and Portfolio Management).		
Donor:	Investors Group Inc. Saint John		

John Kelly Recreation Bursary

Field:	Kinesiology	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	2	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded on the basis of financial need to Fredericton campus students enrolled in an undergraduate degree program in the Faculty of Kinesiology who have demonstrated successful academic performance. One bursary will be awarded to a student beginning the program directly from high school and one bursary will be awarded to a student who has completed at least the minimum requirements for the first year. Consideration will also be given to extracurricular activities, community involvement and/or leadership qualities.		
Donor:	The Greater Saint John Community Foundation		

The Joyce E. Baker Memorial Bursary

If it wasn't for the love and persistence of his wife Joyce, William (Bill) J. Baker (B.Sc. '57) may have never completed his degree at the University of New Brunswick and gone on to earn his PhD.

After one year at UNB, he was living with his wife and working as a lab technician at a hospital in Moncton.

The couple was at a crossroads. A decision had to be made for Baker to either return to school and complete his degree or continue working to provide for his young family.

Faced with a difficult dilemma, the pair ultimately decided that completing his education, while it would be tough at times, was the best thing to do. Baker returned to UNB, completed an honours degree and the young couple welcomed their first child while he was in his fourth year.

During his time at UNB, both he and Joyce worked to help make ends meet for the young family. It was his late wife's dedication and love that spurred Baker to create the Joyce E. Baker Memorial Bursary.


Thanks to his generous donation, the bursary will be awarded to a Fredericton campus student, with a spouse, who has completed the first year of



the bachelor of science program.

"I remember how difficult it was financially to be a married student with a child in my senior year," Baker said. "I want to remember Joyce's love and support by helping another married student."

"She believed deeply in the value of education and gave selflessly to others, so I can't think of a more fitting gift to carry on her memory," he said.

The support shown by Baker on behalf of his wife and family will allow UNB to award a \$5,000 bursary annually – a fitting tribute to Joyce's legacy. 

Scholarships, bursaries and prizes, continued.

Pius M. King Memorial Scholarship

Field:	Nursing	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a student beginning the Bachelor of Nursing Program on the Saint John campus upon graduating from Kennebecasis Valley High School. Selection is made on the basis of academic achievement, financial need and volunteer activities.		
Donor:	The family of the late Pius King		

Jon LeHeup Bursary

Field:	Unrestricted	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	4 years
Conditions:	Awarded on the basis of financial need to a student who has graduated from the Central New Brunswick Academy and is beginning an undergraduate degree program. The recipient must demonstrate successful academic performance. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services guidelines. One scholarship will be awarded every four years.		
Donor:	Jon LeHeup, B.Sc.'67 and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.		

Professor emeritus, continued.

registrar emeritus at UNB Saint John. “Dr. Kelly taught organic chemistry to hundreds of undergraduate students, many of whom were inspired to pursue careers in chemistry.”

Upon his passing on July 13, 2008, Kelly left a legacy gift that will help inspire future generations of UNB Saint John chemistry students. The Ron Kelly Memorial Scholarship in Chemistry will help graduate students pursue their studies in the field of chemistry, with a focus on natural products research. A total of \$6,000 will be awarded annually.

The five inaugural recipients of the scholarship are Caitlyn Carpenter, Katie Ellsworth, Andrew Flewelling, Haoxin Li and Taryn O’Neill. The scholarship will help each of the recipients in very different ways from paying tuition to attending international conferences.


“Receiving the Ron Kelly Memorial Scholarship will enable me to present my research at the International Congress on Natural Products Research in New York City in July. I will be able to network with fellow natural products researchers from all over the world,” Carpenter said.

For Flewelling, the scholarship allows him to continue his work in Saint John. “I look forward to staying at UNB Saint John to study towards my PhD and am grateful for the opportunities this scholarship offers me.”

Kelly’s road to becoming a professor took many turns before coming to UNB. He grew up in Rothesay and after graduating from high school, taught for two years before joining the Royal Canadian Air Force as a navigator in 1940. He served through the remainder of World War II and was discharged in 1946 with five medals and campaign stars. After the war, Kelly turned his attention to education, earning a bachelor of science degree with honours, a master of science and, in 1953, obtained his PhD, all from UNB. He went on to study as a Beaverbrook Overseas Scholar at London University in England, and then as a National Research Council Post-doctoral Fellow at Queen’s University.

In 1955 he began his career as a chemist working for both Merck and Co., and the Upjohn Co., before accepting an associate professorship at UNB’s Saint John campus in 1967. He retired in 1985 after a distinguished career.

Eddy Campbell, president of UNB, said the university is proud Kelly’s values and achievements will be preserved and passed on through the scholarship.

“Dr. Kelly made many significant contributions to UNB and helped numerous students achieve their goals,” Campbell said. “It’s fitting this scholarship will continue his legacy of inspiring young minds well into the future.” 

Scholarships, bursaries and prizes, continued.

MacLellan Family Scholarship

Field:	Law	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a student who is beginning the second or third year of the Law Program. The recipient must be a student in a leadership position in student organizations within the Faculty of Law such as the Law Students’ Society, Faculty Council, Business Law Society, and Speakers Hour. Students must have achieved good academic standing and made a meaningful extra-curricular contribution to the intellectual and social environment of the Faculty.		
Donor:	Vaughn MacLellan		

Simon Newby Geomatics Scholarship

Field:	Geodesy and Geomatics Engineering	Value:	\$1,000
Number:	1	Duration:	1 year
Conditions:	Awarded to a student beginning the Bachelor of Science in Engineering (Geodesy and Geomatics) degree program directly from high school. Selection is based primarily upon the demonstration of leadership/entrepreneurial qualities, and/or demonstrable special needs, and/or demonstrable financial need. In all instances, excellent academic performance is a requirement.		
Donor:	Simon Newby		

Scholarships, bursaries and prizes, continued.

Ronald Edward Parks and Sophia Arlene Parks Scholarship

Field: Education Value: \$2,000
Number: 1 Duration: 1 year
Conditions: Awarded to students in the Bachelor of Education program on the Fredericton campus. Selection will be based on academic achievement and financial need. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services Guidelines.
Donor: Ronald Edward Parks, Sophia Arlene Parks, BT'72, B.Ed.'74, M.Ed.'83, and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.

Mary Peebles Memorial Scholarship

Field: Engineering Value: \$2,500
Number: 1 Duration: Up to 4 years
Conditions: Awarded to a Canadian or British student beginning any year of the Bachelor of Science in Engineering degree program (any discipline). Selection is based on academic achievement. Transfer students are eligible to be considered for this scholarship. At least one scholarship will be awarded every 4 years.
Donor: Ross Peebles

David N. Shepherd Bursary

Field: Forestry and Environmental Management Value: \$1,500
Number: 1 Duration: 1 year
Conditions: Awarded on the basis of financial need to a student who has completed at least the minimum requirements for the first year of an undergraduate degree program in the Faculty of Forestry and Environmental Management and has demonstrated successful academic achievement. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services guidelines.
Donor: Lorelei Robins, Gregory Robins, friends and family of the late David N. Shepherd, and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.


W.Y. Smith Memorial Scholarship

Field: Arts Value: \$500
Number: 1 Duration: 1 year
Conditions: Awarded to a Fredericton campus student in the Bachelor of Arts program who has declared a major in Economics. Selection will be made on the basis of scholastic attainment and financial need.
Donor: Former students, colleagues and family established this scholarship in memory of W.Y. Smith, professor of economics and political science at UNB, former vice-president (academic) and professor emeritus.

Trenholm Scholarship

Field: Business Value: \$1,000
Number: 1 Duration: 1 year
Conditions: Awarded to a Fredericton campus student who has completed at least the first year of the Bachelor of Business Administration degree program. Selection is based on academic achievement and financial need. The recipient must be a New Brunswick resident, according to the definition of the Provincial Government's Student Financial Services guidelines.
Donor: Barbara and Brian Trenholm, and the New Brunswick University Opportunities Fund.

Dr. Wu Yee-sun and Mrs. Wu Ho Man-yuen Memorial Undergraduate Bursary

Field: Unrestricted Value: Variable
Number: Multiple Duration: 1 year
Conditions: Awarded on the basis of financial need to students who have completed at least the requirements for the first year of an undergraduate degree program and have demonstrated successful academic performance.
Donor: Michael (B.Sc. ME'64, LLD'89) and Teresa Wu in memory of his father and mother. 

Homecoming 2012: Sept. 27-30

twos and sevens

The twos and sevens have the stage this September for Homecoming 2012. We've revised the general itinerary, we've added a major tournament, and we've kept it simple.

While some classes have yet to finalize their specific plans, two of the senior classes are being proactive in scheduling their own parties. You will find the entire schedule on the UNB Alumni website after May 15, at which time you can register for events, pay fees and keep coming back to see who else has registered.



The latest details:

- Thursday mid-morning will see the golf event tee off at the Fredericton Golf & Curling Club.
- The Richard J. CURRIE CENTER will again be the venue for the All Classes Meet and Greet on Thursday. Each reunion group has its reserved space in the Long Hall.
- Friday morning is the traditional time for the President's Breakfast for the Golden Grad Class – the Class of 1962 – at the Lady Beaverbrook Residence.
- The President, Eddy Campbell, also hosts the President's Reception for Senior Classes that afternoon at Somerville House.
- The Lobster Boil happens on Friday, and the Scholarship Silent Auction wraps up then too.
- The Eric Garland and Helen Campbell basketball tournaments are combining and bringing in some of Canada's best to the CURRIE CENTER during Homecoming.
- On Saturday, the Homecoming Parade will end at the Homecoming Football Game at the BMO Centre.
- Saturday evening the SUB Ballroom will come alive for the Homecoming Dance, with Vinyl2Bits, a 12-piece band with an amazing horn section.
- Sunday morning the Farewell Brunch takes place at the SUB Ballroom, and we'll use the patio if the weather is nice.
- The Class of 1952 will gather at the home of Mardi Cockburn for wine & cheese on Saturday, before the Homecoming Dance.
- The Class of 1957 will gather at the home of Iris Bliss for wine & cheese on Saturday as well.
- The Class of 1972 will gather at the home of Heather Nielsen after the football game, travelling by bus.
- The business administration students who travelled to Russia in 1972 will gather at Homecoming for the 40th anniversary of their excursion.
- Civil engineering '62 and '72 will be back to celebrate their 50th and 40th anniversaries.
- Forestry '52 and '62 plan to come home to celebrate their 70th and 60th anniversaries.
- Barb MacMullin, reunion coordinator, looks forward to hearing from anyone who thinks they might want to celebrate their UNB graduation.

Invitation from the Class of '57

Iris Bliss, our class VP, and Stan have invited our class members and those of other graduation years who have any connection to the Class of '57, to a wine and cheese get together at their home on Saturday afternoon from 3:00pm - 5:00pm. We also invite any of our professors who are in the area. Details will be found online in the Homecoming registration site.

UNB Law – 2002

You are invited to UNB on the long weekend in August – the 3rd through 6th – for a reunion of your law class of 2002. Details of the reunion will be online after May 15, at which time you can register to attend and take care of paying fees. The reunion committee is busy planning events that will be relaxed and enjoyable for all.



Reg Gagnon and his wife, Vivianne Bois.

Engineer leaves legacy gift to UNB

Reg Gagnon (B.Sc.Eng EE'83) likes a challenge. It's been that way as long as he can remember.

As director of project management at BPR, a TetraTech Company and one of Canada's largest engineering firms, Reg admits dealing with issues both large and small has driven him to succeed in the engineering field. "I love the work because it's something new every day, often in another country," he said. "I've worked on projects in Chile and Algeria. My career has allowed me to expand my horizons and experience other cultures."

His career has seen him work with some of the world's largest companies including AT&T, IBM, Fonorola and Dessau before joining BPR in its Montreal office. No matter the challenges he faces or the country he works in, Reg said his success is firmly rooted in New Brunswick – specifically the faculty of engineering at the University of New Brunswick in Fredericton.

"I have always been proud of UNB and the image it projects. UNB prepared me for my career in the sense that it gave me greater confidence in myself as a young adult," Reg said.

Through his hard work, Reg received several scholarships during his academic career which combined with the guidance of his professors, laid the foundation for a successful career. "Besides the financial help, the scholarships were really a form of self-motivation for me. I had a lot of talented professors who were dedicated to their profession and they motivated me to achieve my goals."

Since his graduation, Reg has given back to UNB by making contributions to numerous scholarships. Reg and his wife Vivianne Bois decided to take their generosity a step further by leaving a legacy gift to UNB. "We believe education is the fabric of society. If a society has a good education system available, the possibilities to resolve our problems are endless," he said.

Reg and Vivianne hope their gift will help students face the challenges awaiting the next generation while helping UNB provide an exceptional and transformative student experience.

PLAN YOUR BEQUEST HELP TOMORROW'S STUDENTS

Many students only get to realize their dreams and potential because a thoughtful alumnus/alumna or friend included a gift to UNB's students in their will.



At UNB, our goal is to ensure that qualified students, regardless of their means or their background, have the opportunity to pursue an education. For many, going to university is a life-changing experience that gives them the confidence and knowledge to follow their dreams.

We also strive to attract and retain the bright minds of each generation, setting the stage for tomorrow's leaders. Your estate gift has the power to transform individual lives and our communities.

For more information or to help us ensure your wishes are fulfilled, contact:

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Spring 2012 Alumni Connections

Event Schedule

Dublin, Ireland, May 21

UNB Alumni Reunion Dinner

UNB is coming to Dublin, so save May 21 on your calendar. For further details please contact Desmond Green at desmondjgreen@gmail.com

London, UK, May 24

UNB alumni and friends reception at the Canadian High Commission

The Honourable Gordon Campbell, The High Commissioner for Canada to the UK and Dr. H.E.A. (Eddy) Campbell, President & Vice-Chancellor of the University of New Brunswick cordially invite you to attend a UNB alumni and friends reception on Thursday, May 24, 2012, 18:30-20:30, at the Canadian High Commission, Macdonald House, 1 Grosvenor Square, London, W1K 4AB, UK. Special Guest: Dr. Fredrik S. Eaton, O.C., O. Ont., former UNB Chancellor and former High Commissioner for Canada to the UK. RSVP to Diane McAdam by May 16th at dmcadam@unb.ca or call 001-506-453-4904.

Vancouver, May 24

Vancouver Alumni Gathering

Mark your calendars! The Vancouver Alumni Chapter and the UNB Associated Alumni are pleased to once again host the annual alumni gathering. This popular event gives alumni & friends a chance to reconnect and hear the latest UNB news. More details to come on our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Calgary, May 25

Annual Calgary Alumni Maritime Surf n' Turf Dinner

UNB Alumni Calgary Chapter invites you to a Maritime Surf n' Turf Dinner. Join special guest UNB Associated Alumni Executive Director, Robb Parker at the Big Rock Grill, Big Rock Brewery, 5555-76 Ave., S.E., on Friday, May 25, 2012. Social hour with cash bar begins at 6:30 pm; dinner at 7:30 pm. Meal options: \$50/steak and lobster \$35/steak dinner. Dress is casual. Come and enjoy!

We will be raffling off several amazing items to raise awareness and funds for our UNB Alumni Calgary Scholarship Fund. Payments for raffle items may be made with cash or cheque. We also ask that you kindly bring a non-perishable food item for the Calgary Interfaith Food Bank. In lieu of food items, cheques made out to the Calgary Interfaith Food Bank or cash are gratefully accepted. Donations for the raffle are greatly appreciated!

Please contact Lisa Herauf, Calgary Alumni Volunteer at e.herauf@unb.ca with donation information. Register online today!

If you wish to pay by cheque or money order please register online and choose "bill me later", then make your cheque or money order payable to: UNB ALUMNI CALGARY CHAPTER and mail it to Mr. Peter Keays, 4803-49 Ave. NW, Calgary, Alberta T3A 0R8. Payment questions: peter.keays@unb.ca. For more information on this event, please contact Lisa Herauf - if phoning please leave a message (Calgary Chapter Volunteer), 403-284-0693 or email herauf@unb.ca. Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Edmonton, May 26

11th Annual Lobster Dinner and Maritime Kitchen Party

The UNB Edmonton Alumni Chapter presents the 11th Annual Lobster Dinner and Maritime Kitchen Party, Saturday, May 26, 2012, 7:00 pm - 12:00 am, at the Whitemud Creek Community Centre, 951 Ogilvie Blvd. (Southwest Edmonton, off Rabbit Hill Road). COST: \$70 per person for 1.5lb lobster dinner followed by some good ole' "Down East" music and dancing with popular local entertainer Duff Robison. Profits from this event support the UNB Edmonton Alumni Chapter Bursary, awarded annually to students in financial need. Come enjoy a fun night and help UNB students! REGISTER ONLINE TODAY. Only 100 tickets available so register early! If you would like to volunteer at this event or learn more about the UNB Edmonton Chapter, contact Charlie Clarke, clarke.cj@telus.net or 780-460-8354. Hope to see you there. Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Bay of Quinte, May 26

5th Annual Bay of Quinte UNB Alumni Chapter Lobster Party

We're back and we're getting together Saturday, May 26, 2012! If you've attended this annual event before you know what a wonderful event this is and if you've never attended, 2012 is the year to start. As always this is a wonderful opportunity to meet up with fellow alumni & friends and enjoy warm conversation and amazing food. This year the party will be held Saturday May 26, 2012 at the Oak Room Banquet Facility at Oak Hills Golf Club,

1538 Frankford-Stirling Rd. (Hwy #33), Stirling, Ontario (about 20 minutes northwest of Belleville). For directions please visit www.oakhills.ca/contact/directions-map. A social hour (cash bar) will begin at 6:30 pm with dinner at 7:30 pm. Cost \$40.00 per person. You will be treated to your choice of a 10oz New York striploin or a 1-1.5 pound lobster directly from the east coast from UNB-approved Peters Meat Market in Fredericton. Each option will include mixed green salad, baked potato, assortment of PEI vegetables (carrots, green and yellow beans), dinner rolls and several dessert options. Spread the word! Three registration/payment options are available: online payment by credit card; credit card by calling 1-888-862-2586 (ext 3); and cheque payable to UNB Associated Alumni mailed to: University of New Brunswick, Alumni Office, PO Box 4400, Fredericton, NB, E3B 5A3. For further information please contact: Alex McNaught at (613) 968-2348 or a.p.mcnaught@sympatico.ca. Contact Bob Burt at bburt3@cogeco.ca if you're interested participating in a golf challenge prior to the main event. Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Ottawa, June 9

Annual Ottawa Alumni & Friends Golf Tournament

Summer is just around the corner and our annual golf tournament is taking place on Saturday, June 9, 2012 at the Metcalfe Golf & Country Club. This is a fun event with a best ball (Texas scramble) format. All skill levels are welcome. You do not have to be a golfer to enjoy the day. Our tournament is building on the successes from 2007 to 2011, which were enjoyed by everyone. We will again have a shotgun start, and we're planning a number of fun activities, including the Monnex ball. There will be lots of prizes, lots of fun, and best of all, the good company of our alumni members. It is also a fundraiser for scholarship funds, so bring a few extra loonies. Get your groups lined up and register early. If you don't have a foursome, we will create one for you. Friends and family are welcome. If you don't want to golf, join us for dinner and a silent auction. Please arrive by 12:15 to permit smooth confirmation of registration. For directions, go to www.metcalfegolf.com and click on "Course Info" and then "Directions". Come early and enjoy a late breakfast/early lunch at the club with some other alumni. Dinner will be a roast beef buffet served around 6:30 or 7:00 pm. Register by May 9 for the early-bird discount of golf, cart and dinner (\$94.00); golf and cart only (\$70.00); dinner only (\$31.00). Cost after May 9 will be golf, cart and dinner (\$104.00); golf and cart only (\$80.00); dinner only (\$31.00). UNB student rates will be golf, cart and dinner (\$52.00); golf and cart only (\$40.00); dinner only (\$31.00).

FINAL REGISTRATION DATE is Thursday, May 30. Three ways to register – credit card by using the online registration site; credit card by contacting the UNB alumni office at 1-888-862-2586 (ext 3); mail a completed registration form (found under "Downloads" on our website and cheque made out to "UNB Associated Alumni" mailed to UNB Alumni Office, P.O. Box 4400, Fredericton, NB, E3B 5A3, attention: Diane McAdam. For additional information about this event please contact Ray Barton at 613 824-4226 or raybarton@rogers.com. Anyone wishing to donate prizes or volunteer please contact Fred Welling at 613 596-2569 or chris_fred.welling@sympatico.ca. Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Southwestern Ontario, June 16

SW Ontario Annual Alumni & Friends BBQ

The Southwestern Ontario Alumni Chapter is hosting its annual BBQ on Saturday, June 16 at 6 pm in the Officers' Mess (Blg 92 on the map) at the Wolseley Barracks at 701 Oxford Street East in London. See map link for details at www.execulink.com/~wolseley/map_quest.htm and UNB balloons will mark the way to the Mess. New and returning students are also invited so please come and meet the next generation and give them an inside look at life in New Brunswick while reconnecting with existing alumni and old friends. Special guests include Robb Parker, Executive Director of the UNB Associated Alumni and Peter Coates, the Director of Development. Our dinner will be catered and will include all-beef hamburgers with condiments; garden salad with tea/coffee and cake for dessert. The cost will be \$15 per person. Dress code is business casual – no jeans. Register online today! Other registration options include e-mailing outreach@unb.ca or calling toll-free at 1-800-862-2586, ext. 3. The deadline to register is Friday, June 8 at noon. For any questions please contact Deb or Joe at 519-601-1622 or email us at owens011@rogers.com. Hope to see you there! Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Calgary, Sept. 14

Calgary Alumni & Friends: Wines of South America

You are invited to join fellow alumni & friends for a wine journey into South America. Wine and wine-making in South America has a longer history than anywhere else in the New World. Come and enjoy! Event details: Willow Park Wines & Spirits, 10801 Bonaventure Drive, SE; Friday, September 14, 2012; 7:00 - 9:00 pm; \$40.00/person. Limited seats available so be sure to register on-line today! Other registration options include emailing outreach@unb.ca or calling 1-888-862-2586 ext 3. Registration Deadline: September 9. For cheque or money order kindly make payable to: UNB Alumni

Calgary Chapter and mail to: Mr. Peter Keays, 4803-49 Ave. NW, Calgary, Alberta T3A 0R8. Payment questions: peter.keays@unb.ca. Event questions: Renee Fleming, Calgary Chapter Volunteer at renee.fleming@unb.ca . Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/.

Fredericton campus, Sept 22

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the UNB Associated Alumni will be held on Saturday, Sept. 22, 2012, at 2:30 p.m. in Fredericton at the Alumni Memorial Building, Alumni Lounge. All UNB alumni are invited and encouraged to attend this meeting to learn of the latest developments with their UNB Associated Alumni.

REMEMBER: To become a fan of our UNB Alumni Facebook page, where you can keep track of people, events and news, just go to www.facebook.com/unbalumni.

Toronto, Oct. 22

6th Annual East Coast Toronto Alumni Reception at Rodney's Oyster House

We are pleased to announce that the Annual East Coast Toronto Alumni Reception will once again be held at Rodney's Oyster House, 469 King Street West, Toronto, Thursday, Oct. 22, 2012, 5:30 - 7:30 pm. Mark this date on your calendar and stay tuned for further details. Visit our website at www.unb.ca/alumni/. ☺



World Travels

Don Webb, (B.Sc. '71) and Kristen Webb, (BN'07), travelled from Santiago, Chile, to Ushuaia, Argentina, the southernmost point on the South American mainland before Antarctica. We proudly wore our UNB t-shirts as we posed for pictures at Ushuaia's world-famous sign.

We sailed around Cape Horn prior to travelling north and finally concluded our trip in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. It was a long way from home for us as we are now both residing in Ontario.

Thanks, Kristen Webb ☺

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'53

Frank Leger, Q.C. (BCL) of Saint John, NB was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2011* as a leading practitioner. Frank specializes in real estate law with Cox & Palmer.

'55

John Bliss (B.Sc. CE) of Fredericton, NB has been named 2012 Philanthropist of the Year by the Fredericton Community Foundation and Stewart McKelvey. A dinner will be held May 31 at the Fredericton Inn to honour the recipients.

'57

Dr. Dorothy McDade (B.Sc., DSc'10) of Fredericton, NB has been named 2012 Philanthropist of the year by the Fredericton Community Foundation and Stewart McKelvey.

'60

David Hashey, Q.C. (BBA, BCL'63) of Fredericton, NB was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2011* as a leading practitioner. David works in corporate and commercial litigation, energy regulatory law, health care law, and insurance law with Cox & Palmer.

'63

Tom Calkin (B.Sc. CE) of Bedford, NS has been reappointed to the board of directors of the Atlantic Pilotage Authority for a two-year term, effective December 2011.

'64

Eugene Lewis (B.Sc. EE) of Fredericton, NB is a retired UNB electrical engineering professor. Lewis helped build two schools and two orphanages in Haiti, and now is overseeing the engineering of a \$1 million vocational school being built there.

'69

John McLaughlin (B.Sc. SE, M.Sc. SE'71) of Fredericton, NB is chairing the *Premier's Panel on Seniors... Living Healthy, Aging Well*. The panel will develop a progressive blueprint for seniors in New Brunswick.

'71

Michael Bowlin (BA, LLB'75) of Fredericton, NB was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2011* as a leading practitioner. Michael works in insurance law and personal injury litigation with Cox & Palmer.

Peter Pacey (BA, MEd'80) of Fredericton, NB is part of a committee that will work to ensure that New Brunswick's contribution to the War of 1812 is not forgotten. Peter is a public service employee who works with The Calithumpians.

'72

James (Jim) Proudfoot (BBA) of New Glasgow, NS, along with other DeNovaMed Inc. employees, has won the Innovacorp I-3 Technology Start-Up Competition, in support of early stage Nova Scotia knowledge-based companies.

'73

David J Johnstone (B.Sc. CE) P.Eng., FEC, of Fredericton, NB retired as the Deputy Minister of the New Brunswick Department of Transportation in 2010. He was recognized by The Canadian Council for Public Private Partnerships at their Annual 2011 National Conference in Toronto in November, where he was presented with the Champion Award for his outstanding contributions to public private partnerships in Canada.

'74

Forrest Orser (BA) of Fredericton, NB, has retired after more than 33 years as a reporter and editor for *The Daily Gleaner*. His short story, "Wild Horses on an Island," appeared in the summer 2011 of *The Fiddlehead*. And his very short story, "Soap and Sex," appeared in this fall's *Soliloquies Anthology*, published at Concordia University.

Walter Vail, Q.C. (LLB) of Fredericton, NB was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2011* as a leading practitioner. Walter works in banking and finance, corporate law, insolvency and financial restructuring, and real estate law with Cox & Palmer.

'75

William (Bill) Bartlett (BBA) of Fall River, NS has been appointed as Chief Financial Officer of Atlantis Systems Corp.

Bernard (Bernie) Boudreau (B.Sc.) of Halifax, NS is an oceanographer and dean of the Faculty of Graduate Studies at Dalhousie University. He was named a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada.

John (B.Sc. SE) and **Beth Quigley** of Long Reach, NB, are proud to announce the birth of their grandson Ian Robert Jack, born in Calgary AB on October 16, 2011.

'76

Michael Bauer (BSc) of Naples, FL has been appointed to the Environmental Regulation Commission. Bauer has been the natural resource manager for the City of Naples since 2005.

Robert Jackson (BA, LLB'79) of Fredericton, NB was saluted as Run New Brunswick's male athlete of the year and Athletics New Brunswick's Masters athlete of the year.

'77

Peter Forestell, Q.C. (LLB) of Rothesay, NB was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2011* as a leading practitioner. Peter works in corporate law with Cox & Palmer.

Bruce Hatfield, Q.C. (LLB) of Fredericton, N.B. was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2011* as a leading practitioner. Bruce works in corporate law, real estate law, and trust and estates with Cox & Palmer.

Eric McCumber (MSc Che) of Long Reach, NB is part of a committee that will work to ensure that New Brunswick's contribution to the War of 1812 is not forgotten. Eric works with Kingston Peninsula Heritage, Inc.

Marc Milner (BA, MA'79, PhD'83) of Hanwell, NB is part of a committee that will work to ensure that New

Brunswick's contribution to the War of 1812 is not forgotten. Marc works with the Military Studies Program at the University of New Brunswick.

John Townsend, Q.C. (LLB) of Fredericton, NB has been elected Managing Partner of Cox & Palmer's Fredericton office. John was also listed in the peer-review publication of *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2012*. He works in corporate and commercial litigation with Cox & Palmer.

'78

Dawn Hicks (BEd) of Winnipeg, MB is retiring and off to new adventures after over 30 years of service as an educator with the St. James-Assiniboia School Division in Winnipeg. For the last six and a half years she served as Principal of St. James Collegiate.

Bernard Richard (LLB) of Cap-Pelé, NB has been appointed to the Pierre Elliott Trudeau Foundation Mentorship Program. He, along with nine other accomplished Canadians will personally mentor the Trudeau scholars—promising doctoral students who have been identified as future leaders.

'79

Janet Holder (B.Sc. Che) of Prince George, BC was honoured as one of Canada's 100 Most Powerful Women, by The Women's Executive Network. Janet is executive vice-president, Western Access, Enbridge Inc. She was previously the president of Enbridge Gas Distribution Inc., and the first woman to hold that position in the utility's 160-year history.

'80

Karen Branscombe (BEd) of Cap-Pelé, NB was honoured as one of Canada's 100 Most Powerful Women, by The Women's Executive Network 2011's top achievers – and leaders – in Canada's private, public and not-for-profit sectors. Karen is Superintendent of New Brunswick School District 2.

'81

Thomas (Tom) Mann (LLB) of Fredericton, NB is a long-time social activist, labour representative, author and international lecturer on labour and climate change. Tom works with Filmorr Films.

'82

Cyril Donahue (MED) of Miramichi, NB has been appointed board member of The New Brunswick Museum.

'83

John Laidlaw, Q.C. (LLB) of Saint John, NB has been elected Chairman of the New Brunswick Partnership with Cox & Palmer. He was also listed in the peer-review publication of *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2012*. John works in corporate law.

Chris MacPherson (BPE, BBA'92, MASRA'97) of Fredericton, NB has been named by Fredericton City Council as its new chief administrative officer.

'84

Stephanie Anderson (B.Sc.) of Oakville, ON joins Baffinland Iron Mines from Dundee Precious Metals Inc., where she held the position of Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer.

Daniel Doiron (B.Sc. EE) of Saint John, NB is president of Trapster, a technology based company which provides tools for assisting lobster fisherman with their productivity.

Paul Perkison (B.Sc. F) of Riverview, NB is part of a committee that will work to ensure that New Brunswick's contribution to the War of 1812 is not forgotten. Paul works with Parks Canada; he will be the member of Parks Canada National 1812 Committee.

'85

Wendy Dickinson (BEd, D-AUS'92, MED'95) of Fredericton, NB is the principal of Ridgeview Middle School in Oromocto. She has been named one of Canada's top 30 principals for 2012.

'86

Jocelyn Campbell, Q.C. (LLB) of Halifax, NS was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2012* as a leading practitioner. Jocelyn works in corporate and commercial litigation with Cox & Palmer.

'87

Robert (Rob) Allaby (BSc) of Fredericton, NB recently received the Award of Merit from The Canadian Chiropractic Association.

Monique Allain (BEd) of Fredericton, NB is on the Canadian Olympic Committee, where she is education and community outreach program manager.

David Seabrook (BA) of Fredericton, NB is part of a committee that will work to ensure that New Brunswick's contribution to the War of 1812 is not forgotten. David works with Fredericton Tourism.

'88

Erik Gingles (BA) of Moncton, NB has developed and marketed a new app, Gingle, for streaming videos using smart phones.

'90

Shelly Monroe (BBA) of Porters Lake, NS started her own travel business 3 years ago, after 20 years as a Financial Advisor.

John Streicker (M.Sc. SE) of Whitehorse, YT has been elected as the first President of the Green Party of Canada.

'91

Daren Baxter Q.C. (LLB) of Halifax, NS has been appointed to the Queen's Counsel.

Dr. John Cormier (B.Sc.) of Grande-Digue, NB has returned to the Moncton area. His company focuses on the development of medical diagnostic tools.

Cheryl Hodder, Q.C. (LLB) of Halifax, NS, was introduced as Honorary Consul of Sweden for Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland & Labrador by the Government of Sweden at a reception held on February 15, 2012. She has held this role since October 2011.

'92

Kwame Dawes (PhD) of Elgin, SC is the recipient of the 2012 Barnes & Noble Writers for Writers Award.

Laura Mennie (LLB) of Corner Brook, NL, has been appointed provincial court judge. She will take the position in Stephenville.

Dwight Rudderham, Q.C. (LLB) of Sydney, NS, has been appointed to the

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Alumni Council Elections

Below are the candidates for this year's Alumni Council Election.



Maxine MacMillan (BA'90, MEd'91) has called Saint John, NB, home for 21 years. She is involved in the local community and is an instructor of communications at NBCC Saint John. She has served on the Alumni Council as an elected member for the past two years, recently as chair of the Committee for International Alumni, and would like to continue her efforts on behalf of all UNB Alumni. Maxine has been active as a volunteer with UNB alumni events and presented a session in March at the Bridge to Success Workshop (Alumni sponsored Bridge Network) for graduating UNB Saint John students. She has had the opportunity to promote UNB both in her job and on the many international projects in which she has been involved. What has been perhaps the best thing about being a member of the UNB alumni is the opportunity the alumni network gives us all — a place to belong and a sense of identity. She looks forward to strengthening our UNB relationships.



Norm Robotham (B.Sc. CHE'84) is living in Calgary, Alberta, and working as a professional engineer in the oil and gas industry. In addition to his degree from UNB, Norm has completed a graduate diploma in project management from Royal Roads University in Victoria and is an active member of APEGGA and PMI. Norm has been working for over 25 years as an engineer with assignments in Western Canada and the Gulf Coast US including short terms in Asia and the UK. He is currently working as a project manager for an exploration and production company in Calgary. Norm has two daughters, Sierra who is currently in her 3rd year in recreational sport studies at UNB in the kinesiology faculty and Chantel, who is working before pursuing post-secondary studies. Norm would like to give back to UNB by serving on Alumni Council contributing time and energy to move current and future initiatives forward and to completion.



Eric Savoie (BBA'08) continues to be an active member of the Saint John community since his days as a student at UNB Saint John. He has been a councillor since 2010, and has served on the Finance Committee and Saint John Action Team. While a student, Eric studied abroad in Poitiers, France, served as vice-president external of the Students' Representative Council during the New Brunswick Government renewal of post-secondary education. He was also involved with Shinerama, Student Abroad/International Student Orientation, and OREO. Eric is a senior associate with Ernst & Young's Advisory Services practice, and spends his spare time travelling when he can. You can reach Eric at eric.d.savoie@gmail.com



Jim Simons (BA'71) of Hudson, Quebec, is a former member of the UNB Red Bombers football team and worked with *The Brunswickan*. After a management career in the pharmaceutical industry, Jim is now retired. Originally elected to Alumni Council in 2006, Jim is a member of the partnership and services committee, and served on the Alumni Engagement Committee. He also serves as chair of the Montreal Reunion Committee. Jim is a volunteer director of the Hudson Village Theater and an avid sailor with several offshore experiences. Jim remains an active member of the Red Bomber football alumni group. He strongly supports and encourages the level of excellence currently displayed by the Varsity Reds athletics program.



Jessica Stutt (BA'08) is an actively engaged alumna in the Fredericton area. She served as a student representative on Alumni Council in 2007 and has been a councillor since 2010. As a student, Jessica took on such roles as Orientation chair, Student Union president, Red 'n' Black Revue co-ordinator and valedictorian. As an alumna, she has remained involved with the association through council as well as volunteering with Homecoming, and starting up the Fredericton Young Alumni Chapter. Jessica is a Marketing Coordinator at Radian6 and spends her spare time enjoying the outdoors. She is eager to continue her work on council and with the Associated Alumni. You can reach Jess at jessicastutt@gmail.com.



Peter Syroid (B.Sc. Eng'98, MBA'03) a native of Fredericton, is a proud two-time graduate of UNB. After obtaining a mechanical engineering degree in '98, Peter worked several years as an engineer for the Trane Company in Calgary, then returned to UNB to complete his MBA in '03 with a focus in finance. The faculty of business' flagship Student Investment Fund (SIF) helped pave the way for his current career as a CFA charterholder and pension fund portfolio manager. As a strong believer in higher education, Peter hopes to give back to UNB through the Associated Alumni Council if elected. Feel free to contact him at psyroid@hotmail.com.



Keely Wallace (BA'09) of Nova Scotia has been passionate about UNB since the moment she became a student in 2005. Keely was the student representative on the Alumni Council during her fourth year at UNB. Over her two terms on council since graduating, she has embraced every opportunity the association had to offer, serving on the Young Alumni Committee, Homecoming 2010 Committee and the Communications Committee. Keely currently resides in Toronto, working with the Stephen Lewis Foundation, and she is excited to continue her work with UNB young alumni in the Toronto area. From Lady Dunn house committee, Student Union VP to valedictorian, Keely eats, sleeps and breathes UNB. As a young alumna, Keely will continue to bring her fresh perspective and passion to council. Please contact Keely at keelywallace@gmail.com.



ALUMNI COUNCIL ELECTION BALLOT

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board of directors of Marine Atlantic, Inc. for a three-year term effective December 1, 2011. Dwight was also appointed to the Queen's Counsel.

'93

George Cooper (LLB) of Moncton, NB has been elected New Brunswick Managing Partner with Cox & Palmer. George is based in Moncton and will continue as Moncton Managing Partner.

'94

Donald Dickison (BPE, BBA'95) of Scarborough, ON, has been hired by PCI Synthesis, Inc., a 12-year-old custom chemical manufacturer of new chemical entities (NCEs), generic active pharmaceutical ingredients (APIs), and other specialty chemical products.

Capt. Kenneth Jenkins (BPE) of Richibucto Road, NB received a 25-year service award from the City of Fredericton along with two other firefighters.

'95

Peter Flower (B.Sc. CE) of Fredericton, NB joined Stantec Consulting in May 2011 as a Senior Project Manager with their Transportation Engineering group.

Carla Kelly (BA) of Burnaby, BC has joined the Summerside and Alberton offices of Cox & Palmer as an associate lawyer. Carla's practice focuses on corporate and commercial, estate planning and real estate law.

Pamela Williams, Q.C. (LLB) of Charlottetown, PE has been appointed as Her Majesty's Counsel by Justice Minister Janice Sherry.

'96

Anne Marie Hartford (MEd) of Fredericton, NB is the executive director of Family Enrichment and Counselling Service, a not-for-profit, community agency dedicated to providing counselling services, educational programs and mediation.

'97

John Tingley (BEd, MEd'02) of Riverview, NB was appointed acting superintendent of School District 14.

'98

Adam Burns (BSc) and Heather Watson of Ottawa, ON are thrilled to announce the birth of their twin sons, Seth Michael and Ethan James, on October 18, 2011.

Joe Miller (BCS) of Mississauga, ON, is currently working as a Database Developer for Research In Motion.

'99

Sarah Estabrooks (BA) and Kevin Faschoway (B.Sc.'98, BCS'01) of Ottawa, ON are delighted to announce the birth of their second daughter, Eloise Marie Faschoway on November 21, 2011.

Ian Latourneau (BBA, BA'00, MA'03) of Fredericton, NB is a local freelance writer and editor.

Amy Maltais (Hickey, BN, C-CCN'04) and Guy Maltais of Atholville, NB joyfully welcomed their first child, Ella Elizabeth, on March 4, 2011.

Michael Nott (B.Sc.) of Calgary, AB has been appointed president of Gunpowder Gold Corp. His areas of geographical expertise cover both Australia and North America, including Alberta, Saskatchewan and Colorado.

Neil Pettigrew (B.Sc.) of Thunder Bay, ON, has been appointed to the position of president, CEO, and director of Fairmont Resources, Inc.

'00

Monica Adair (BA) of Saint John, NB was nominated to the New Brunswick Arts Board. Monica is an architect and designer and a partner in the firm of Acre Architects Inc.

Melanie (Pond, BBA) and **Kevin Darragh** of Fredericton, NB are thrilled to announce the birth of their daughter, Lauren Elizabeth on December 19, 2011.

James MacNeil (LLB) of Dartmouth, NS has become managing partner at Boyne Clark LLP law firm. James is a specialist in construction law.

Christine Picard (BSc) of Morgantown, WV has been appointed Graduate Program Director of the

Forensic & Investigative Sciences Program at Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis.

Jessalynn (Scott, BA) and **Robert Reid** of Ottawa, ON are happy to announce the arrival of Evelyn Barbara Carolyn Reid on October 18, 2011.

Elaine (Parks, BBA) of Calgary, AB and **Eric Roy** (B.Sc. ME'03) are happy to announce the birth of their son Evan, born on May 25, 2011.

Dr. Trevor Craig Wilson (B.Sc.) of Guelph, ON completed his PhD in May 2010, at the University of Sydney, in Sydney, Australia. He is currently teaching at the University of Sydney.

'01

Gwen Quigley (BBA), Geoff Cochrane, and big brother Zachary of Mount Pearl, NL are excited to announce the arrival of Grace Elaine Cochrane born September 18, 2011.

'02

Joshua McElman (BBA, LLB'03) of Fredericton, NB joins the provincial management team at Cox & Palmer as Saint John Managing Partner.

'03

Craig Davidson (MA) of St. Catharines, ON, is the author of a book of short stories, which has been adapted into a romance-suspense movie "Rust & Bone".

Melodie (BA, BEd) and **Chris Dewar** (BBA'03) of Milton, ON are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Isabel Christina, on September 22, 2011.

Nicholas Fitzgerald (BA, BBA'10) of Fredericton NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Michelle Kelly (LLB) of Halifax, NS has been made partner at Cox & Palmer's Halifax office. Michelle focuses primarily on insurance defence work but is also active in property and construction litigation.

Dr. Michelle Lafrance (PhD) of Fredericton, NB has been awarded the Wallace and Margaret McCain Course Release Award to continue their work

on the edited book, *Creating Counterstories: Women resisting dominant discourse in speaking their lives*.

Melanie (Doak, BMLS) and **Jeremy Nichols** of Rothesay, NB are pleased to announce the birth of their daughter, Adelaide Ruth Nichols, on December 10, 2011.

Daniel O'Brien (DLitt) of Chester Basin, NS was appointed as a facilitator to help the Nova Scotia College of Art and Design explore ways to make the university financially sustainable.

Peter Speight (B.Sc. CE) of Fredericton, NB has joined the civil engineering group of Giffin Koerth.

'04

Clarence Bennett (LLB) of Fredericton, NB was made partner at Stewart McKelvey's regional law firm. Clarence represents a variety of clients spanning industries including manufacturing, trucking, construction and IT.

Laura Biggar (B.Sc., MEd'09) and Stephen Goss of Fredericton, NB became engaged in 2011, and plan to wed in July 2012.

Stephen Carpenter (LLB) of Souris, PE was made partner at Stewart McKelvey's regional law firm. Stephen's practice, based in Charlottetown, focuses on employment law, labour relations, workplace human rights, workers' compensation, insurance and litigation.

Heather Davis (B.Sc. EE) and **Paul McNutt** (BA and BEd'06) of Saint John, NB are happy to announce the birth of their first child Liam Alexander Davis McNutt, born on November 30, 2011.

John Slauenwhite (BKin) of Berwick, NS has developed school and club volleyball programs in Spirit River, AB, a community of about 1,100 people in north central Alberta. His school and club teams have captured seven provincial championships.

'05

Kara Hachey (BBA, MBA'06) of Hanwell, NB, owner of Go-Go Gymnastics Inc. a mobile gymnastics company, has won the top prize in the Emerging Enterprise category of the

Board of Trade's 27th Outstanding Business Achievement Awards.

'06

Amy Bernier (BA, BN'09) and **Mark Dalley** (BA'07) of Greater Lakeburn, NB are happy to announce the arrival of their son, Alexander Alderson Dalley born November 28, 2011.

James C. Mosher (LLB) of Saint John, NB is an Associate at McInnes Cooper, focusing on corporate and business, property, and wills and estate law.

'07

Rylan Melles (BBA) of Hanwell, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountant's Uniform Evaluation.

'08

Lori Ann Keough (BBA) of Tignish, PE has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountant's Uniform Evaluation.

'09

Stephanie Batory (MBA) of Calgary, AB was recently hired by Uracon Resources, Ltd. as the Investor Relations Manager for the company.

'10

Emilie Chiasson (BBA) of Fredericton, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Jared Doyle (BRSS, BEd'11) of Charlottetown PE is teaching grades 4 to 8 French and grades K to 8 physical education at Georgetown Elementary School.

Michael Earle (BBA) of Moncton, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Samantha Gould (BN) of Campbellton, NB went to Haiti at the end of January as part of Team Canada Healing Hands.

Matthew Graham (BBA) of Rothesay, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Amanda Greer (BN) of Noonan, NB went to Haiti at the end of January as part of Team Canada Healing Hands.

Calvin Hall (BBA) of Saint John, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Christopher Mitchell (BBA) of Fredericton, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountant's Uniform Evaluation.

Michelle Paquin (BBA) of Fredericton, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountant's Uniform Evaluation.

'11

Measha Brueggergosman (DLitt) of New York, NY performs on the international opera circuit and is a judge on CityTV's Canada's Got Talent.

Matthew Pearn (LLB) of Rothesay, NB was nominated to the New Brunswick Arts Board.

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'75

Keith Attoe (BBA) of Niagara on the Lake, ON is co-CEO of Atlantic Potash Corp, and executive in charge of developing a new potash mine near Sussex.

Charles Whelley, Q.C. (BBA, LLB'78-F) of Rothesay, NB was named in the peer-review publication *The Best Lawyers in Canada 2012* as a leading practitioner. Charles works in Corporate and Commercial Litigation with Cox & Palmer.

'77

Barbara and **Tom Meade** (Kirkpatrick, BT) of Long Reach, NB, are proud grandparents of Regan Ellen O'Sullivan, born July 22, 2011.

'79

Gregory Machum (BBA) of Fredericton, NB continues in his tenth year as Chief Operating Officer with Cox & Palmer.

'86

John F.K. Irving (Class of) of Saint John, NB is part of a committee that will look to ensure that New Brunswick's contribution to the War of 1812 is not forgotten.

'91

Senator **Kelvin Kenneth Ogilvie** (DSc) of Wolfville, NS was inducted into the Canadian Science and Engineering Hall of Fame.

Alberta Stanton Rousselle (Bentley, BN) and **Chris Stanton** (BED'87, MED'99-SJ) of Saint John, NB are so proud of their eldest son Zachary Stanton's most recent accomplishments: National AP Scholar with Distinction, Valedictorian Saint Malachy's High School class 2011, Birk's Gold Medal, Governor General's Award, Lord Beaverbrook Scholarship. Zac attends UNB Fredericton and is in first year Chemical Engineering.

'96

Janelle Shillington (Denis, BBA) and Dr. Tarek Rahmeh of Saint John, NB announce with great joy the arrival of their daughter Lydia Shillington Rahmeh born October 21, 2011.

'04

Rebecca Atkinson (BA, LLB'07-F) of Saint John, NB represented New Brunswick at the Canadian Women's Curling Championship in Red Deer AB. Rebecca works at Cox & Palmer's Saint John office as an associate.

Sara (Erb, BA) and Andrew **Murray** of Quispamsis, NB are happy to announce the safe arrival of Olivia Bethenny Murray, born on July 29, 2011.

'09

Omer Arif (BBA) of Saint John, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Daniel Drew (BBA) of Saint John, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

'10

Julie Fitzpatrick (BBA) of Saint John, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

Katherine VanTassel (BBA) of Perth-Andover, NB has successfully completed the 2011 Chartered Accountants' Uniform Evaluation.

'11

Michelle (Borden, BHS) and Joe **Trainor** of Saint John, NB are very pleased to announce the birth of their first child, Claire Emma, on November 14, 2011. 🍷

Remembering Tom:

Thomas J. Condon, former UNB professor, dean of arts, and vice-president of the Saint John campus passed away on Sunday, April 22, 2012.

He began his professional teaching career at UNB, after completing his PhD at Harvard University, and went on to be inducted into the Order of Canada and the Order of New Brunswick.

A gentleman and a scholar, and a true advocate for UNB, he will be greatly missed. 🍷

In Memoriam

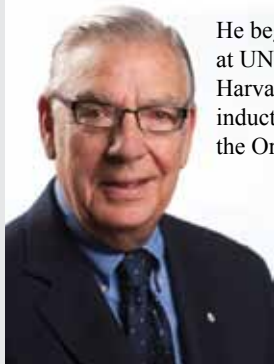
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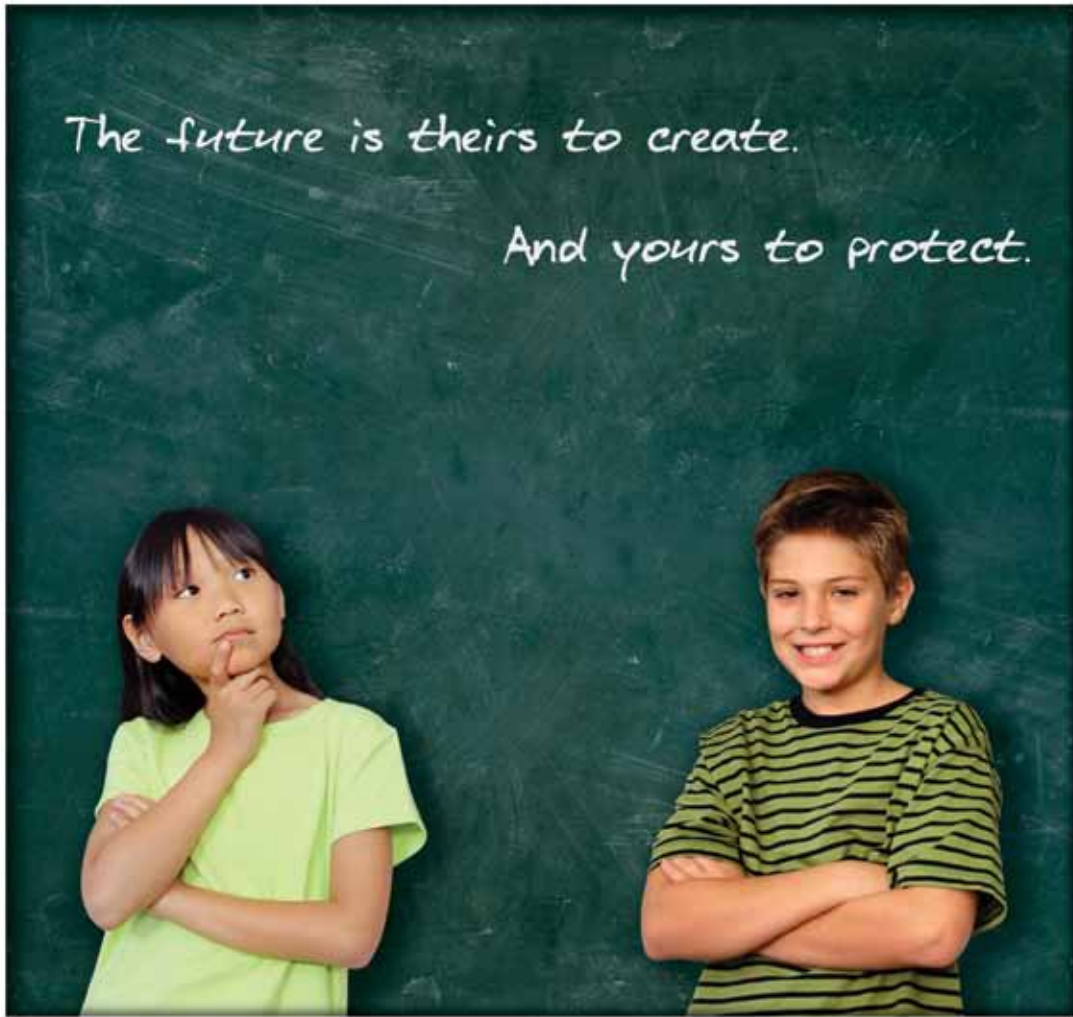
FREDERICTON

- '38 **Ruth Nadeau** (BA) of Victoria, BC
'39 **Mary Ellen Guptill** (B.Sc.) of Bridgewater, NS
'46 **Donald Duncan** (Class of) of Dartmouth, NS
Ian Sewell (BA) of Thunder Bay, ON
'48 **Phyllis Hart** (B.Sc.) of Sault Ste. Marie, ON
Patricia McCleave (B.Sc.) of Richibucto, NB
Lawrence (Larry) Tracy (Class of) of Saint John, NB
'49 **Bruce Campbell** (B.Sc.F) of Nepean, ON
George (Tommy) Carter (B.Sc. EE) of Grand Falls-Winston, NL
Lorne Stairs (Class of) of Fredericton, NB
Arleigh Vincent (B.Sc.F, M.Sc.F'54) of Ottawa, ON
'50 **Norman (Earle) MacLean** (B.Sc. CE) of Pictou, NS
'52 **James Cayford** (B.Sc.F) of Guelph, ON
John Ansley Edwards (B.Sc., PhD'55) of Los Altos, CA
John Fantin (B.Sc.F) of Coniston, ON
Charles Ponder (B.Sc.F, B.Sc. CE'56) of Fredericton, NB
Robert Smith (B.Sc. CE) of Banning, CA
'53 **John (Jack) Pinder** (B.Sc.F) of Miramichi, NB
'54 **Alan Bailey** (BA, BEd'55, MA'55, MED'61) of Truro, NS
'55 **Allan Richard** (B.Sc. EE) of Ludlow, NB
'56 **Robert Martin** (BCL) of Nepean, ON
Stirling (Doc) Thomson (Class of) of Fredericton, NB
'58 **David Griffiths** (BScF) of Fredericton NB
Raymond (Ray) William Kyle (BBA) of Calgary, AB
'59 **Malcolm (Mac) Dunphy** (B.Sc. ME) of Fredericton, NB
'62 **Wendell Collicott** (Class of) of Fredericton, NB
'63 **Thomas McLelan** (B.Sc.F) of Pugwash, NS
'64 **Joyce Bradley** (BA, B.Ed.'65) of Burlington, ON
Shirley-Dale Easley (BPE, M.Ed.'90) of Durham Bridge, NB
'65 **David McLaughlin** (Class of) of Staples Settlement, NB
'66 **Gabriel Barban**, P.Eng. (B.Sc. ME) of Sault Ste. Marie, ON
Clayton Storr (BA) of Brossard, PQ
'68 **Pauline Lewis** (BT) of Fredericton, NB
'69 **Charles Shannon** (LLB) of Bridgewater, NS
'70 **Eleanor Goodwin** (BT, BA'72) of Miramichi, NB
James (Cliff) MacKay (BA) of Ottawa, ON
Linda Welsh (BA) of Saint John, NB
'71 **Richard Wasson** (BBA) of Truro, NS
'72 **John Lockhart** (B.Sc. CE) of Victoria, BC
'79 **Timothy Tregunno** (BBA) of Halifax, NS
'81 **Anne Martin** (LLB) of Chatham, NB
'86 **Neil Edwards** (MED) of Creston, NL
Dawn Muzzerall (BBA) of Fredericton, NB
'87 **Margaret Chase** (BBA) of Fredericton, NB
'96 **Jeffrey Geddes** (B.Sc. Che'05) of Richibucto Road, NB
'00 **Mohan Iype** (DSc) of Saint John, NB
James Perry (BCS) of Ottawa, ON
'07 **Julia Corkum** (BA, LLB'09) of Wentzells Lake, NS
'11 **Tasheen Webber** (BN) of Fredericton, NB

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- '75 **Joan Kennedy** (BA) in Ottawa, ON
'77 **Lois Forrest** (BT) of Saint John, NB
'78 **Julia Quigley** (BT, BEd'79) of Saint John, NB
'91 **Trevor Titus** (BSc) of Dunrobin, ON 🍷





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