

Spring Virtual
GRADUATION

2021

Celebration

Special Edition May 28, 2021



SAINT MARY'S
UNIVERSITY



MESSAGE

from the

PRESIDENT

To say that I am proud of the class of 2021 would be an understatement.

This has been an academic term like no other. The entire university community – myself included – has been inspired by the resilience, leadership and compassion shown by our May graduates in the face of unprecedented challenges.

Your experience at Saint Mary's has prepared you well for this moment. You have met people from all over the world, broadening your perspectives and intercultural understanding. Your professors have helped you study the past to change the future and solve problems using innovation and creativity. You have grown, personally and intellectually, and developed the skills to help you succeed, no matter what path you choose to pursue.



This special edition Graduation Celebration program will be a reminder for years to come that the Class of 2021 did not stumble in the face of adversity but instead stepped forward with courage and determination.

As you begin this new chapter in your lives, with lessons learned and eyes to the future, please know that you are, and always will be, a part of the Santamarian community.

Congratulations on your achievements! I can't wait to see what your future holds.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Robert Summerby-Murray".

Robert Summerby-Murray, PhD
President and Vice-Chancellor

UNIVERSITY MOTTO



SAINT MARY'S
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AGE
QUOD
AGIS

Age Quod Agis

means to 'do what you do.' This phrase exhorts us to focus on our work, to be in the moment and devote our fullest attention to the task at hand. It is a call for dedication, a focus on duty and perseverance, a statement of process. It is a proclamation of the importance of disciplining ourselves to our studies, to our scientific, artistic, cultural, commercial and athletic pursuits. It is a call to action to act in the world, to shoulder responsibility, to champion social justice, environmental justice and ethical values.



DEGREES AND DIPLOMAS

Awarded with Distinctions

At Saint Mary's University in the general undergraduate degree and diploma programs, academic distinctions are awarded to successful candidates on the basis of the following cumulative grade point averages of all courses taken at Saint Mary's University. There are no distinctions awarded in graduate and certificate programs.

BA, BES, BComm, & BSc	Grade Point Av.	Diploma in Engineering
summa cum laude	4.00 - 4.30	with greatest distinction
magna cum laude	3.85 - 3.99	with great distinction
cum laude	3.70 - 3.84	with distinction

The President's Hall of Academic Excellence, located in the main hallway of the McNally Building, directly outside the President's Office, displays the names of all students who earned one of these distinctions. The Hall also includes the names of students who won academic medals at graduation.

MEDALS & AWARDS

Details about these awards can be found in the 'About Saint Mary's' section of this program.

~ UNDERGRADUATE MEDALS & AWARDS

Governor General's Silver Medal

Recipient: **Zoë E. Dunsworth**

Donor: Governor General of Canada

GRADUATE ~ MEDALS

Governor General's Gold Medal

Recipient: **Liela Ahmed Jamjoom**

Donor: Governor General of Canada

UNIVERSITY FACULTY & DIVISION MEDALS

Undergraduate Gold Medals

Bachelor of Arts

Recipient: Le Khoi Anh Pham

Bachelor of Science

Recipient: Conor David Waterfield

Diploma in Engineering

Recipient: Jacques Y. Bosse

Bachelor of Commerce

Recipient: Dylan Mark Stead

UNIVERSITY FACULTY MEDALS

Graduate Gold Medals

James Morrison International Development Studies Medal

Recipient: Trymore Maganga

Donor: Dr. James H. Morrison

Master of Business Administration: Dr. Harold G. Beazley Medal

Recipient: Jennifer Fuccillo

Donor: Dr. Harold G. Beazley BComm'36 DLitt'72

Executive Master of Business Administration

Recipients: Melissa Cranidge

Zachary Thomas Day

Donor: Bridges Family

Master of Science (Applied Psychology)

Recipient: Kailey Maria Roche

Donor: Aramark Canada Ltd.

Master of Science: The Georgia Pe-Piper Medal for Excellence in Applied Science

Recipient: Sarah Elizabeth Kingsbury

Donor: Applied Science Faculty Members

ACADEMIC SUBJECT AWARDS

Biology: The Dr. Brij M. Kapoor Memorial Award

Recipient: Kaleigh Elizabeth Rita McLeod

Donor: The family of Dr. Brij M. Kapoor

The McMullan & Rege Honours in Criminology Convocation Award

Recipient: Hui Ling Kaitlin Tan

Donor: Dr. Aunshul Rege

Environment: Environmental Prize

Recipient: Shreetee Devi Appadu

Donor: Dr. Tony Charles

CAG Undergraduate Award in Geography

Recipient: Katherine Anne Macdonald

Donor: Canadian Association of Geographers

Geology: The Centennial Medal

Recipient: Abdullah Yousef Asfour

Donor: The Mining Society of Nova Scotia

History Honours Thesis Award

Recipient: Julien Marilyn Sheppard

Donor: History Department

Human Resource Management: Hermann F. Schwind Award for Excellence in Human Resource Management

Recipient: Le Khoi Anh Pham

Donor: Department of Management Faculty members, past and present

O'Brien Award in Irish Studies

Recipient: Ciara Katherine Harris

Donor: Dr. Brian O'Brien DSc'15

Modern Languages: Prize of the Ambassador of Switzerland

Recipient: Yingjun Chen

Donor: Ambassador of Switzerland to Canada

Edwin C. Harris Tax Prize

Recipients: Dylan Mark Stead

Bradley Kevin Wagner

Brandy Janelle Linda Walsh

Donor: Atlantic Tax Conference Planning Committee

Mary Ann and Edward J. McBride Law Prize

Recipient: Kelly Johannah Webb

Donor: Edward J. McBride

Linguistics Book Prize

Recipient: Han Lai

Donor: Linguistics Program

Peace and Conflict Studies Book Prize

Recipient: Dylan James Murphy

Donor: Peaceful Schools International and the Saint Mary's University Students' Association (SMUSA)

**J. Kevin Vessey Award for the Ph.D.
in Applied Science**

Recipient: Brendan Hilton Grue

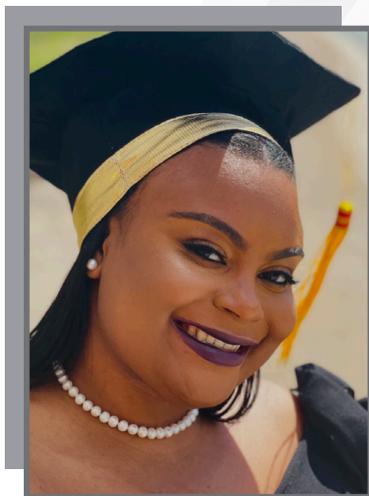
Donor: Dr. J. Kevin Vessey

JOHN AND HEATHER FITZPATRICK
~ VALEDICTORIAN AWARDS

Recipients: Cajiah Percrair Bethel
Morgan Louise Burnard
Samantha Lois Elizabeth Graham

Donor: John BA'81 DCL'17 QC & Heather Fitzpatrick





Cajiah Bethel

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

Cajiah Bethel hails from Nassau, Bahamas. She started her journey to Saint Mary's after meeting President Robert Summerby-Murray at a recruitment fair while in high school, and knew that she was destined to be a Husky. During her time at Saint Mary's, she lived in residence and worked as a Residence Advisor, meeting people and making friends from around the world. She graduates with a Bachelor of Science in Biology, a program which allowed her to learn more about plants and the human body. She plans on taking the MCAT with the goal of attending medical school and one day becoming a doctor.



Morgan Burnard

BACHELOR OF ARTS

Morgan Burnard is from Nova Scotia's Annapolis Valley. In 2017, she graduated from Horton High School and began her journey at Saint Mary's University. During her time at Saint Mary's, Morgan has completed an Honours Degree in English and a Minor in History. In addition, she is recognized on the 2020-2021 Saint Mary's Dean's List.

At the age of five, Morgan's passion for English began and her dreams to obtain an English Degree quickly followed. Morgan's most prominent literary influence is Lucy Maud Montgomery for her poetic recognition of the ordinary.

Morgan is also significantly influenced by Bruce Springsteen for his wisdom and devotion to understanding the stories that surround and fill us with purpose. Borrowed from Rory Gilmore, Morgan's philosophy is "what she tackles, she conquers". This philosophy applies to her Valedictorian speech which is entitled, "The Steps of a Saint Mary's Graduate".

Morgan thanks her parents, Arnold and Lorraine, for their support and teaching her that a dream is as possible as your dedication to work for it. Her sister, Margaree, resides in memories but remains as an elemental presence in Morgan's life. Morgan is also gracious to Dr. Alexander MacLeod, a Saint Mary's professor who has especially encouraged her writing and academic pursuits.

The English Department at Saint Mary's has furthered Morgan's passion for English and has inspired her to continue her education. Morgan has been accepted into the English Graduate Program at Memorial University for the Fall of 2021.



Samantha Graham

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE

Born and raised in Nova Scotia, Samantha came to Saint Mary's to study economics, with a passion for both law and medicine in her back pocket. While attending SMU, she became a member of the Campus Medical Response Team, which went on to win first place at the Annual Atlantic Canada Campus Response Team Conference in 2019. Additionally, Samantha has been an orientation leader, a Teaching Assistant in Computer Science, coordinator of the Get Out the Vote campaign during the 2019 federal election and worked as both Academic Officer and Vice-President External for the Saint Mary's University Students' Association. During her time with SMUSA, she was elected Chair of Students Nova Scotia, a provincial advocacy group; representing and advocating for students during the challenging times of COVID-19. In 2020, she was recognized with an Outstanding Position Paper award for her role on the SMU Model United Nations Team and is on the Sobey School of Business Dean's List.

The excellent faculty and staff at Saint Mary's have transformed Samantha's experience, especially those that she met while studying across various disciplines. After spending the 2020-2021 year working through a global pandemic, and recognizing her passion for the medical system, Samantha will be heading to Ireland in the fall to pursue her Master of Public Health at University College Cork.





Albert Mills

Dr. Mills started at Saint Mary's in 1993 as an Associate Professor in the Management Department. He served as Associate Dean from 1994-96. In 1999, Albert helped to introduce and schedule the PhD (Management) program, which was launched in June 2000. In May 2003, Albert took over as Director of the PhD program and served in that position until 2018. Over his time as PhD Director the program received international recognition and graduated over fifty students.

Over the past 27 years at Saint Mary's, Dr. Mills has been a prolific researcher and has published extensively in peer-reviewed journals, book chapters, books and special issues. In the process, he has received international recognition for his contribution to the development of Critical Sense Making Theory; Gender and Organizational Theory, and ANTi-History. The author of over 45 books and edited collections, he has also continued to make an impact on teaching and academic leadership, producing several textbooks, teaching internationally, and winning recognition from students, including the Saint Mary's University, MBA Students' Association - 'Professor of the Year' award in 1996. He has served as Co-Divisional Chair of the International Critical Management Studies Board, the Co-Chair of the Academy of Management's Critical Management Studies Division, President of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada and President of the Atlantic Schools of Business. In 2008, in recognition of his various scholarly contributions, Albert was awarded the President's Award for Excellence in Research. He emphasizes that he has not retired from academia but plans to continue his many local, national and international activities.

Jean Helms Mills

Dr. Helms Mills returned to Saint Mary's in 2003, after six years at Acadia and Mount Allison Universities, having previously had part time and term positions in the Management Department. During her time at Saint Mary's, she taught over 6,500 students, including teaching on the PhD in Management Program from 2005-2019. She has supervised seven PhD students to successful completion and continues to supervise three students.

Jean's research is in the areas of gender and historiography and she is one of the leading contributors to the development of critical sensemaking theory. She has an extensive track record of publications, including ten books, edited collections, peer reviewed articles and chapters in edited collections. In October 2014, she was awarded the President's Award for Research Excellence at Saint Mary's University, the first woman in the Business School to receive the award and only the second in the university, at that time.

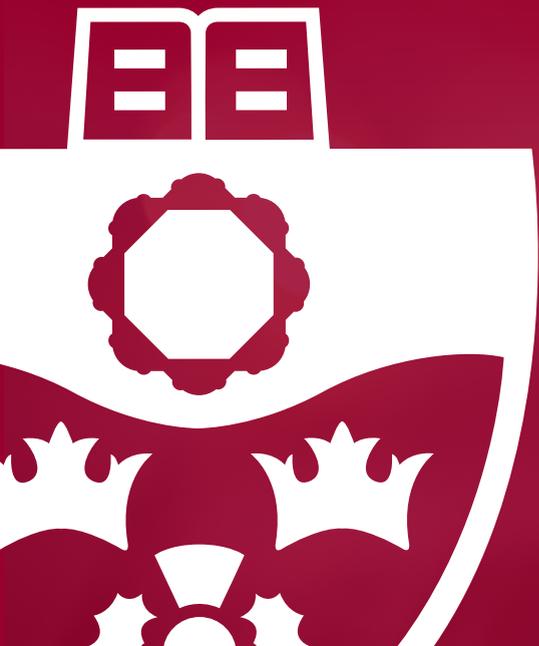
She has served as the Co-Chair of the Academy of Management's Critical Management Studies Division, and held various roles in both The Administrative Sciences Association of Canada and The Atlantic Schools of Business. Currently Jean is Co-editor of the journal *Qualitative Research in Organizations and Management* and past Associate Editor of *Gender, Work and Organization*.

In addition to invited talks and international teaching in Georgia, Lithuania, Sweden, Vietnam, Austria and Finland, Jean has been a Guest Professorship in Management and Leadership at Jyväskylä University School of Business and Economics (2018-2021). She was appointed as an International Reader at The Swedish School of Social Science at the University of Helsinki (2017 - 2020) and became a Guest Professor in 2020. In addition Jean is a Docent at both the Jyväskylä University School of Business and Economics and the University of Eastern Finland.

Prior to her academic career, Jean worked for 17 years with Air Canada. As such, much of her research is focussed on studying airlines, their cultures and employment practices for women.



2021 GRADUATES



SOBEY SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

BACHELOR OF COMMERCE

Ali Mousa Ahmad
Bedford, NS

Rahib Ahmad
Dhaka, Bangladesh

Md Khairul Al Hassan
Dhaka, Bangladesh

Yousef Shehab Alaghbari
Yemen

Aaron Peter Alexander
Bedford, NS

Tashfi Tanvir Ali
Dhaka, Bangladesh

Matthew Pietro Aloisi
Halifax, NS

Walaa Abbas Alzayer
Qatif, Saudi Arabia

Mikael Temesgan Ambaw
Halifax, NS

Juan Jose Andrade
summa cum laude
Guayaquil, Ecuador

Fardina Wahab Anika
Dhaka, Bangladesh

Hailey Audfroid
Dalhousie, NB

Sho Morota Badger
Dartmouth, NS

Michael P. Edwin Balcom
Dartmouth, NS

Harsh Bali
Halifax, NS

Miya Ann Beaton
Mabou, NS

Sarah Elizabeth Bell
summa cum laude
Dartmouth, NS

Morgan J. Bentley
Halifax, NS

Robel J. Berhane
Waterloo, ON

Dominique Adele Emilie Best
Bridgetown, Barbados

Siobhan Elizabeth Birch
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Bedford, NS

Liam Edward Charles Brennan
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Timberlea, NS



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Windsor, NS

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New Providence, Bahamas

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Lake Echo, NS

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New York, NY, USA

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Dartmouth, NS

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cum laude
Halifax, NS

Megan Kristina Chambers
summa cum laude
Falmouth, NS

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summa cum laude
St. John's, Antigua & Barbuda

Qizhao Chen
Xiamen, China

Weiyi Chen
Halifax, NS

Zuohuan Chen
Wuhan, China

Nyasha Chigona
Harare, Zimbabwe

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Kolkata, India

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Sussex, NB

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Inverness, NS

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Bamako, Mali

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Yarmouth, NS

Phyllis Dharmaratnam
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Fortune Bridge, PE

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Timberlea, NS

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Bursa, Turkey

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Halifax, NS

Kaiwen Ha
Shanghai, China

Meng Han
Halifax, NS

Yikun Han
Beijing, China

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Taian, China

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Rachelle Marie McDonald
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Halifax, NS

Sean Ryan McKim

Truro, NS

Graham James McKinnon

Coldbrook, NS

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Belnan, NS

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Truro, NS

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Clare, NS

Allison Claire Murphy

cum laude

Waverley, NS

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Jenna Ann Myra

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Dat Nguyen-Huynh

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Coleton David Oickle

Coldbrook, NS

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Urviben Ashishkumar Patel

Nairobi, Kenya

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Jerod Ryan Pennell

cum laude

Elmsdale, NS

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Ratri Saha
Dhaka, Bangladesh

Hanna Sakaki
Kitakyusyu, Japan

Ahmed Saleh
West Bank, Palestine

Amal Salehi-Gheshmi
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Bowen Shi
Tangshan, China

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Dashawn Eugene Smith
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Haoyang Sun
Qiqihar, China

Kejia Sun
Halifax, NS

Yuanhao Sun
Zhongshan, China

Ittikorn Supornchai
Bangkok, Thailand

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Yaoyu Tang
Huzhou, China



Cole Randall Tanner
Lunenburg, NS

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Jinan, China

Ye Wang
Dalian, China

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summa cum laude
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Nassau, Bahamas

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Jinan, China

Huiyan Xu
Halifax, NS

Jiaqian Xu
Tieling, China

Jiachen Yan
Jinzhong, China

Bowen Yao
Zibo, China

Chenping Yi
cum laude
Halifax, NS

Yaqi Yin
Halifax, NS

Zein Youssef
cum laude
Dartmouth, NS

Hang Yue
Chengdu, China

Zhengran Yue
Handan, China

Elia-Thomas Zard
Montreal, QC

Kyle Roger Zard
cum laude
Montreal, QC

Xueying Zhang
Halifax, NS

Yixin Zhang
Halifax, NS

Xinwei Zhao
Taian, China

Yiting Zhu
Qingdao, China

Rami Wael Saleh Zokari
Taiz, Yemen

CERTIFICATE OF HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

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Shanice Melroy Arrakal
Mumbai, India

Morgan J. Bentley
Halifax, NS

Siobhan Elizabeth Birch
Mississauga, ON

Megan Elizabeth Boudreau
Moncton, NB

Caroline Scott DeVan
Halifax, NS

Abiola Oluwatoyin Yaminat Elabanjo
St. John's, Antigua & Barbuda

Erin Gillian Osborne Forster
Aurora, ON

Prachi Gaba
Gurgaon, India

Kadeem A. M. Joseph
Antigua, Antigua & Barbuda

Colleen Patricia Mary Kearney
Dalhousie, NB

Zaria-Kai K. King
Bridgetown, Barbados

Coleton David Oickle
Coldbrook, NS

Asia J. Outten
Halifax, NS

Le Khoi Anh Pham
Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Courtney Faith Robichaud
Halifax, NS

William James Schofield
Cow Bay, NS

MASTER OF APPLIED ECONOMICS

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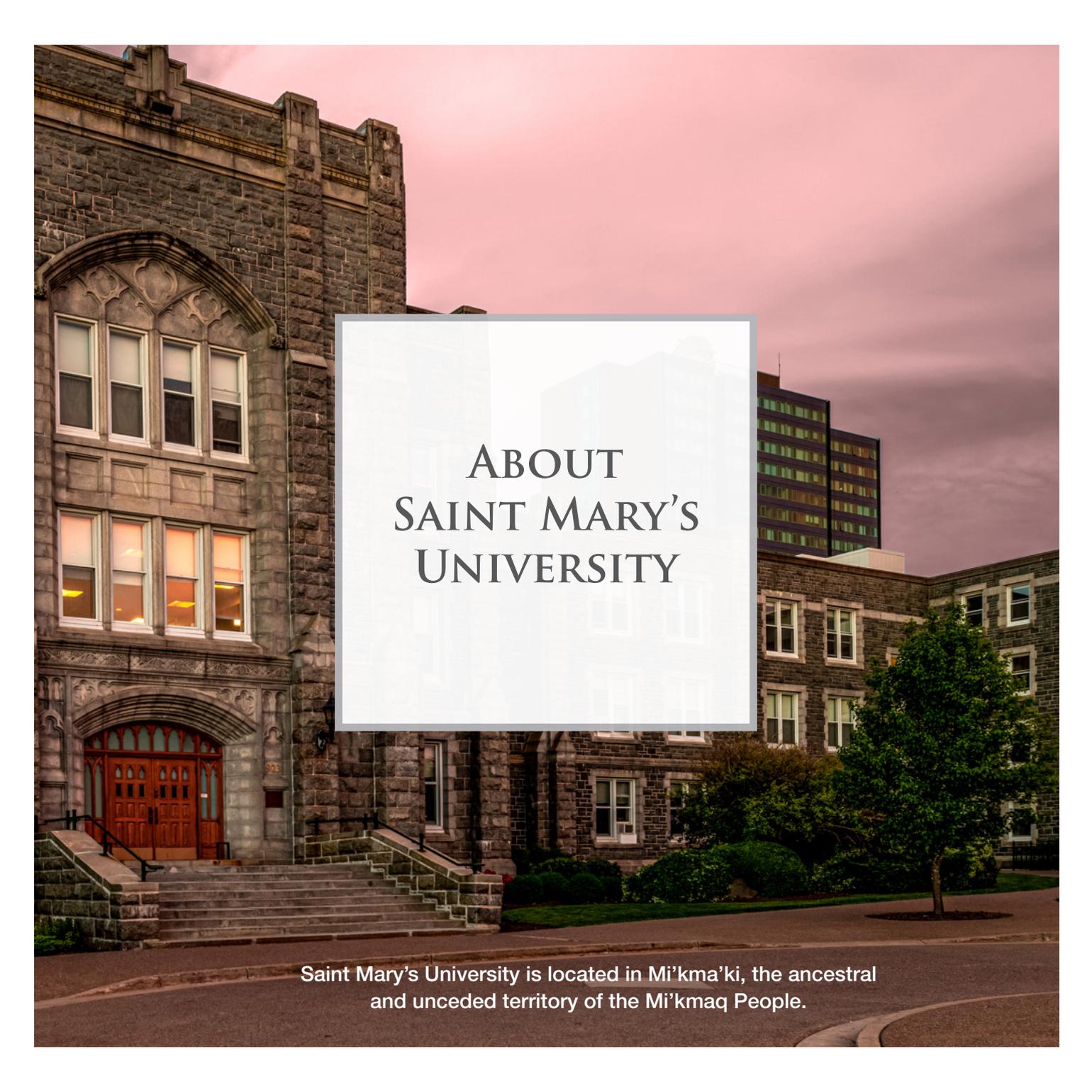
The Saint Mary's Alumni Association

will welcome more than 700 students into its global family this spring. Donning Alumni Honour Guard robes, your Alumni speaker acts as a symbol of your belonging and acceptance into our community.

Each graduate will receive an alumni pin from Saint Mary's Alumni Association when they receive their parchment, a tradition dating back to 1990. Graduates are encouraged to wear their pins with pride. Alumni of Saint Mary's University, Santamarians, share a strong sense of community; this bond is evident whether alumni are cheering on the Huskies, supporting their alma mater with their time or resources, or heading back to campus for Homecoming.

With more than 53,000 graduates worldwide, Saint Mary's has alumni networks in cities and towns across the globe.

Stay connected and keep in touch with classmates through social media, regional gatherings and networking opportunities. And if you want to volunteer, plan an event or start an alumni network in your area, visit smu.ca/alumni.



ABOUT SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY

Saint Mary's University is located in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People.



Nestled in the heart of Halifax,

Nova Scotia, Saint Mary's University is marked by iconic buildings, green spaces, and fresh ocean air. A vibrant and culturally diverse campus, Saint Mary's lets students experience the world, all in one city block.

The university's role in the creation and dissemination of knowledge, combined with its entrepreneurial and leadership skills training, provide ample evidence of its ability to change the world for the better – locally, nationally, and internationally.

Graduates of Saint Mary's – who hail from more than 100 countries – share a special pride. Known as Santamarians, 53,000 alumni are contributing to communities and economies around the globe.

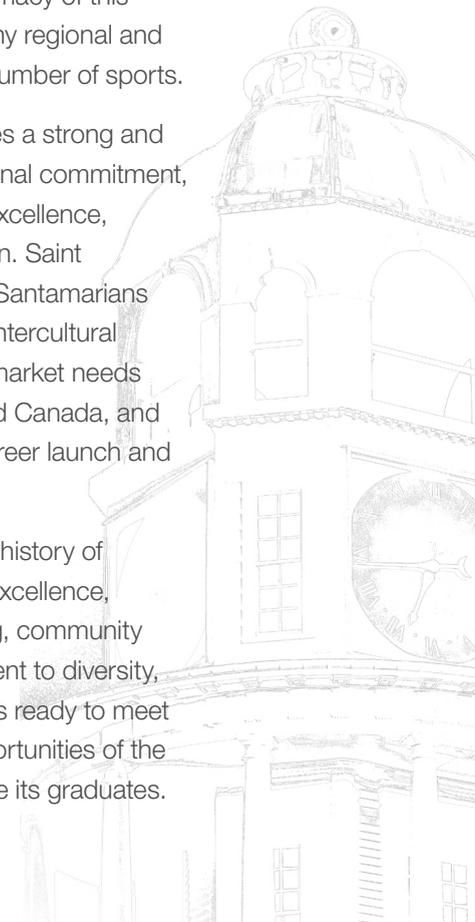
Saint Mary's has pioneered a number of academic programs and is home to one of the first Faculties of Commerce in Canada, now recognized as a national leader in business education. In more recent years, the university became known for programs and supports for students with disabilities; when the Fred Smithers Centre of Support for Students with Disabilities opened in

1985, it was one of only a handful of such facilities in the country.

Saint Mary's has always endorsed the idea that physical health is a strong foundation for a productive mind and spirit, and the university has proven time and again the legitimacy of this philosophy, winning many regional and national titles across a number of sports.

Student success requires a strong and comprehensive institutional commitment, focusing on academic excellence, discovery, and innovation. Saint Mary's aims to prepare Santamarians to succeed in a global, intercultural environment, meet the market needs of the Atlantic region and Canada, and provide pathways for career launch and progression.

Building upon its strong history of teaching and research excellence, student-centred learning, community outreach and commitment to diversity, Saint Mary's University is ready to meet the challenges and opportunities of the 21st century. So, too, are its graduates.





Governor General's Gold and Silver Medals

For more than 125 years, the Governor General's Academic Medals have recognized the outstanding scholastic achievements of students in Canada. They are awarded to the student graduating with the highest average from a high school, as well as from approved college or university programs. Pierre Trudeau, Tommy Douglas, Kim Campbell, Robert Bourassa, Robert Stanfield and Gabrielle Roy are just some of the more than 50 000 people who have received the Governor General's Academic Medal.

Today, the Governor General's Academic Medals are awarded at four distinct levels: Bronze at the secondary school level; Collegiate Bronze at the post-secondary, diploma level; Silver at the undergraduate level; and Gold at the graduate level. Medals are presented on behalf of the Governor General by participating educational institutions, along with personalized certificates signed by the Governor General.



Master of Arts (International Development Studies): James Morrison International Development Studies Medal

The purpose of this medal, made possible through a generous donation by Dr. James Morrison of Saint Mary's University, is to recognize exceptional fieldwork design and empirical research at the graduate level. Established in 1993, this medal is awarded based on the successful completion of a Master of Arts in International Development thesis that integrates field research and demonstrates the theory and practice of International Development.

Master of Business Administration: Dr. Harold G. Beazley Medal

Established in 1976 by Harold “Babe” Beazley BComm’36 DLitt’72, the Beazley Medal is the oldest graduate-level University Gold medal, recognizing highest academic achievement for graduates of the Master of Business Administration. Dr. Beazley was the first recipient of a Bachelor of Commerce at Saint Mary’s in 1936, taught at Saint Mary’s his entire career, and served as Dean of Commerce and as coach of the men’s varsity hockey team. His contributions to the Sobey School of Business and the Department of Accounting are immeasurable; shortly after his retirement, he was named Professor Emeritus and Dean Emeritus in 1979.

Master of Science (Applied Science): The Georgia Pe-Piper Medal for Excellence in Applied Science

This medal recognizes excellence in research by a student enrolled in the Master of Science, Applied Science program. Nominees are ranked based on degree of independence of the candidate from the supervisor(s) in the research/thesis, degree of novelty and innovation, contribution to / impact on the field or discipline, contribution or impact beyond the field or discipline, quality of the interpretation of the research findings, students' performance during the defense of the thesis and the quality of the thesis as a written document.

Established in 2013 through the generosity of Saint Mary's University faculty members, in recognition of Dr. Georgia Pe-Piper, Professor Emerita of the Department of Geology at Saint Mary's.

Biology: The Dr. Brij M. Kapoor Memorial Award

Established in 2007, this award is presented in honour of Dr. Brij Mohan Kapoor, Professor of Biology from 1968-2003, who believed in excellence in science and meritorious achievement.

The McMullan & Rege Honours in Criminology Convocation Award

This award has been established in honour of Professor Aunshul Rege’s mentor, Dr. John Leonard McMullan, a long serving and well-respected faculty member in the former Department of Sociology and Criminology. Dr. Rege credits her love for education and passion for educating others to his guidance, dedication to excellence, hard work and commitment to the success of others.



Environment: Environmental Prize

The Environmental Prizes are awarded to students graduating with a major or honours in the BSc Environmental Science program, and to a major or honours in the Bachelor of Environmental Studies program. Recipients will have shown exceptionally strong and solidly interdisciplinary academic performance, and extensive extracurricular and/or co-curricular leadership and other involvement that directly or indirectly supports environmental well-being.

These awards were established in 2013 by Dr. Tony Charles. Dr. Charles is a former Director of the School of the Environment and a professor in the Environmental Science Department and the Sobey School of Business. He specializes in interdisciplinary research on natural resources, coastal and marine areas and conservation issues.

Human Resource Management: Hermann F. Schwind Award for Excellence in Human Resource Management

This award was established in 2000 by friends and colleagues of Dr. Hermann Schwind, in recognition of his significant contributions to the advancement of the Human Resources Management profession in this region and across the country.



O'Brien Award in Irish Studies

This award was created by the generosity of Dr. Brian O'Brien DSc'15 to honour a graduating student who has excelled in Irish Studies. The award also memorializes the important contributions of Rev. Richard Baptist O'Brien, the first President of Saint Mary's when it acquired degree granting status in 1841, and the Archbishop of Halifax, Cornelius O'Brien, who led the university's re-establishment in 1903 following a 22-year closure.

Dr. Brian O'Brien DSc'15 is a long-time benefactor of the Irish Studies Program and a stalwart of the Irish community in Halifax. Since his retirement in 2009 from a distinguished career as an Ophthalmologist, Dr. O'Brien has been a champion in the restoration of the Holy Cross Cemetery, a valuable repository of the history of the Irish contribution to Saint Mary's and Nova Scotia. In 2015, Dr. O'Brien received a Doctor of Science (honoris causa) from Saint Mary's University.

Edwin C. Harris Tax Prize

Established 2010, the Edwin C. Harris Tax Prize was established by Saint Mary's University and the Sobey School of Business Tax Conference Planning Committee in honour of Edwin C. Harris QC FCA FCMA TEP for his 50-year contribution to the annual Atlantic Provinces Tax Conference. The Conference is co-sponsored annually by the Sobey School of Business and is attended by practising accountants, tax lawyers, government officials, and people in the tax community.



J. Kevin Vessey Award for the PhD in Applied Science

This award recognizes graduating PhD students from the Applied Science program, who have demonstrated an outstanding impact of their research that goes beyond academia.

John and Heather Fitzpatrick Valedictorian Award

The purpose of this award is to provide incentive and congratulations to Saint Mary's University valedictorians each convocation.

This award was established in 2006 through the generosity of alumnus John Fitzpatrick BA'81 DCL'17 QC and his wife and long-time staff and supporter, Heather. John graduated with a BA in Political Science from Saint Mary's University and an LLB from Dalhousie University Schulich School of Law.

For John, Saint Mary's University has always been close to his heart. John has served on the Board of Governors for 20 years, with eight years as Chair and Vice-Chair. In recognition of his commitment to students, he was awarded an honorary "Gold M" by the Saint Mary's University Students' Association. John also received a Doctor of Civil Law (honoris causa) from Saint Mary's University in 2017.

Heather has worked at Saint Mary's University for more than 18 years in different fundraising positions. She is a strong supporter of the university through many avenues, demonstrating her loyalty and love for the institution.

John and Heather's connections to the university extend to their three children: Laura, Jennifer, and Andrew, who have all attended Saint Mary's. John's Father, Ed, is a proud 1953 Saint Mary's graduate and was valedictorian of his class.



**Dr. John Plews –
Father William A. Stewart,
SJ Medal for Excellence in Teaching**

Dr. John L. Plews is the 2021 recipient of the Father William A. Stewart, SJ Medal for Excellence in Teaching presented by the Saint Mary's University Alumni Association and Faculty Union.

Dr. Plews is Professor of German and Director of the Canadian Summer School in Germany (CSSG). He studied German and French at the University of Manchester (1991) and completed

a Master's in German Literature at the University of Alberta, Edmonton (1992). He earned a Doctorate in German Literatures, Languages, & Linguistics (2001) and a Doctorate in Secondary Education (2010), both from the University of Alberta. He has taught at Saint Mary's since 2005 and at the CSSG from 2009-2012 as well as since 2017 when becoming Director. He served as the President of the Canadian Association of University Teachers of German (CAUTG) (2016-2018) and President of the Halifax Languages Consortium (2015-2018). Dr. Plews researches study abroad for language learners and language teachers, second language learner identities and second language curriculum and teaching. His work draws on a variety of critical and sociocultural theories as well as qualitative approaches, including narrative analysis. His research has been funded by SSHRC, Saint Mary's University, the Province of Alberta and the Izaak Walton Killam Memorial Fund. He is also the recipient of the Sheryl McInnis Award (2003) in recognition of academic service to the LGBTQ2S+ community of Edmonton and the CAUTG Award for Best PhD Dissertation (2002).

He is currently compiling an edited volume on critical approaches to study abroad research methods and data (2022, Palgrave Macmillan, with J. McGregor). He is editor of several books and journal issues and author of articles and book chapters on various topics in study abroad research, second language education and German culture.

Dr. Plews is being recognized by his current and former students and colleagues for his enthusiasm and dedication to the scholarship of teaching and learning of the German language, engaging teaching methods and positive impact on the lives of his students.

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