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University History and Traditions

221 Historical Sketch

The University of Alberta is a publicly supported, non-denominational, co-educational institution. It is a member of the Association of Commonwealth Universities and of the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.

The University’s main campus of 89 hectares borders the wooded southern bank of the North Saskatchewan River and lies about two miles from Edmonton’s business centre. Away from the main campus, the University Farm occupies approximately 148 hectares; other holdings include the botanical gardens near Devon and lands as far away as Fort Assiniboine. A considerable area is held under rental agreements, including the Ellerslie farm and the Kinsella ranch.

Some two dozen major teaching and research buildings are situated on the campus as well as two affiliated colleges, six halls of residence, the Students’ Union, and service buildings. Michener Park, once part of the campus as well as two affiliated colleges, six halls of residence, the Students’ Union, and service buildings. Michener Park, once part of the original campus, is the quarters of the Research Council of Alberta, the Provincial Laboratory of Public Health, two teaching hospitals, the Edmonton Veterans’ Hospital, the Aherbert Sanatorium, the Dr. W.W. Cross Cancer Institute, and the Northern Alberta Jubilee Auditorium. An off-campus Book and Record Depository for storage of less-used library materials was opened in 1994.

The Beginnings of the University

Excerpt from University Beginnings in Alberta, by RK Gordon.

We were a small, light-hearted company, hardly more than a score of us; and all of us were young. We lived in a clearing in the poplar bush on the south bank of the North Saskatchewan River. On the slopes side of the great valley and on the flats below the coteys barked and howled at night, but on top of the bank we taught mathematics and physics, Greek and history, English Literature, and biology. Along with some four hundred students and two red brick buildings, we were the University of Alberta; and we felt sure that the future belonged to us, not to the coteys.

We looked across the river to the newly-finished building of the Provincial Government, which in its wisdom had brought us into being and from which came our very modest monthly cheques. Just below the Government Building stood the rather forlorn remains of old Fort Edmonton, but they were not long allowed to cumber the landscape. The new, raw, bustling city was not interested in a reminder of its humble beginnings. The future was the thing, and of the dazzling glory of that future nobody was so mean-spirited as to entertain the slightest doubt.

Alberta became a province in 1905. In 1906 the session of legislature passed an act to authorize the establishment of the University of Alberta. The act’s sponsor was Alexander Cameron Rutherford, Alberta’s first Premier and first Minister of Education. His government purchased the site in what was then Strathcona, and Dr Rutherford himself persuaded Henry Marshall Tory to leave McGill to become the University’s first President, an office he held from 1908 to 1928.

The act permitted all resident graduates of British and Canadian universities to register as members of Convocation. Convocation elected five members to a Senate, the government appointed ten more. The Senate, acting as the governing body of the University, established the Faculty of Arts and Science as the core of the new institution. In 1910 a revision of the University Act constituted the Board of Governors, with powers of business management and administration.

Classes opened in September 1908, in what is now Queen Alexandra School with forty-five students and a faculty of five: WH Alexander, Classics; EK Broades, English; WM Edwards, Mathematics; LH Alexander, Modern Languages; and Dr Tory himself. Thence they moved to the upper floor of Strathcona Collegiate Institute and then in 1911 to Athabasca Hall, Athabasca not only served as residence for staff and students, but also accommodated classrooms, laboratories, the library, the gymnasium, and the administrative offices. The members of the first graduating class received their degrees at the Convocation of 1912, with Mr Justice CA Stuart presiding as Chancellor.

A period of rapid growth followed, with registration reaching 439 in 1914. Assiniboia Hall was completed in 1913, Pembina Hall in 1914, and the Arts Building was formally opened in 1915. The Faculty of Law had its beginning in 1912. In the same year the Department of Extension initiated its work of promoting a closer relationship between the University and the people of the province. In 1913 the Faculty of Applied Science (renamed Engineering in 1948) and the Faculty of Medicine were instituted, the latter able to offer three years of a five-year program.

The Students’ Union was established during the first session and the first edition of the Gateway, the students’ newspaper, appeared in 1911. The Committee on Student Affairs began in 1912 as a joint committee of students and University officials to exercise general supervision over matters affecting student welfare and discipline. Today the Council on Student Affairs carries on its work.

Years of Challenge: 1914 to 1945

The outbreak of war in 1914 slowed the pace of development. The new University sent 438 of its staff, alumni, and students to the armed forces. Eighty-four were killed or died on active service. Their names, together with those of the casualties of the war of 1939–45, are commemorated on a bronze tablet near the entrance to Convocation Hall.

Although the war brought a halt to the building activity, the organization of the University’s teaching moved on with the establishment of the Faculty of Agriculture in 1915, the School of Accounting in 1916, the School of Pharmacy and the sub-faculty of Dentistry in 1917, and the Department of Home Economics in 1919. Of these, the School of Accounting became the Faculty of Commerce, now the Faculty of Business, and Pharmacy, Dentistry, and Household Economics all became Faculties.

With the end of the Great War the University rapidly expanded in number of students and staff. New laboratories were built adjacent to the Arts Building, and the Medical Building was completed in 1921; new wings were added following the war of 1939–45. The curriculum was fundamentally revised in 1919–20 to permit greater freedom in election of courses. The first summer session was held in 1919. The institution of the Research Council of Alberta signified not only an increasing emphasis on science, but a further recognition of the University’s involvement in the development of the province.

In 1927 St. Joseph’s College was opened under Roman Catholic auspices. St Stephen’s College had been, as Alberta College South, the first building on the campus. After the union of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches, it was renamed in 1927 and became the United Church theological college for Western Canada.

The depression years brought serious problems. Though registration did not decline, its increase was painfully slow, from 1,560 students in 1929 to 2,327 in 1939. Full-time teaching staff increased even more slowly. The budget actually fell and did not recover to its pre-depression level until after the war. No new building took place after the present Corbett Hall was completed. (Corbett Hall was originally constructed as a provincial normal school, not a University building.) RC Wallace succeeded President Tory in 1928, and in 1936 was followed by WAR Kerr, who had been the first Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Science. The affiliation of Mount Royal College in 1931 marked a beginning of university work in Calgary. The Banff School of Fine Arts opened in 1933 and the Western Board of Music was established in 1931. Entrance to the University from Grade 11 was abolished in 1937. In 1930 fraternities were permitted; a less controversial change was the abolition of the old practices involved in freshman initiation.

The impact of the war of 1939 was very different from that of 1914–18. Though war naturally disrupted the University’s life, there was a determination to preserve its essential being while using its facilities as fully as possible in relation to the national effort. The Air Force took over the three residences and out-of-town students, whose number had not substantially declined, flocked into Garneau boarding houses and made use of a new cafeteria known to later generations as Hot Caf (which was demolished in 1968 to provide the site for the Central Academic Building). Medicine, Dentistry, and Education offered accelerated courses. Engineering offered special courses to members of the armed services. No more important development took place than the acceptance in 1945 by the University of sole responsibility for the training of Alberta teachers. The School of Education, established in 1928, became a faculty in 1942, and after the war it became, in terms of enrolment, the largest in the University.

Robert Newton was named President on WAR Kerr’s retirement in 1941. He played an important part in the framing of the University Act of 1942, which transferred from the Senate to the General Faculty Council jurisdiction over academic matters and vested all final authority in the Board of Governors, whose jurisdiction had previously been confined to finance.

Years of Expansion: 1945 to 1969

With the end of the war, a flood of veterans poured into the University and registration rose from 2,023 in 1943–44 to a peak of nearly 5,000 in 1947–48. Accommodation in classrooms, laboratories, and libraries was pathetically inadequate, and housing was generally even less satisfactory. Army huts only partially relieved the pressure. By 1947 student numbers had tripled from...
pre-war figures, but full-time teaching staff did not even double. Thereafter the pace of campus development slowly increased. New wings were added to the Agriculture Building in 1947 and the University's first Student Union Building opened in 1950, the Rutherford Library and the Engineering Building in 1951, and the Agriculture Building in 1953 (now, after enlargements and renovations, the Earth Sciences Building). The Administration Building dates from 1957.

The hectic post-war years merged into the slower growth of the 1950s. Andrew Stewart became president in 1950 and was succeeded by Walter H Johns, who served from 1959 to 1969. In that ten-year period the enrolment rose from approximately 5,000 to 17,500, as the post-war generation came to university age.

This unprecedented increase in numbers made necessary the rapid construction of new buildings during the 1960s. The Physical Education Building, the Physical Sciences Building, and additions to the Medical and Engineering Buildings were followed by the Education Building in 1963, the Donald Ewing Cameron Library, the Household Economics Building, and the new Student Centre. The last two buildings were named in honor of Reg Lister, who had for so many years taken care of the older residences. The Henry Marshall Tory Building was opened in 1966, Phase I of the Engineering Centre in 1968, and the Clinical Sciences Buildings of the Faculty of Medicine in 1969. A new Students' Union Building opened in 1967.

No major changes in the University's legal status occurred until the Act of 1968 provided for the establishment of other and separate provincial universities under a University's Commission, which has since disband ed. The increasing range and complexity of subjects studied at the University was reflected in the classification of Graduate Studies as a faculty in 1957, in the division of the Faculty of Arts and Science into two faculties in 1963, and in the foundation of a number of new centres and institutes dedicated specifically to research. A School of Library Science was created in 1968; an independent Faculty from 1975 to 1991, it is now, as the School of Library and Information Studies, a unit within the Faculty of Education. Outside of Edmonton, the University’s work in Calgary, instituted in 1951, gradually expanded and an affiliated junior college was established in Lethbridge. These became separate universities in 1966. Other junior colleges in Medicine Hat, Camrose, Red Deer, and Grande Prairie became affiliated with the University to help bring higher education to more areas of the province.

Recent Years

Max Wyman, the first graduate of the University to become its president, took office in 1969 and served until 1974; Harry Gunning followed from 1974 to 1979; Myer Horowitz from 1979 to 1989; and Paul Davenport from 1989 to 1994. Roderick Fraser took office at the beginning of 1995. During these years new problems arose, as a levelling of student numbers and worldwide inflation made the University’s projected budgets less adequate than had been expected.

In the 1980s a gradual increase of student numbers resumed, reaching almost 25,000 full-time and more than 4,000 part-time students in 1986-87. Buildings already begun were completed one by one: the Biological Sciences Centre and the Central Academic Building in 1970, the Law Centre in 1971, and the Basic Medical Sciences Complex and the Engineering Centre, Phase II, in 1972. In 1972, also, the first residents moved into the Housing Union Building, designed and financed on the initiative of the Students’ Union. Since then, the Humanities Centre, the Fine Arts Building, one phase of a projected expansion of the Rutherford Library, and additions to the Chemistry Building and Education Building have successively come into use. In 1978, following several years of moratorium on construction, ground was broken for a new Agriculture and Forestry Building; it was completed and opened in October 1981. Part of the Walter C Mackenzie Health Sciences Centre was opened in 1982, and a new building for the Faculty of Business was completed in 1984.

In 1986, awareness of the value, both architectural and practical, of the University’s older buildings led to a decision to renovate, rather than demolish, Pembina Hall. Pembina’s transformation into a fully modern graduate student residence was so successful that it earned national recognition in the form of a Heritage Canada Award. Athabasca Hall underwent an even more drastic transformation, as its wooden construction needed to be completely replaced with modern materials; the renovated building was reopened in the autumn of 1977 and received a Heritage Canada Award in its turn. A similar rebuilding of Assiniboia Hall was completed in 1982. Convocation Hall was also renovated, and a new organ installed; several recitals on this instrument have been nationally broadcast since it was inaugurated in 1972 and proved to be an immediate success.

The importance of scholarly publishing in the academic community was recognized when the Board of Governors formally established the University of Alberta Press. Although at first without regular staff, the Press nevertheless succeeded in publishing a small group of works of high quality. The appointment of Les Gutteridge as the first Director of the Press in 1977 placed its operations on a more adequate basis; since then it has issued a number of works of scholarly value each year. The publication in July 1981, of A History of the University of Alberta, by former president Walter H Johns, was a sign of the maturity both of the University and of the Press.

In 1986 the University celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of its foundation in a way that illustrated its significance in Canada and the international community. HRH the Prince of Wales received an honorary doctorate at a special convocation, and opened the World University Games, which attracted more than 6,000 participants from 87 countries to a wide variety of athletic and cultural events. The Universiade Pavilion, the Tennis Centre, and new student housing in Garneau, all completed in time to be used during the games, remain as reminders of the occasion.

In the 1990s the University was severely affected by retrenchments in the provincial budget; a state of financial exigency was declared by the Board of Governors in 1994. As part of an effort to reduce administrative costs without impairing educational quality, a number of faculties and departments were merged. Nevertheless, in fulfilment of the purposes of a generous private donation, it was possible in 1994 to complete the Timms Centre for the Arts, with up-to-date facilities for the performing arts, a sign of the University’s continuing commitment to enhancing the quality of life in the community as a whole.

221.2 University Traditions

The University Motto

The University motto, Quaecumque vera, is taken from the Latin Vulgate version of the Bible, the Epistle of St Paul to the Philippians, chapter 4, verse 8: De cetero, fratres, quaecumque sunt vera, quaecumque pudica, quaecumque justa, quaecumque sancta, quaecumque amabila, quaecumque bonae fames, si qua virtus, si qua laus disciplinae, haec cogitate.

Following is the same passage, from the King James version:

Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.

The Coat of Arms

On November 15, 1909, a motion by the faculty recommended to the Senate the adoption by the University of the provincial coat of arms, with the addition of an open book above the shield and the motto Lux et Lex; the words “University of Alberta” were to be attached as might seem fit. The present motto was substituted in January 1911 for the one originally proposed. In 1958 the representation of the coat of arms was altered to conform better to the principles of heraldic design but these arms were never actually registered.
In 1994 a new coat of arms incorporating a number of traditional symbols associated with the University or the Province, or with learning, was officially granted by the Canadian Heraldic Authority. In non-technical language, it consists of the following elements:

Shield: a representation of the topography of Alberta (wheat fields, hills, rivers, and the Rocky Mountains) derived from the provincial coat of arms, and a book symbolizing learning.

Crest: a Great Horned Owl, the provincial bird and a traditional symbol of wisdom.

Supporters: a pronghorn, taken from the provincial coat of arms, and a golden bear, long the University mascot, standing on a mound of wild roses, the floral emblem of Alberta.

Motto: Quaecumque vera.

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**Academic Costume**

All undergraduate and master’s degree gowns are the customary Cambridge shape, i.e. a gown of black material falling below the knee with full sleeves cut to the elbow and terminating in a point. Hoods are made in the Oxford pattern of spruce green material. The Bachelor’s hood has a border three inches wide of the color distinctive of the Faculty as noted below. The Masters’ hood has a full lining of the color distinctive of the Faculty also noted below. Mortarboards are the standard black tancher shape with black tassels, which are worn forward and to the left.

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### Doctorate Degrees

**Academic Costume**

The original suggestion for green and gold University colors came from Marion Kirby Alexander, who drew her inspiration from the autumn colors of the river valley below the campus. Her husband, William Hardy Alexander, Professor of Classics, relayed the suggestion to the Faculty meeting of October 5, 1908. At its first meeting of October 13, 1908, the Senate approved the combination of green and gold as particularly appropriate to the new University of Alberta. The green represents wide stretches of prairie land flanked by deep spruce forests, and is symbolic of hope and optimism; the gold represents the golden harvest fields and is symbolic of the light of knowledge.

### The University Flag

The Flag of the University is comprised of the shield of the coat of arms on a gold background.

The shield and the motto are used in accordance with the University’s visual identity program.
221.3 University Officials

Presidents of the University of Alberta

1908 - 1928 Henry Marshall Tory
1928 - 1936 Robert C Wallace
1936 - 1941 William AR Kerr
1941 - 1950 Robert Newton
1950 - 1959 Andrew Stewart
1959 - 1969 Walter H Johns
1969 - 1974 Max Wyman
1974 - 1979 Harry Gunning
1979 - 1989 Myer Horowitz
1989 - 1994 Paul T Davenport
1994 - 1995 Roderick D Fraser

Chancellors of the University of Alberta

1908 - 1926 Charles Allen Stuart
1926 - 1927 Nicolas Dubois Dominic Beck
1927 - 1942 Alexander Cameron Rutherford
1942 - 1952 George Frederick McNally
1952 - 1958 Earle Parkhill Scarlett
1958 - 1964 Laurence Yeomans Cairns
1964 - 1970 Francis Philip Galbraith
1970 - 1974 Louis Armand Desrochers
1974 - 1978 Ronald Norman Dalby
1978 - 1982 Jean Beatrice Forest
1982 - 1986 Peter Savaryn
1986 - 1990 Tevie H Miller
1990 - 1994 Sandy A MacTaggart
1994 - Louis D Hyndman

Presidents of the Students’ Union

1909 - 1910 F Stacey McColl
1911 - 1912 Robert E Otewell
1912 - 1913 W Davidson
1913 - 1914 HG (Paddy) Nolan
1914 - 1915 RC Jackson
1915 - 1916 Katherine J McCrimmon
1916 - 1917 JH Olgivy
1917 - 1918 WA Doug Burns
1918 - 1919 Joseph G McGhie
1919 - 1920 John A McAllister
1920 - 1921 Mark R Levey (Marshall)
1921 - 1922 Percy G Davies
1922 - 1923 Edward E Bishop
1923 - 1924 Bill Scott
1924 - 1925 Bill A Saxby
1925 - 1926 William E Wilson
1926 - 1927 Rich Mandatory
1927 - 1928 Jean Beatrice Forest
1928 - 1929 Arthur E White
1929 - 1930 Donald Cameron
1930 - 1931 William Stack
1931 - 1932 ME Manning
1932 - 1933 Arthur Wilson
1933 - 1934 Hugh Arnold
1934 - 1935 Arthur Bierwagen
1935 - 1936 George McCourt/Mynor Olekow
1936 - 1937 Jack Heilston
1937 - 1938 Arch McEwan
1938 - 1938 Roderick D Fraser
1939 - 1940 JF Dewis
1940 - 1941 Jack Heilston
1941 - 1942 Bob MacBeth
1942 - 1943 Lloyd Grisdale
1943 - 1944 Alan J McAllister
1944 - 1945 Alf Harper
1945 - 1946 Richard Amiss
1946 - 1947 William (Bill) Pybus
1947 - 1948 George Hartling
1948 - 1949 Bernard J Bowlen
1949 - 1950 Tevie Miller
1950 - 1951 Myer Horowitz
1951 - 1952 Roderick D Fraser
1953 - 1954 WA Doug Burns
1955 - 1956 Robert Edgar
1955 - 1956 John O’treac
1956 - 1957 John N Chappel
1957 - 1958 Robert F Smith
1958 - 1959 Louis D Hyndman
1959 - 1960 John V Decore
1960 - 1961 Alex F McCalla
1961 - 1962 Peter J Hyndman
1962 - 1963 Robert G Jenkins
1963 - 1964 A Wesley Cragg
1964 - 1965 Francis M Saville
1965 - 1966 Richard F Price
1966 - 1967 Braham Schepepanovich
1967 - 1968 Al W Anderson
1968 - 1969 Marilyn Pilkington
1969 - 1970 David T Leadbeater
1970 - 1971 Timothy J Christian
1971 - 1972 Donald G McKenzie
1972 - 1973 Gerald A Riskin
1973 - 1974 George W Mantor
1974 - 1975 Joseph G McGhie
1975 - 1976 Graeme Leadbeater
1977 - 1978 EJ (Jay) Spark
1978 - 1979 Cheryl A Hume
1979 - 1980 Dean L Olmstead
1980 - 1981 Roland D Astley
1981 - 1982 Philip D Soper
1982 - 1983 Robert G Greenhill
1983 - 1984 Robert G Greenhill
1984 - 1985 Floyd W Hodgins
1985 - 1986 Mike A Nickel
1986 - 1987 David SR Oginiski
1987 - 1988 Timothy J Boston
1988 - 1989 Paul LaGrange
1989 - 1990 David Tupper
1990 - 1991 Suresh Mustapha
1991 - 1992 Marc Dumouchel
1992 - 1993 Randy P Boissonnault
1993 - 1994 Terence Filewych
1994 - 1995 Suzanne Scott
1995 - 1996 Garett Ponson
1996 - 1997 Stephen Curran

Presidents of the Graduate Students’ Association

1964 - 1965 WT Painter
1965 - 1966 Dave Grudon
1966 - 1967 Peter Boothroyd
1967 - 1968 John Towler
1968 - 1969 Richard Watson
1969 - 1970 Bob Newall
1970 - 1971 Orman Granger
1971 - 1972 John Hoddinott
1972 - 1973 Mohammed Adam
1973 - 1974 Peter Flynn
1974 - 1975 John Chervon
1975 - 1976 Jack Girton
1976 - 1977 John Chervon
1977 - 1978 Jim Talbot
1978 - 1979 Barry Mills
1979 - 1980 George McCourt/Mynor Olekow
1980 - 1981 Paul Fisher
1981 - 1982 Patricia Whiteley/Niall Shanks
1982 - 1983 Bob Ascah
1983 - 1984 Richard John
1984 - 1985 Gary Genosko
1985 - 1986 Kevin Giles
1986 - 1987 Annette Richardson
1987 - 1988 Florence Gallemore
1988 - 1989 David Barber
1989 - 1990 Ken Ross
1990 - 1991 Stephen Downs
1992 - 1993 Steven Karp
1993 - 1994 Frank Coughlan
1994 - 1995 Kimberly Krushell
1995 - 1996 Jay Kroughell
1996 - 1997 Gordon Squirel
1997 - Peter Cahill

General Information

http://www.ualberta.ca
222 Constitution of the University

222.1 Introduction

The main lines of the constitution of the University of Alberta are laid down in the Universities Act assented to April 15, 1966.

222.2 General Information

The Universities Coordinating Council consists of the following representatives of each university in Alberta: the President, the Vice-President (Academic), two Deans and two other members of the academic staff appointed by the General Faculties Council, and not more than three other members of the academic staff appointed by the Coordinating Council itself. The Chair is elected by the Council, but shall not be elected from the representatives of one university for more than three consecutive years. The Council may appoint a secretary and prescribe his or her powers, functions and duties.

The Council inquires into any matter that in its opinion calls for cooperative action on the part of the General Faculties Councils, and makes recommendations thereon to any General Faculties Council or the Minister of Advanced Education; it may give its advice and opinions to the General Faculties Council or to the Minister on any matter. It may make recommendations to the Board of Governors of a University or to the Minister. It may determine minimum standards for the affiliation of colleges or other institutions with the Universities, and may recommend that an affiliation agreement be modified or dissolved. It gives or withholds its approval of standards or policies proposed by a General Faculties Council with regard to the admission of first-year students to any University. It has jurisdiction over the conditions of entrance to certain learned professions and callings.

222.3 The Universities Coordinating Council

222.3.1 General Information

The Universities’ Coordinating Council consists of the following representatives of each university in Alberta: the President, the Vice-President (Academic), two Deans and two other members of the academic staff appointed by the General Faculties Council, and not more than three other members of the academic staff appointed by the Coordinating Council itself. The Chair is elected by the Council, but shall not be elected from the representatives of one university for more than three consecutive years. The Council may appoint a secretary and prescribe his or her powers, functions and duties.

The Council inquires into any matter that in its opinion calls for cooperative action on the part of the General Faculties Councils, and makes recommendations thereon to any General Faculties Council or the Minister of Advanced Education; it may give its advice and opinions to the General Faculties Council or to the Minister on any matter. It may make recommendations to the Board of Governors of a University or to the Minister. It may determine minimum standards for the affiliation of colleges or other institutions with the Universities, and may recommend that an affiliation agreement be modified, or dissolved. It gives or withholds its approval of standards or policies proposed by a General Faculties Council with regard to the admission of first-year students to any University. It has jurisdiction over the conditions of entrance to certain learned professions and callings.

222.4 The Board of Governors

The Board of Governors is a corporation with the name “The Governors of The University of Alberta.” It consists of a Chair appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, the Chancellor, the President, and 17 other persons appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. Of the 17, two are members of the Alumni Association nominated by the Association, one is a member of the Senate nominated by it from those of its members who are not on the University Staff, two are members of the academic staff nominated by the General Faculties Council, one is a member of the non-academic staff nominated by the non-academic staff, one is a student nominated by the Graduate Students’ Association, two are students nominated by the Students’ Council, and eight are appointed as representatives of the “general public.”

The conduct, management, and control of the University and all its property, revenue, business, and affairs are vested in the Board. The Board appoints the deans of all faculties, all members of the teaching staff, the Librarian, the Registrar, and all members of the administrative staff, but no one may be appointed to a senior administrative post or to the academic staff of the University unless first nominated by the President of the University. The Board provides for the maintenance of buildings and the erection of new buildings. It has authority to purchase and acquire such property as it may deem necessary for the purposes of the University. It fixes the various fees charged in connection with university courses and it makes financial provision for the establishment of new faculties, departments, and courses. It may establish arrangements designed to contribute to the educational and cultural advancement of the people of Alberta at large. When any question arises as to the powers or duties of the Senate or any other University body or of the President or a dean or other officer or employee, and these powers and duties are not definitely provided for in The Universities Act, the Board's decision on the question is final.

222.5 The Senate

The Senate consists of the following members:

Ex officio Members

The President, who is also the Vice-Chancellor, is ex officio a member of the Senate. The Senate also includes the Board of Governors, the President of the University, and 17 other persons appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. Of the 17, two are members of the Alumni Association nominated by the Association, one is a student nominated by the Graduate Students’ Association, two are students nominated by the Students’ Council, and eight are appointed as representatives of the “general public.”

General Education

A faculty is the senior vice-president. In the absence or incapacity of the President, or when the presidency is vacant, he is the Acting President.

Vice-President (Finance and Administration)

The Vice-President (Academic) is the senior vice-president. In the absence or incapacity of the President, or when the presidency is vacant, he is the Acting President.
The Chancellor of the University is Chair of the Senate, which has 62 members, 30 of whom are elected from the general public, and nine appointed from the public by the Minister of Advanced Education. It is the mandate of the Senate to inquire into any matter that might tend to enhance the usefulness of the University. It is specifically authorized to interpret the University to the public, to require reports from faculty councils, the Students’ Council, and any members of the academic staff; to receive and consider submissions from anyone interested in the University; to arrange for public meetings, radio and television programs and other means of providing and acquiring information on the University; as a consequence, to make reports and recommendations to the Board or the General Faculties Council or other appropriate body. In addition, the Senate may authorize the conferring of Honorary Degrees.

The Senate brings together the University and the public. Although it has little formal decision-making power, it seeks to stimulate discussion on issues of concern and to aid in their resolution. It is a two-way link between the public and the University.

General Faculties Council

Ex officio Members

The President
The Vice-Presidents
The Deans of the Faculties
The Director of the School of Library and Information Studies
The Director of the School of Native Studies
The Librarian
The Registrar

Elected Members

46 members elected by and from the faculty

Statutory Student Members

2 Undergraduate students
1 Graduate student

Appointed Members

3 Members of the non-academic staff
3 Librarians
2 Representatives of the academic staff on the Board of Governors, 1 representative of the non-academic staff on the Board of Governors, and 2 student representatives on the Board of Governor
2 Administrative and Professional Officers/Faculty Service Officers
The President of the AASUA
The Director of Special Sessions
The Principal of St Joseph’s College
Dean of Students
Appointed Graduate Student Members
Appointed Undergraduate Student Members

Secretary

EA Schoeck, BA (Hons), MA

General Faculties Council (GFC) consists of the President, the Vice-Presidents, the Deans, the Librarian, the Registrar, elected members representing the Faculties and appointed members, including students. The number of elected staff members is twice that of the ex officio members and the number of appointed student members equals the number of elected staff members. General Faculties Council, subject to the authority of the Board of Governors, is the senior academic body of the University. It provides for the granting and conferring of degrees, for the approval of courses and programs of study, and for the hearing of certain appeals. GFC determines standards and policies respecting admission of students and it may make recommendations to the Board on affiliation of other institutions, on academic planning, campus planning, the budget, procedures regarding the appointment, promotion and dismissal of academic staff, and any other matter which it considers to be of interest to the University. It has the general supervision of student affairs.

Deans’ Council

Deans’ Council is an advisory body to the President, the Board of Governors, and to General Faculties Council. It consists of the President, the Vice-Presidents, the Dean of each Faculty, the Director of the School of Native Studies, the Registrar and the Chief Librarian.
222.5 Faculty Councils

Each Faculty, except that of Graduate Studies and Research, has a council consisting of the President, the dean of the Faculty, all full-time members of the academic staff of the Faculty, a representative of each of the appropriate professional societies associated with the Faculty appointed by General Faculties Council on the recommendation of the Faculty Council, and other persons appointed by General Faculties Council on the recommendation of the Faculty Council. The Council of the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research consists of the President, the Dean, and other persons appointed by General Faculties Council.

Each Faculty Council, subject to the control of General Faculties Council, arranges the courses of study falling within its jurisdiction and provides for the setting of examinations and for determining the results. It deals with admissions and withdrawals and authorizes the granting of degrees in branches of learning within its jurisdiction.

222.6 Other Administrative Offices

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223 University Libraries

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223.1 Areas

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Information Technology Services

Information Technology Services Librarian
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223.2 University Library

The resources of the University of Alberta Library system comprise one of the major research collections in Canada. The system consists of 13 subject collections with a total of over 3,600,000 volumes, 735,000 government documents, 18,000 serial subscriptions, 400,000 maps, 1,000,000 air photos, audiovisual resources, and a large collection of research materials in microform.

Collection access is provided through an online computerized catalogue system, and offers assistance in accessing other libraries and information resources worldwide through computer networks. The Library offers electronic literature searching of several hundred commercial databases, and provides resources worldwide through computer networks. The Library offers electronic literature searching of several hundred commercial databases, and provides resources worldwide through computer networks. The Library has extensive collections in oil and gas, health, and communications law. The collections are totally accessible through the online catalogue.

The other major library on campus is the Herbert T Coutts (Education) Library which occupies the three-storey east wing of the Education Building. This is the primary resource library for the Faculty of Education. The Education Collection (located on the main and second floors) contains material on the theory and practice of teaching. The Curriculum Collection (located in the basement) contains learning resources and classroom materials for use with students from kindergarten to the Grade 12 level.

The Bibliothèque Faculté Saint-Jean is located at 8406 - 91 Street. It contains over 100,000 volumes (monographs, periodicals, and government documents) mainly in the humanities, social sciences, and education. The collection emphasizes French Canadian history and literature. Materials are in both official languages with an emphasis on French.

224 Research Centres and Institutions

Alberta Centre for Gerontology

Interim Director
L Liu, PhD

Interim Board of Directors
Administrative Assistant
L Abraham

The Centre for Gerontology was established in 1983 as a research unit at the University of Alberta, and operates under the auspices of the Coordinating Council of Health Sciences. The Director and a voluntary board of gerontological researchers and community representatives govern the operation of the Centre.

The overall objective of the Centre is to enhance the understanding of the aged individual and of the dynamics of the aging process, by means of

(1) fostering, conducting and coordinating research on aging;
(2) providing and disseminating research findings to researchers, practitioners, policy makers and administrators of services to older people and the community at large
(3) encouraging the development and implementation of courses and programs in gerontology.

The Centre’s research activities and services include research symposia on selected aspects of aging, a monthly speaker series, and the facilitation of research interest groups.
Alberta Law Reform Institute

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The Alberta Law Reform Institute was established in November 1967 by agreement between the Provincial Government, the Law Society of Alberta, and the University. Its primary object is to promote law reform, particularly at the provincial level. It undertakes legal research in connection with its law reform work. The Institute has made 75 final reports to the Government of Alberta covering a wide range of subjects. Recent reports include The Presumption of Crown Immunity, Mortgages Remedies in Alberta, Proposals for a Land Recording and Registration Act for Alberta, Transfer of Investment Securities, Non-Pecuniary Damages in Wrongful Death Actions – A Review of Section 8 of the Fatal Accidents Act, The Domestic Relations Act–Phase I, Advance Directives and Substitute Decision-Making in Personal Health Care, and Section 195 of the Land Titles Act, and Proposals for the Reform of the Public Inquiries Act. A high percentage of the Institute’s reports have been, or are currently being, enacted into legislation. From time to time members of the Institute’s legal staff present and publish learned papers which often are prompted by work on law reform projects although they may not be directly connected with them. Members of staff have also been intimately involved in the preparation of material for review and adoption by the Uniform Law Conference of Canada.

Alberta Microelectronic Centre

Chair of the Board
W Waite

President and CEO
C Lumb

The Alberta Microelectronic Centre (AMC) is an Alberta technology corporation, with a mission to develop the best commercially relevant microelectronic technologies for its customers’ products and services. Since its original creation in 1982 as a spin-off of the University of Alberta, AMC has expanded its staff to over 60 full-time employees and is now one of Canada’s foremost microelectronics companies.

AMC is active in the design, development, and manufacturing of microelectronics and micromachined systems and devices, and of electronic products and specialized software. The Centre’s work includes engineering design, prototype developments, manufacturing and production. Target markets are industrial equipment manufacturers, telecommunications and biotechnology industries, and electronics manufacturers.

AMC’s activity in microelectronics materials research and its research collaboration with universities has led to several patent applications, development of new products, and improved processes in the semiconductor field.

The Centre has offices in Calgary and Edmonton. The Edmonton location houses one of North America’s foremost commercial micro-electro-mechanical and thin film fabrication facilities with 1,200 square feet of clean room space. AMC’s total revenue for 1997 is predicted to be near $7 million.

AMC is governed by a private sector-led Board, and in addition to this strong industrial representation, AMC also has Board members representing the Alberta government and the Universities of Alberta and Calgary.

Applied Mathematics Institute

Director
T Bryant Moodie, PhD, FIMA

The Applied Mathematics Institute was established in 1987 to promote research in applied mathematics. The active membership is comprised of University and non-University researchers actively engaged in the application of mathematics. The research interests of the membership are extremely varied and reflect the diverse and interdisciplinary nature of modern applied mathematics. The research interests of the membership include traditional or classical disciplines such as elasticity, computational and theoretical fluid dynamics, statistics, and mathematical physics and also other disciplines such as zoology, theoretical seismology, meteorology and physical oceanography, optimal control theory, mathematical economics, chaos, parallel computing, and mathematical biology.

The Applied Mathematics Institute has an established visitors program which provides partial support for guest speakers and research collaborators. The Institute sponsors a biweekly colloquium and also co-sponsors from time to time conferences and research workshops. The Applied Mathematics Institute organizes the publication of the Newsletter of the Canadian Applied Mathematics Society. The Applied Mathematics Institute also publishes the AMI Newsletter to promote and publicize the activities of the Institute membership. In cooperation with the Canadian Applied Mathematics Society, the AMI publishes an international journal, the Canadian Applied Mathematics Quarterly. Anyone interested in being placed on the mailing list for the AMI Newsletter should contact the Director.

Canadian Circumpolar Institute (CCI)

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MMR Freeman, PhD, HMT Professor, Senior Research Scholar
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The Canadian Circumpolar Institute (CCI) services the University of Alberta as its centre for research on the northern regions of Canada and other circumpolar nations. The CCI sponsors research, supports conferences, encourages exchanges of research associates, directs a publications program, and advises on policy regarding the University’s Canadian Circumpolar Library.

Research is the focus of the Institute’s activities. Under the direction of the CCI, annual “seed money” grants, in support of short-term circumpolar and northern research projects, are awarded. To support approved projects there are two separate programs available to graduate students and to academic staff (see Graduate Financial Aid section). Longer-term and larger-scale research programs, as well as a variety of grant-funded and contract research, also operate under the aegis of the CCI. The Institute provides services as a facilitator for northern research at the University of Alberta and can act as a secretariat for programs of interest that fall within its mandate.

The CCI is served by a multidisciplinary library, located on the fourth floor of Cameron Library. Its 250,000 item collection consists of monographs of materials in all disciplines relative to Canada north of 60, Alaska, Greenland, and Canadian Native peoples, while materials relating to other circumpolar and cold regions are acquired selectively. The Canadian Circumpolar Library (CCL) subscribes to newspapers and newsletters from communities north of 60, and to a great many periodicals concerning northern regions. The BOREAL Database, a catalogue of CCL’s holdings can be searched on the University
Library's GATE system. CCL is responsible for the KWIC Index (an important on-line index to newspaper and newsletter articles). The holdings, can also be searched on the Arctic and Antarctic Regions NISCD-ROM. The Library also produces other computerized indexes to particular components of the collection, and develops many research tools for Selective Dissemination of Information (SDL), bibliographic references, and other specialized services.

The publications program of the CCI comprises three peer-reviewed series, the Occasional Publications Series publishes selected conference proceedings, collections of papers, and monographs resulting from scholarly research; the Circumpolar Research Series features monographs focusing primarily, but not exclusively, on interdisciplinary scholarly research in international circumpolar studies; and the Northern Reference Series accepts annotated bibliographies, literature reviews, and other reference tools.

The CCI hosts seminars, conferences, and workshops that address issues of relevance to the north and northerners.

Beyond the University, the CCI establishes liaison with other institutes through the exchange of researchers, exchanges of its publications, participation in the Northern Libraries Colloquy, and prominent involvement of its affiliated researchers at national and international conferences. From time to time, formal exchange agreements are struck between the CCI and other institutes of northern and circumpolar research. Regular newsletters inform readers on and off campus of current and future activities relevant to the Institute’s area of interest.

Within the University, the CCI cooperates with all faculties offering courses or conducting research on northern studies. The University of Alberta Northern Research Committee (UANRC) – made up of the on-campus members of CCI’s Advisory Board – includes representation from various University Faculties. The UANRC works in cooperation with the Institute’s Director to initiate policy. Further, it advises the Office of the Vice-President (Research) and informs the general University community on northern and circumpolar issues and matters.

The administrative and research offices of the CCI are located in Old St Stephen’s College. Enquiries regarding the work of the Institute should be addressed to the Director; information concerning the Canadian Circumpolar Library, including its reference services, can be obtained from the CCI Librarian, at Cameron Library.

**Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies**

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The Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies was established in 1976 with the following objectives: (1) to encourage research and publications in Ukrainian and Ukrainian-Canadian studies; (2) to serve as a resource centre for English-Ukrainian bilingual education; (3) to encourage contacts among scholars and students in Ukrainian and Ukrainian-Canadian studies through seminars and conferences. The Institute offers no courses or degree programs.

CIUS is divided into several units: CIUS Press; Stasiuk Program for the Study of Contemporary Ukraine; Ukrainian Language Education Centre (ULEC); Peter Jacyk Centre for Ukrainian Historical Research; Encyclopedia of Ukraine; the Ukrainian Canadian Program; the Church Studies Program; and the Canada Ukraine Legislative Cooperative.

CIUS Press has published more than 100 titles to date. The Press has also published over 60 research reports. The Institute has published a five-volume alphabetical *Encyclopedia of Ukraine* in association with the Shevchenko Scientific Society at Sarcelles (near Paris) and the Canadian Foundation for Ukrainian Studies. Work on the encyclopedia—periodic updates and an index—is coordinated by the Institute’s publications office located at the University of Toronto. CIUS Press’s English-language works are published at the Toronto office. Ukrainian-language works are published in Ukraine, where a CIUS office is in the process of being established. CIUS also publishes a semi-annual *Journal of Ukrainian Studies* and an annual newsletter.

The Ukrainian Language Education Centre (ULEC) prepares learning resources for Ukrainian language instruction in the English-Ukrainian bilingual schools, and other similar programs. In cooperation with Alberta Education, it has prepared the pilot versions of NOVA, a set of Ukrainian language arts material for grades one through six. Published sets of NOVA for grades one, two, and three (four components of a projected eight) are available. The Centre encourages research on the problems of English-Ukrainian bilingualism and services the professional needs of teachers. It serves as an international resource base for Ukrainian language educational materials for elementary and secondary schools, maintaining a print and audio-visual library.

The Stasiuk Program for the Study of Contemporary Ukraine was established in 1990 to provide accurate analyses of events in Ukraine for the public, the scholarly community and the media. A long-term project of the program is the study of Russo-Ukrainian relations from the 17th century to the present. A large collection of unofficial publications from Ukraine that began to appear during the year of “glasnost” is being organized into an archive.

The Ukrainian Canadian Program, an integral component of the Institute since its inception, encourages and conducts research into historical and contemporary issues covering all facets of Ukrainian life in Canada. Its major long-term project is a three-volume synthetic study of the Ukrainian Canadian experience from 1891 to the present. The Program also promotes the development of young scholars in Ukrainian studies.

The Church Studies Program studies the history of Ukrainian churches in Ukraine and the diaspora, especially in Canada, the role of Ukrainian churches in Ukrainian nation building and state formation, and relations between church and state.

The Institute is also home to the Peter Jacyk Centre for Ukrainian Historical Research (see §234.16). The Canada-Ukraine Legislative Cooperation Project is to assist Ukrainian legislators and policy-makers in promoting democratic political reforms and a market economy.

The Institute offers research grants to scholars in Ukrainian and Ukrainian-Canadian studies, as well as undergraduate and graduate scholarships. The Institute has wide ranging contacts and exchange agreements with institutions in Ukraine. The Institute also administers post-doctoral and research fellowships offered by the Canadian Foundation for Ukrainian Studies. Other activities include a seminar series, the annual academic year, and organization of the annual Shevchenko lecture.

The Institute is under the jurisdiction of the Vice-President (Research). Policy is developed by the Director, assisted by the Institute’s research associates and the Advisory Council. Inquiries should be directed to the Director of the Institute.

**Centre for Criminological Research (CCR)**

**Coordinator**
L Kennedy, PhD

**Steering Committee**
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J Creehan, PhD
T Hartnagel, PhD
L Kennedy, PhD
J Martel, PhD

The Centre for Criminological Research was established in January of 1978. Major functions of the CCR include research training of students, conducting of research in crime and delinquency, and providing an exchange of information through seminars. A series of discussion papers is also published.

**Centre for Experimental Sociology**

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**Executive Committee**
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WF Eppling, PhD, Psychology (University of Alberta)
J Cameron, PhD, Educational Psychology (University of Alberta)
The Centre for International Business Studies was established in 1976 as a modern research facility that permits experimental analysis of human behavior. Major functions of the Centre include promoting research and publication on human behavior; providing information and discussion about human behavior through a weekly seminar; and, contributing to the intellectual climate of the University through invited presentations by scholars in the fields of sociology, psychology and the biological sciences.

Centre for Engineering Research

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K Tolonen

The Centre for Engineering Research is an industrial research consortium established in 1984 by industry, the federal and Alberta governments, and the University of Alberta. C-FER’s research programs are directed toward developing and transferring technologies that will advance the safe and economic discovery, recovery, and transportation of energy resources.

C-FER is a strategic alliance that enables stakeholders to gain timely access to results of near-market research while sharing the risk. Members steer the Centre’s member-funded research program which is designed to respond to their technology and business needs. They also gain leverage from government investment in research and technology infrastructure.

Centre for International Business Studies

Director
EJ Chambers, PhD

The Centre for International Business Studies was established at the University of Alberta’s Faculty of Business in 1989. It is one of nine similar university-based centres in Canada funded through the federal Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade. Additional support is provided through private sector donations, primarily in the form of income generated by endowments from Imperial Oil Ltd and Eldon D Foote and by an operating grant from the Royal Bank of Canada.

The objectives of the Centre for International Business Studies are to:
(1) internationalize the content of the curriculum in the business program;
(2) establish linkages with institutions of higher education and research institutes in other countries through student exchanges and visiting scholar programs;
(3) communicate with the key sectors of the business community in Alberta;
(4) engage in research activities to expand understanding of international business; and
(5) disseminate the findings of that research to the managerial community.

Centre for Studies in Clinical Education

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Executive Committee (Ex officio)
B Bisell, MSc
L McFarlane, MSc
S Wilson, MSc
J Vargo, PhD
Associate Member
H Madavi, PhD

The Centre for Studies in Clinical Education was established in 1989 by the Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine which includes the Departments of Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, and Speech Pathology and Audiology. Objectives are to promote research on the clinical education process, foster continuing education for clinical supervisors in rehabilitation medicine, serve as a clearing house for practicum policies within the faculty, promote positive relationships with the clinical community, and encourage graduate study of the clinical education and clinical supervisory processes.

The Centre maintains a database of affiliated institutions and their employees who hold joint clinical teaching appointments. It arranges continuing education experiences for participating clinical supervisors and joint clinical appointment holders in recognition of the important contribution of these clinical professionals to student training. Current research projects relate to selection procedures for the quota programs, training and supervision of support personnel, and cost-benefit analysis of student training in clinical service facilities.

Centre for Subatomic Research

Director
JL Pinjold, PhD

The purpose of the Centre for Subatomic Research (CSR) is to pursue fundamental studies of the properties of matter at the subatomic level. Members of the CSR are involved in the field of high energy collider physics, engaged in electron positron annihilation physics using the OPAL detector at LEP, and, preparing to investigate proton collisions using the ATLAS detector at the LHC, soon to be the world’s highest energy accelerator. Both of these projects are taking place at the European Centre for Research in Particle Physics (CERN), near Geneva, Switzerland.

The CSR is also participating in the experimental program at the 500 million electron volt cyclotron at Vancouver (TRIUMF). This is a collaborative project of the University of Alberta, the University of British Columbia, Simon Fraser University, and the University of Victoria. In addition, staff are involved in collaborative programs using: the AGS accelerator at Brookhaven, USA; the continuous electron beam facility at SAL; and, the HERA facility at DESY, in Hamburg, Germany.

JP Das Developmental Disabilities Centre

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Devonian Botanic Garden

Director
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Associate Director
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Associate Professor
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The central mandate of the Garden is the maintenance and development of living plant material (including fungi) that is of botanical, horticultural, historical, medicinal and/or geographic significance. This collection serves as reference centre for local, national, and international agencies on practice and public policy relevant to people with developmental disabilities.

(5) to prove specialized clinical and assessment services that can not be provided by other community agencies and to work with community agencies to develop those services.

Institute of Geophysics, Meteorology, and Space Physics (formerly: Institute of Earth and Planetary Physics) was founded in 1970 with the aid of a Negotiated Development Grant from the National Research Council. Its support has since been assumed by the University. The Institute unites geophysicists in the Departments of Physics, Mathematical Sciences and Earth and Atmospheric Sciences for the promotion of research in Geophysics, Meteorology, Space Physics, Climatology and Fluid Dynamics. The scientific members of the Institute include the academic staff listed above, a dozen research associates and about 30 graduate students registered in the three Departments. One or more distinguished visitors are invited each year and, in addition, short term visits by distinguished researchers are arranged.

Research topics in which Institute members are active include seismology, geomagnetism, electromagnetic induction in the Earth, paleomagnetism and rock magnetism, plate tectonics, high pressure studies of the Earth’s interior, time series analysis, mass spectrometry applied to geochronology and to stable isotopes, synoptic-scale and local-scale meteorological studies including studies of atmospheric and oceanic pollution, and space physics especially of the magnetosphere and environment of the Earth-Sun system, climatology and geophysical fluid dynamics, rock physics and exploration, geothermics and geology.

Institute of Pharmaco-Economics

Executive Director and CEO
D Menon, PhD, MHSA

The mission of the Institute of Pharmaco-Economics is to strive to improve health through the advancement of health services research and improved decision making in health care.

The Institute is a unique consortium of academic, government, health industry, and other organizations concerned with the outcomes associated with the use of pharmaceutical products and other health care interventions. The Institute will

- provide national health policy leadership to secure the adoption of ethical, rational and analytic approaches to the assessment of new and existing drugs
- provide leading edge expertise in the theory and practice of pharmacoconomics
- undertake economic studies of health care interventions initially focusing on pharmacoeconomic evaluations
- support a developing health research capacity in Alberta and Canada
- collaborate in the training of current and future practitioners in pharmacoconomics
- bring stakeholders together to leverage their resources for pharmacoeconomic research
- communicate the impacts of economic and outcomes evaluations on health system reform
- inform and stimulate public dialogue and debate in health care with research-based evidence

The Institute is located at 710, 10665 Jasper Avenue, Edmonton, AB, T5J 3S9.
The Peter Jacyk Centre, established in 1989 at the Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies, sponsors research and publishing on Ukrainian history.

The Centre is currently coordinating work on its first major project, the English-language translation of Mykhailo Hrushevsky’s ten-volume History of Ukraine-Rus. This project is intended to make the major synthesis of Ukrainian history from the earliest times to the 17th century available to the wider scholarly community. The first volume of the translation was published in 1997. An English-language monograph series on Ukrainian history has been established. A second series consists of Ukrainian-language translations of historical works.

Several agreements have been concluded with educational and research institutions in Europe, especially in Ukraine. An agreement on joint publications with the Archeographic Institute of the Ukrainian Academy of Sciences in Kiev has resulted in the publication of nine volumes to date. An agreement with the Russian Academy of Science’s Institute of Balkan and Slavic Studies and the Ukrainian Academy’s Institute of Social Sciences in Lviv has been reached to publish sources on Ukrainian history located in Moscow’s archives.

The Centre also offers doctoral fellowships and research grants to scholars and sponsors an annual seminar series.

Population Research Laboratory (PRL)

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P Krishnan, PhD, Sociology
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The Population Research Laboratory (PRL) is a research arm of the Department of Sociology, University of Alberta. Established in 1986, it is the largest and longest-running demographic and social survey research unit in Western Canada. The PRL has four major functions: teaching students within the Sociology programs; serving the research and information needs of Sociology faculty members and graduate students as well as providing similar assistance to other University departments and community groups; undertaking original research in demography and a variety of areas within sociology; sponsoring publications and conferences.

As part of its teaching function, the PRL sponsors with Cameron Library Summer Institute on Quantitative Analysis of Social Data. The objectives of the Summer Institute are (1) to teach participants quantitative research methods; (2) to introduce them to applications in data analysis; and (3) to train them in statistical computing techniques.

Research projects carried out by PRL staff and research associates cover a wide range of areas: population studies of fertility, mortality, and migration; population projections, and analyses of demographic methods; and social surveys in the areas of quality of life, criminology, labour market dynamics, family processes, housing and public opinion. The PRL has conducted the Edmonton Area Study, a random sample survey of Edmonton adults, annually since 1977. Beginning in 1987, the Alberta Survey has collected data on public opinion across the province.

The PRL’s publication program includes Canadian Studies in Population, a demography journal published jointly with the Canadian Population Society; a bi-annual newsletter In Summary; two working paper series (Research Discussion Papers and Alberta/Edmonton Series Reports); and a Survey Highlights series.

Rehabilitation Research Centre

Director
S Warren, PhD

Founded in 1989, the Rehabilitation Research Centre (RRC) is sponsored by the University of Alberta’s Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine, with primary ties to the Departments of Occupational Therapy, Physical Therapy, Speech Pathology and Audiology, and the Office of the Associate Dean, Graduate Studies and Research, Faculty of Rehabilitation Medicine. The Centre was established to facilitate rehabilitation research on campus. Staff, with training and experience in research in the rehabilitation disciplines, provide consultation on developing research objectives, study design, and data analysis. The Centre offers workshops on grant writing, writing for publication, and research issues. There are also opportunities for graduate students to undertake independent research studies through the Centre’s facilities.

Research Institute for Comparative Literature

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logging, PhD (Early Modern Studies)
K Hatt, PhD (Early Modern Studies)
K Kao, PhD (East Asian Studies)


The purpose of the Institute is to foster individual and team, interdisciplinary research in Comparative Literature and Culture in collaboration with scholars from the University of Alberta, other Canadian universities, and universities in other countries. Depending on funding, post-graduate and postdoctoral positions are offered by the Institute. The Institute invites visiting scholars and guest speakers yearly. Primary ties of the Institute are the Department of Modern Languages and Comparative Studies and the Faculty of Arts.

Recent and Current Programs

(1) The programs of the various Divisions of the Institute: African-Caribbean, Canadian, Early Modern Studies, and East Asian.

(2) “Romanticism in European Literatures”—In the series A Comparative History of Literatures in European Languages/Histoire Comparée des Littératures de Langues Européennes—in collaboration with the International Comparative Literature Association/Association Internationale de Littérature Comparée (MV Dimic).


(4) Support for the publication, editorial work, desktop publishing, and administration of the Canadian Review of Comparative Literature/Revue Canadienne de Littérature Comparée (MV Dimic and Steven Tótósy de Zepetnek in collaboration with scholars at the University of Alberta and at other universities in Canada and abroad). The journal is an internationally renowned publication, published quarterly. Graduate students of the Department of Modern Languages and Comparative Studies assigned as editorial assistants to the journal gain experience in the editing, typesetting, marketing, and financial affairs of the journal.
(5) Support for the publication of up to six volumes of papers presented at the XIVth Triennial Congress of the International Comparative Literature Association/Association Internationale de Littérature Comparée (University of Alberta, August 1994) (Milan V Dmić and Steven Tótösy de Zepetnek).

(6) Liaison for the Committee for Communication and Information, International Comparative Literature Association/Association Internationale de Littérature Comparée (Steven Tótösy de Zepetnek, Chair).

(7) Liaison for the International Society for the Empirical Study of Literature (IGEL) (Steven Tótösy de Zepetnek, Past President and Editor, IGElnews).

(8) Recent research projects include “Cultural Participation and Reading in Taiwan and in the Taiwanese Community of Canada” (Steven Tótösy de Zepetnek and Yiu-nam Leung, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan).

**Publications**


**Surgical-Medical Research Institute**

See 990.2.6.

**Telecommunications Research Laboratories (TRLabs)**

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L Dacombe

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GD Squires

Chief Scientist—Network Systems
W Grover

Chief Scientist—Photonics
Vacant

University of Alberta Affiliated Academic Staff

Electrical Engineering
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J Conradi, PhD
W Grover, PhD
W Krymien, PhD
J McFaul, PhD

**TRLabs** is the largest not-for-profit telecommunications research consortium in Canada. It was founded in 1986 as an applied research consortium based on industry, university and government collaboration. Membership has grown from the original three to the current 37, with revenues reaching the $10 million mark. It operates a network of research laboratories in Edmonton, Calgary, Saskatoon, Regina and Winnipeg, and has plans for future operations in British Columbia. Over 180 highly motivated and skilled people work at TRLabs, consisting of staff researchers, professionals seconded from industry, professors, graduate and undergraduate students, and technical and administrative staff. Its research program is focused on five strategic technologies:

(1) **Network Systems**

Research which improves the reliability, performance, cost-effectiveness and ease of management and planning of network transport and switching systems. Research into new business opportunities from the existing network.

(2) **Photonics**

Research into methods that will increase the reach and/or information rate over fibre optic transmission systems. Wavelength division multiplexing, coding and modulation, Erbium-doped amplifiers and hybrid opto-electronic structures are part of the activity. Optical switching and photonic devices are also key.

(3) **Wireless Communications**

Research programs involve novel approaches for in-building and “village” broadband wireless systems. Also being worked on are interference cancellation for CDMA, novel antennas, GaAs MESFET amplifiers and channel measurement and modeling for 30, 40 and 60 GHz.

(4) **Network Access**

Novel methods for enhancing the capabilities of twisted pair lines form a key part of the research. Rural internet access and data over/in voice along with associated mux/demux approaches are also researched. IP over ATM is also of interest.

(5) **Data Networking**

Focuses on ATM traffic management and multimedia applications on broadband networks, Internet and multimedia applications on narrowband networks, community data repositories and source compression techniques.

Affiliated with universities in Western Canada, TRLabs provides student training at the graduate level. Its output in People and Technology contributes to the business, research, education, and economic development objectives of its sponsoring partners. It has won national and regional awards, including a University-Industry Synergy Award given by the Conference Board of Canada and the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada and an Alberta Science & Technology Leadership Award. Highlights of benefits delivered by TRLabs are:

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**Major Industrial Partners**

ISM, Lucent Technologies, MCI, MTS, NECTEC, Nortel, NorthwesTel, SaskTel and TELUS

**Small Business Associates**


**University Partners**

Universities of Alberta, Calgary, Manitoba, Regina and Saskatchewan

**Strategic Alliances**

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**Theoretical Physics Institute**

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ZW Gortel, PhD

The Theoretical Physics Institute was established in 1960 to promote research in theoretical physics. The active membership is comprised of the University staff actively engaged in research in theoretical physics. Their research interests range over astrophysics, statistical physics, many-body theory, general relativity, elementary particles, nuclear physics, non-linear fields, properties of metals and semi-conductors, quantum field theory, quantum liquids and solids, chemical physics, condensed matter physics, and plasma physics.

There are also normally about a dozen postdoctoral fellows and research associates carrying out research under the direction of the permanent members. In addition, the Institute offers special visiting fellowships for periods of one month to one year to visiting physicists of distinction. A support staff of one secretary and one computer programming analyst provides technical assistance.

Water Resources Centre

Director
DS Chanasyk

The Water Resources Centre fosters basic and applied water resources research at the University of Alberta by securing exchange and cooperation among researchers in water resources from different scientific disciplines, by encouraging response of the University to public needs concerning water, and by maintaining a research capability in water resources. Stimulation of public interest and improved communication in water resources is achieved through conferences, seminars, and other activities.

Western Centre for Economic Research

Director
El Chambers, PhD, Department of Marketing and Economic Analysis

The Western Centre for Economic Research is a research unit sponsored by the Departments of Economics, Rural Economy and the Faculty of Business. The objectives of the Western Centre for Economic Research are

(1) to conduct studies into the effects of economic policies and programs on the Western Canadian economy generally and the four provincial economies in particular;
(2) to assess the implications of these programs and policies for the operations of Western Canadian business enterprises;
(3) to monitor the performance of the Western Canadian economy and to provide evaluations that contribute positively to business planning;
(4) to conduct research into other areas of business and economic interest to Western Canadians; and
(5) sponsorship of publications and conferences.

Publication activities

(1) Western Studies in Economic Policy Series released through the CD Howe Institute;
(2) an information bulletin series; and
(3) Special reports on Western Canadian problems.
dive discoveries and valuable contributions of University of Alberta Alumni to their chosen professions, to their communities, and to society.

**Alumni Branches**

These groups of alumni have their own constitution and executive committees and operate under the auspices of the Association. Branch representatives organize social and educational functions for graduates in their area. Branches are located in numerous Canadian cities and in several foreign countries.

**Faculty Associations**

Constituent Alumni Associations are organized for the following faculties, departments, and special interest groups: Medicine, Dentistry, Pharmacy, Business, Nursing, Library and Information Studies, Education, Health Services Administration, Forestry, Drama, Native Studies, East Asian Studies, and Mixed Chorus. Administered by the Alumni Association with the cooperation of faculty department staff and graduates, these associations serve to promote the welfare of their specific faculty department or area of special interest.

**Class Representatives**

Students in their senior year are regularly invited to volunteer for the position of class representative for their department faculty. Class representatives assist classmates in maintaining contact with one another and the University by organizing reunions and preparing class newsletters. Representatives link the class and the Association.

**Reunion Weekend**

Organized annually by the Association. You’re invited. And if you’re about to celebrate your 10th, 15th, 20th or more anniversary of graduation, we’d be happy to help organize a class reunion. Organizational booklets on the “how to” of planning a reunion are available to class representatives from the Alumni Office.

**Newsletter Service**

The Association absorbs all costs of mailing one newsletter per year for each class. Class representatives simply send a typed copy to the Alumni Office and we do the rest. If you are organizing a reunion, we’ll send two newsletters that year.

**Alumni Scholarships and Awards**

The Association sponsors scholarships for future alumni (undergraduate students) and presents special recognition awards to outstanding alumni.

**Official Alumni Mementos**

In addition to degree and picture frames, the Association offers special edition memorabilia to alumni, such as official U of A watches, pens, and a University Dentistry Pharmacy lithograph.

**Host Family**

In conjunction with the U of A International Centre, alumni families are invited to share friendships and experiences with foreign students attending university.

**Occupation Information Sharing Program**

In conjunction with the Career and Placement Services offered on campus, a registry of alumni interested in sharing career information is maintained. Throughout the registry, students formulating career plans can gain valuable insight into the professions they hope to pursue.

226 **Affiliated Colleges**

226.1 **On-Campus Colleges**

Two denominationally-sponsored colleges, with buildings on campus, are related to the University by an agreement described as affiliation, and offer courses that may be taken for degree credit by students of the University.

226.1.1 **St. Joseph’s College**

**Academic Staff of the College**

- **President**
  - G. T. Smith, MA, MDiv, EdD
- **Academic Dean**
  - M. D’Souza, BA, MEd, MDiv, PhD, CAES

**Philosophy**

- **Associate Professors**
  - J. A. Buja, MA, PhD
  - B. O. Inglis, ccb, STB, ARCT, MA, PhD

**Theology**

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  - P. J. F. Flaman, BA, STD
  - R. B. Sherd, MA, BEd, PhD
  - D. Vervoort, ndl, MA

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  - R. M. Hague, MEd, MTh, PhD
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  - R. M. McKee, BS, MEd, MTh
  - B. A. Rice, BEd, MRE, MA, PhD
  - T. M. Scott, ccb, MA, MDiv, SSL
  - R. B. Vennet, BA, BEd, MRE, MRE, MAS

**Assistant to the President for Development**

C. Pana

**Director of Residence**

D. Bitter, ccb, BS, MDiv, MA

**General Information**

St. Joseph’s College was established by the Roman Catholic Church and incorporated by the Legislature of Alberta and affiliated with the University of Alberta in 1926 to provide a Catholic dimension to postsecondary education. In collaboration with the University, the College contributes to liberal education through studying the Judeo-Christian intellectual and religious tradition and applying it to contemporary issues.

**Courses Offered for University Credit**

St. Joseph’s offers courses in philosophy and theology to all students registered at the U of A for credit toward a BA degree or as Arts options open to students in other faculties. The College also operates a Catholic Ethics Centre.

**Christian Theology**

- For courses taught by St. Joseph’s College in Christian Theology see §201 (Course Listings).

**Philosophy**

- For courses taught by St. Joseph’s College in Philosophy see §201 (Course Listings).

226.1.2 **St. Stephen’s College**

**Academic Staff of the College**

- **Principal**
  - C. J. Lavina, MA, PhD
- **Academic Dean**
  - E. Sharam, MA, DPhil
- **Teaching Faculty**
  - M. Cheney, PhD
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  - J. Smith-Evans, BA, BST, MDiv
  - J. Waters, MDiv, MTS, DMin

**General Information**

St. Stephen’s College, an undergraduate and graduate theological school of the United Church of Canada, established by Provincial Charter, has been affiliated with the University since 1908 and works on a broadly ecumenical basis, integrating faith and theology with practice and experience.

**Courses Offered for University Credit**

By an arrangement with the University, courses in Biblical Literature, Christian Theology, and Faith Development taught in St. Stephen’s College are open to students of the University for credit toward the Bachelor of Arts degree, or as Arts options open to students in other Faculties. For information about courses offered, see §201, Course Listings.
Non-Credit
The College provides a variety of short-term, non-credit courses of a professional and interdisciplinary nature for professional church workers and laity, and many of these courses are open to members of the University.

Degree Courses
The College offers graduate theological degrees: a professional Doctor of Ministry (DMin), an academic Master's Degree (MTh), Preparation in Diaconal Ministry (Diploma BTh, MTS), a Master of Theological Studies (MTS) for lay persons, a Master of Arts in Spirituality and Liturgy, a Master of Arts in Social Transformation Ministry, and a Masters of Religious Education. Enquiries may be directed to the office (439-7311).

226.2 Off-Campus College
North American Baptist College, Edmonton has a formal affiliation agreement with the University of Alberta, under which certain courses offered by the college will be accepted by the University for transfer credit.

226.3 Public Colleges and Technical Institutes
Formal affiliation agreements do not exist between the University and the public colleges or technical institutes in the Province. However, arrangements are in place which allow for the transfer of students from these postsecondary institutions to the University of Alberta (See §14.2).

227 Associated Institutions and Agencies

Northern Health Services Program
See §91.2.3.

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ARC provides a full spectrum of Research and Development and advisory services that effectively bridge the gap between basic research and market development. The corporation works closely with industry, universities and other groups in a variety of arrangements, including strategic alliances, contract research, joint ventures, consortia and licensing arrangements. Today, ARC is widely recognized for its capability in seven key market sectors.

Agriculture: crop diseases, insect, pest and weed management, toxicology of environmental pollutants, and the impact of industrial activities on air, water and land resources essential to sustainable agriculture.

Biotechnology: carbohydrate chemistry and immunology research, process engineering, fermentation optimization and scale up manufacturing, including biopharmaceuticals, enzymes and animal health products.

Energy: product and process improvement for energy-related industries, and technologies for recovery and upgrading heavy oil and bitumen.

Environment: pollution control, including air biofilter technology and waste incineration; land-based waste management, land reclamation and habitat restoration; combustion systems design, thermo-fluids dynamics modelling, emissions monitoring and expert systems for performance optimization.

Forestry: engineered wood products, pulp and paper technology, fish and wildlife, and sustainable natural resource management.

Information Technology: development and application of interdisciplinary information technology methods, products and services for distributed systems, learning and collaborative systems, spatial information, automation and robotics, and health informatics.


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The Capital Health Authority (CH) was formed in 1994 and replaced the former boards that operated individual health facilities (including the University of Alberta Hospital) and health units in the cities of Edmonton and St. Albert. In 1996, Strathcona County became part of the region which includes a total population of 740,000 and also serves patients from across Alberta in various specialized programs. CH is responsible for all acute care, public health, home care and long-term care in the region.

CH is closely allied with the University of Alberta and other postsecondary education institutions in Edmonton.

The Western Board of Music
The Western Board of Music was founded in 1935 in order to conduct examinations of a high standard in music. Associated with the Board are universities in Alberta, Manitoba, and Saskatchewan. The central office is at the University of Alberta and is funded by revenue derived from examination fees. The Board awards the diplomas of Associate in Music (AMus) and Licentiate in Music (LMus) in its examinations. Theoretical and practical examinations are held in January, February, May, June, and August of each year. Further details, including information about prizes and awards, are found in the official announcements of the Board, obtainable by writing to The Western Board of Music, the University of Alberta.