



NIPISSING UNIVERSITY

CONVOCATION 2021



NIPISSING UNIVERSITY COAT OF ARMS

There are three elements in the Nipissing crest: the sun, the water, and the owl.

The sun, our source of light and energy, is symbolic of the illumination of learning, embracing curiosity and reason.

The water recalls the University's connection with Lake Nipissing, source of the institution's name (and reason for the University's team name, "Lakers"), and bond with the Nipissing First Nation, original inhabitants of the region. Like the sun, water sustains life itself, and represents the abundant gifts of nature with which humans must live in harmony.

The Athenian owl symbolizes wisdom and scholarship, knowledge and culture. By facing forward, it represents seeing the world as it is and envisioning how it could be, which is the task and purpose of the University.

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FACULTY *of* ARTS *and* SCIENCE

FACULTY *of* EDUCATION *and* PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

NIPISSING UNIVERSITY WELCOMES YOU

The History of Nipissing University

Nipissing University is a young and dynamic institution whose strategic focus on student success and experience has translated into consistent top rankings in the country in the areas of student support, student experience, faculty, and residences.

The University received its charter as an independent university in 1992, and was created to specifically address the needs of Northern Ontario. Nipissing's strategic priorities regarding the student experience as well as academic and research excellence is grounded in this commitment. Over the course of the past 29 years, Nipissing has conferred roughly 33,000 degrees and positively impacted millions of lives.

Nipissing's roots, however, extend much deeper, stretching back more than a century to 1909 and the opening of the North Bay Normal School, the precursor to Nipissing's highly respected Schulich School of Education. As a result of the vision and perseverance of local citizens to establish a university in North Bay, Northeastern University was formed in 1960 and later renamed Nipissing University College in 1967 as an affiliate of Laurentian University.

Nipissing is proud to be a primarily undergraduate university with a reputation for excellence in teacher education, arts, science, professional programs and with four distinct nursing programs, it is proportionally the most nursing intensive university in Ontario.

As a premier destination for students seeking innovative academic programming in a student-centered community, Nipissing is renowned for its ability to provide a personalized education in a supportive environment with dedicated faculty who are creating new knowledge through research that positively impacts our communities, locally and globally. Students find themselves in a high-quality academic environment that is student-focused and based on personal teaching practices and innovative approaches to learning.

Nipissing University is home to a burgeoning research culture that provides undergraduate students the opportunity to perform graduate-level research. Students and graduates consistently give top marks to the university in high-profile surveys that measure student satisfaction, such as the National Survey of Student Engagement.

Recognizing the value of supporting an international profile for our students, Nipissing holds exchange agreements with institutions around the world, actively recruits international students and provides funding for refugee students. As well, the Schulich School of Education operates a unique international teaching program which provides the opportunity for students to teach abroad.

Access and equity have been a longstanding priority of Nipissing with a focus on students who, without interventions and support, might not otherwise participate in postsecondary education. For example, Nipissing has experienced continued growth in the enrollment of full-time first generation students as well as increases in the number of students with disabilities and number of full-time Indigenous students enrolled at the University.

Nipissing is committed to making an impact and playing a positive role in the educational, social, cultural and economic life in the communities it serves.

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A History of Teacher Education in North Bay

The roots of the Schulich School of Education reach back more than 100 years, to the opening of the North Bay Normal School in 1909. The Normal School was renamed North Bay Teachers' College in 1953. In 1972, the College moved into a new home at The Education Centre, which was specifically designed for the integration of Nipissing University College and the Teachers' College. In 2010, Nipissing's Faculty of Education became the Schulich School of Education, thanks to a generous gift from Mr. Seymour Schulich.

The Schulich School of Education is renowned for graduating leaders. The school is recognized for pioneering the innovative use of technology in the classroom to enhance learning. It was the first education program in Ontario to implement laptops into the classroom and is actively researching the effectiveness of new and emerging technologies, like the iPad, smartphones and social media, in both a traditional classroom setting and as tools for distance education.

The latest milestone in the continuing evolution of the Schulich School of Education occurred in 2012 with the launch of Nipissing University's first PhD program in Education with a focus on Educational Sustainability.

The focuses of the Schulich School of Education are on critical thinking, humane values and practical skills that are necessary to become a lifelong learner. The aim is to take learning beyond schools and direct students to apply their knowledge actively in the larger world.

HONORARY DEGREE RECIPIENT

Nipissing University confers honorary degrees upon individuals who meet one or more of the following criteria: national stature, relevance/contribution to Nipissing University, academic background, contributions to society (regionally, provincially, nationally, internationally) and/or sustained contribution to scholarship. The university grants the following honorary degrees: Doctor of Letters (honoris causa) and Doctor of Education (honoris causa).



TOM CURRY

Tom Curry is a leading trial and appellate lawyer and Managing Partner of Lenczner Slaght LLP, Canada's leading litigation firm.

Tom was born and raised in North Bay. He graduated from Chippewa Secondary School in 1977 and afterwards obtained a degree from the University of Waterloo, School of Urban and Regional Planning.

He then attended Osgoode Hall Law School and was called to the Ontario Bar as a lawyer in 1986.

Tom served for two terms on the Board of Governors of Nipissing University and played an important role as a Member of the Special Governance Commission formed in 2015 under a Memorandum of Agreement between

the Nipissing University Faculty Association and Nipissing University.

In 2016, the Special Governance Commission reported on recommendations to assess and improve the joint governance structures and culture of collegiality at Nipissing.

The work of the Special Governance Commission led to significant improvements in the quality of the relationships and engagement between the Board, Academic Senate, administration, students, and the wider community at Nipissing.

Tom's work as a lawyer has been recognized in various professional honours including the prestigious Law Society Medal, The Catzman Award, and The Advocates Society Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Tom is a passionate teacher and mentor who strives to inspire future generations of lawyers and students. He has supported future graduates at Nipissing University, The University of Waterloo and Osgoode Hall Law School through the creation of bursaries and awards intended to help students in financial need.

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S ACADEMIC MEDALS

The Governor General's Medal, established in 1873, is one of the most prestigious awards that can be received by a student in a Canadian educational institution for exceptional academic achievement.

The Gold Medal is awarded to the graduate student who achieves the highest academic standing upon graduation from a graduate level.

Jennifer Galle, MEd

The Silver Medal is awarded to the undergraduate student who achieves the highest academic standing upon graduation from a bachelor degree program.

Emerson Bach, BA (Hons)

PRESIDENT'S GOLD MEDALS

The President's Gold Medals are presented to a graduating student who attains the highest academic average in their degree program. Students must have a minimum of 80% overall average. Each recipient will receive a President's Gold Medal and a cash award of \$500.

Emerson Bach, BSc

Jasmine Brioux, BFA

Rachael Carpentier, BA

Christian Celebre, BComm

Allison Chi, BEd

Christopher Donaldson, MES

Jennifer Galle, MEd

Claire Hutton, BScN

Emma Kewley, BComm

Emily McGuffin, BA

Tegan McWhirter, MEd

Garrett Nelson, BSc

Benjamin Olmstead, MA

Shawn Page, BBA

Mackenzie Peters, BPHE

Susan Picard, PHD

Alanna Shwed, MSc

Jordan Tremblay, BSW

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

The Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Research was established to recognize and celebrate the value and importance of research conducted by Nipissing University faculty. Research that faculty and their students undertake plays a significant role in the growth of Nipissing University and the education of its students. **Dr. Katrina Srigley** is this year's recipient of the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Research.

DR. KATRINA SRIGLEY

Dr. Katrina Srigley received her PhD in history from the University of Toronto in 2005. She joined the History Department at Nipissing that year. She was promoted to Associate Professor in 2010 and Full Professor in 2019. She also holds a BEd from the University of Toronto.

Dr. Srigley trained as an historian of women's, gender, and feminist oral history with a focus on the histories of modern Canada. Since arriving on Nibisiing Nishnaabeg territory, Dr. Srigley's research has developed through her work in partnership with Nibisiing Nishnaabeg. She shares this award with and says *gchi-miigwech* to Glenna Beaucage (Culture & Heritage Manager, Nipissing First Nation), John Sawyer, Muriel Sawyer, Lorraine Whiteduck Liberty, Peter Beaucage, Patty Chabbert, June Commanda, Marianna Couchie, Erin Dokis, Terry Dokis, Carol Guppy, John Long, Evelyn McLeod, Joan McLeod Shabogesic, Laurie Robinson, Randy Sawyer, Lorraine Sutherland, Autumn Varley, and many other generous elders, knowledge holders, language stewards, and community members who have supported her learning journey over the last 16 years.

Dr. Srigley is co-editor with Stacey Zembrzycki and Franca Iacovetta of the award-winning collection *Beyond Women's Words: Feminisms and the Practices of Oral History in the Twenty-First Century* (Routledge, 2018), and author of the award-winning monograph *Breadwinning Daughters: Young Working Women in a Depression-era City* (University of Toronto Press, 2010). She is co-editor of two special journal issues and the author or co-author of eleven peer-reviewed articles and book chapters, four of which were co-authored with former graduate students. She directed and co-produced a short documentary in English and Nishnaabemwin (nipissingu.ca/warriors), which explores the history of the Nipissing Warriors hockey team. Over ten years, she has been awarded more than \$2 million in research funding as a principal or co-applicant.

Dr. Srigley has several active research projects. Her Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC)-funded projects, developed in partnership with Nipissing First Nation, examine the history of Nibisiing Nishinaabeg territory through Nishinaabeg ways of knowing, recording, and sharing the past. Dr. Srigley is currently co-authoring a book with Glenna Beaucage titled *Gaa Bi Kidwaad Maa Nibisiing/ The Stories of Nibisiing Nishnaabeg* and she works closely on research projects with university colleagues and community partners, through the Lake Nipissing Beading Project (lakenipissingbeadingproject.com), a Heritage Canada-funded project on Nibisiing Nishnaabeg guides, and the Great Lakes Research Alliance for the Study of Aboriginal Arts & Cultures (grasac.org).

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN SERVICE

The Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Service was established to recognize the importance of exceptional service of faculty who play a significant role in the education of Nipissing University students. **Dr. Susan Srigley** is this year's recipient of the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Service.

DR. SUSAN SRIGLEY

Dr. Susan Srigley is a Professor and Chair of the Department of Religions and Cultures at Nipissing University. She has a PhD and MA in Religious Studies from McMaster University and a BA (Honours) from McGill University. Dr. Srigley has been teaching at Nipissing since 2005.

Dr. Srigley's research focuses on ethics, imagination, and literature. She has published two books and several articles on the American novelist Flannery O'Connor; has been invited to give talks in Europe and the US; has organized three international Flannery O'Connor conferences; and has served on the editorial board for *Studies in the Catholic Imagination* since 2018.

Dr. Srigley has chaired her department for 10 of her 15 years at Nipissing. She has served on Senate, the Board of Governors, Tenure and Promotion committees, University Review Appeals Committee, the Joint Committee of the Board and Senate on Governance, the undergraduate curriculum committee, and Academic and Quality Assurance Planning Committee. She was the grievance officer for the Nipissing University Faculty Association for several years before becoming the Vice-President and President from 2013-2017. She is a founding member of the Ontario Confederation of University Faculty Association ad hoc committee on governance and has been a passionate advocate of academic freedom at the national level, serving on the Canadian Association of University Teachers' Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee.

Dr. Srigley has been a palliative care volunteer for the past 20 years. Currently she is a volunteer with the Near North Palliative Care Network, where she mentors new volunteers and leads the volunteer training on death, dying and spirituality. She offers companionship to the dying and respite for their caregivers, and she is training to be a death doula to deepen her skills in palliative and hospice care. She established a local "Death Café" for her community to gather and discuss ideas and questions about death and dying. She teaches courses on death awareness in her department and has presented workshops internationally on death positive education in the post-secondary sector. Dr. Srigley's students have done placements at the Near North Palliative Care Network, and they are granted "death ambassador" status after taking her death courses as they change the conversation around death in our culture. She runs an Instagram account dedicated to her death ambassador students and death education. For many years she has volunteered at the local pet rescue and she and her partner rescue elderly dogs who need good, loving homes for their final years.

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING (FASBU)

The Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching was established to recognize the importance of exceptional teaching of faculty who play a significant role in the education of Nipissing University students. **Dr. Renée Valiquette** is this year's recipient of the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching (FASBU).

DR. RENÉE VALIQUETTE

Dr. Renée Valiquette has been teaching at Nipissing University since 2005 in the departments of Gender Equality and Social Justice and Child and Family Studies. After completing an undergraduate degree in Philosophy and Women's Studies at Nipissing University, Dr. Valiquette went on to attain a Master's degree in Philosophy at York University, where she also received her PhD in Social and Political Thought in 2018.

Contributing to the expansion of the environmental humanities, Dr. Valiquette's research uses post-structuralist ideas to rethink and reinvent human and non-human relations. In her dissertation, Renée draws on the work of French feminist scholar Hélène Cixous to describe the Anthropocene – the geologic epoch of humans – as an “age of otherness,” that is, a time defined by strangeness, incoherence and reckoning. Such an approach opposes unilateral solutions that have no time for different, particularly marginalized, ways of thinking when “saving the planet.” Viewing environmental realities through the lens of otherness means stepping back, embracing doubt and uncertainty, and recognizing other ways of living and relating as essential to achieving a just and vibrant future.

Dr. Valiquette carries these ideas into her teaching in Child and Family Studies and Gender Equality and Social Justice and her interest in families as our first classroom. In her classes, Renée asks: how can 21st century family life be reimaged to better support democratic communities capable of responding usefully and ethically to social and environmental injustice?

Dr. Valiquette's research is perhaps most lively in her commitment to the transformative potential of the university classroom. In 2013, she and Nipissing Professor Dr. Sal Renshaw piloted an experimental interdisciplinary course organized around the theme “DIRT.” The course, officially titled “Introduction to Interdisciplinary Analysis,” has been offered every year since, each time under a different theme. In each iteration, 12 guest lecturers are invited to creatively address the selected theme from their own disciplinary, and often multi-disciplinary, perspective. Guest lectures alternate with seminars run by Renée and Sal. In seminar, students learn how to be curious and acquire knowledge outside their disciplinary preferences, how to make “group work” useful and enjoyable, and how to think critically and imaginatively across epistemic difference. And most importantly, students who take the course acquire an even deeper appreciation for Nipissing's brilliant professors. The 10th version of the course, wishfully themed “DREAMS,” will run in the 2021-22 academic year.

Since 2015, Dr. Valiquette has been working to expand her research on experimental interdisciplinarity through partnerships at universities in Sweden and Norway. Along with faculty at Linköping University, Renée helped found the Network for Teaching and Learning Differently. Dr. Valiquette and Dr. Renshaw hope to resume plans to offer a condensed interdisciplinary course to Linköping students and faculty under the theme “NOIR” in the Spring of 2022. Work is also underway on the establishment of a Northern-Nordic Network for Experimental Interdisciplinary Learning to help broaden such offerings.

PRESENTATION OF THE CHANCELLOR'S AWARD
FOR EXCELLENCE IN TEACHING (CASBU)

The Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching (CASBU) was established to recognize the importance of exceptional teaching of contract academic faculty members who play a significant role in the education of Nipissing University students. **Laura Killam** is this year's recipient of the Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Teaching (CASBU).

LAURA KILLAM

Laura Killam is an innovative nurse educator who is committed to “empowering students to learn their own way.” She uses creativity and technology to engage diverse learners in active and authentic learning opportunities. Laura strives to be an educator who students feel connected to and comfortable with – inclusive, flexible, available, approachable, supportive, empathetic, honest, trustworthy, and fair.

At Nipissing University, Laura teaches part-time in the RPN to BScN Blended Learning Program. Students have appreciated Laura's use of live sessions, choices for how they engage in and represent their learning, as well as supportive reminders that learning happens when students go outside of their comfort zone (but not too far). Laura has created opportunities and assisted students to experiment with creative uses of: PowerPoint, game creation, H5P technology, media (including memes), video creation, and more in the online classroom. Students particularly value the way Laura personalizes and humanizes learning through regular video feedback on assignments and instruction. Laura is committed to ongoing improvement of her teaching practice and service. She has been instrumental in helping distance students collaborate and achieve recognition within student government and program decision making.

Laura also started the NurseKillam YouTube channel in 2010. This resource has since helped countless students understand complex topics in a variety of disciplines. With over 5 million views, she receives thanks from students across the world. Her expertise in videography in a variety of teaching contexts continues to evolve. She provides an example and inspiration to nurse educator colleagues for her use of technology in teaching and learning. You can find her tweeting from @NurseKillam and blogging from insights.nursekillam.com about improving inclusive education.

She is currently focusing her PhD studies at Queen's University on the use of Virtual Online Simulation in nursing education and advocating for educators to adopt practices consistent with Critical Caring Pedagogy and Universal Design for Learning. She is working with Dr. Marian Luctkar-Flude and the Canadian Alliance of Nurse Educators using Simulation (CAN-Sim) research interest group to improve her use of simulation and engagement in impactful research.

In her free time, Laura loves to spend time creating videos, camping and working on do-it-yourself projects with her husband and four children. Being outside helps her feel refreshed.

CONVOCATION
FACULTY *of* ARTS *and* SCIENCE

Master of Arts (MA)
Master of Environment Studies (MES)
Master of Science (MSc)
Bachelor of Arts Four Year Program (BA)
Bachelor of Arts Three Year Program (BA)
Bachelor of Liberal Arts (BLA)
Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA)
Bachelor of Science Four Year Program (BSc)
Bachelor of Science Three Year Program (BSc)

FACULTY of ARTS and SCIENCE CONVOCATION

MASTER OF ARTS

- Ty Backer^C** - *Rebuilding Trust: The Algonquin Regiment At War, July-September 1944.*
- Taylor Gabrielle Coates^C** - *Bruce John Stewart Macdonald: Just The Man For The Job.*
- Ryrie Johanna Dirksen^C** - *“Between A Rock And A Hard Place”: The Mennonite Selbstschutz In Molotschna, Ukraine, 1918-1920.*
- Rebecca Dubeau^C** - *Rioting And Reporting: Representations Of Race In The Chicago Tribune And The Chicago Defender.*
- Samantha Bailey Gauthier^R** - *Parental Alienation In Divorced Families: Extending The Legal Literature.*
- Marly Hill^R** - *Death In The Digital Age: Exploring Virtual Forms Of Grieving Within Networked Community Spaces.*
- Benjamin Olmstead^T** - *Characteristics Of Persons With Serious Mental Disorders Who Have Repeat Contact With Police Officers.*
- Andrew Ouellette^R** - *Max Weber’s Continued Relevance Into The 21st Century: Western Humanism.*
- Jonathan Wade Plaunt^C** - *Historiography Of Modes Of Preventing Parenthood In England During The Late Middle Ages.*
- Tatianna Webb^C** - *Establishing Guilt And Innocence: Gender And Respectability In The 1935 Murder Of Ruth Taylor.*

MASTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

- Christopher Donaldson^T** - *Environmental Citizenship: Attitudes And Action In Postsecondary Education.*
- Mary Kelly^T** - *Land As Story: The Embodied Place Of A Hunter and Trapper.*
- Tegan McWhirter^T** - *Analyzing Stable Oxygen Isotopes In Charred Bark To Reconstruct Past Wildland Fire Conditions.*
- Jane Emily White^T** - *Total Phosphorus Loading And Surrogate Relationships In A Mixed Land Use Boreal Shield Watershed.*

^C Course Route
^R Research Paper
^T Thesis

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Dustin Hummel^C - *Testing The Testimony: Examining Memory Of Relevant Cues Following A Time Delay.*

John Johnson^C - *Correlates Of Mouthguard And Throat Protector Utilization In Junior 'A' Hockey Players In Northern Ontario.*

Aaron Paibomsai^C - *Understanding Food Skills in Indigenous Post-Secondary Students.*

Victoria Primeau^C - *Dimension And Universal Maps.*

Gabrielle Racine^C - *Median Nerve Deformation And Displacement Increase In Concert During Grip Tasks In The Transverse Plane Of The Carpal Tunnel.*

Alanna Shwed^C - *Is Sport No Longer Enough? The Impact Of Food Rewards On Children's Motivation To Participate In Sport.*

Timothy Sibbald^T - *Tilings And Packings Of Pentagons.*

Rachel Amy Van Woezik^C - *Real Versus Ideal: Toward A Deeper Understanding Of How Coaches Gain Knowledge.*

^C Course Route
^R Research Paper
^T Thesis

BACHELOR OF ARTS FOUR YEAR PROGRAM

Ajoké Amis [▣]	Natalie Cuddy*	Eric Hlady
Devon Andrews-Simons [△]	Kaelyn Mackenzie Reeves Daniels	Danielle Holmes [◦]
Emma Patricia Cora Anstey	Emily Dawson*	Austin Horvat-Trushinski
Lindsay Ballard	Emma Yvonne DeBoer	Julia Humphries* [◦]
Emily Banika*	Emma Dehaan*	Shannon Hunt
Karley Marie Baran	Taylor Desormeau*	Olivia Ivic*
Sarah Anne Bazzana	Tanner Dibben-James	Alexandra Caitlin Joyce*
Alyssa Beach	Maria Nicole Dikeos	Alison Kasaboski
Michelle Berger*	Deven Doodnath	Frances Kay*
Kourtnei Marie Bickerstaffe	Dylan-Lee Ducharme	Mackenzie Kelly
Ashley Breedon* ^{♦◊}	Emily Dulong* [♦]	Victoria Keyes
Hillary Amanda Brennan*	Sarah Eileen Ederer*	Kelsey Kirouac
Emma Jaclyn Brown	Brye Enright*	Kaitlyn Marion Elizabeth Krcel
Jessica Dawn Bullock*	Rebecca Lee Ernest*	Nadia Lackowicz
Rachael Carpentier* ^{◦◊}	Rebecca Ferris*	Sarah Laframboise
Emma Carr*	Ashley Forster*	Liisa Lalonde*
Victoria Chamberlain* [◦]	Taylor Margaret Lori Fortin	Brittany Lansie
Tyrell Chambers	Charlotte Foster*	Madison Charlotte Larochelle
Liv Charette	Liam Francis	Shayla Le Coz
Taylor-Brooke Chase Charrois	Tierra Helene Christina French	Brooke Clarissa Leferink [◦]
Erica Cheechoo	Devon Gauthier	Brianna Leigh* ^{♦◊}
Leah Danielle Chin*	Samara Gauthier	Madison Louise Logan* ^{♦◊}
Emily Chouinard*	Olivia Gemmiti*	Chelsie Longstreet
Taylor Lee Chute	Marissa Gillies-Linklater	Hunter Lounds*
Camryn Clost*	Calvin Gomes	Eamon Robert Stuart MacDougall*
Connor Cobean	Paige Goode-Brown* [♦]	Sarah MacGregor*
Alyssa Coghill*	Cory Gordon	Tianna Maciver
Chaim Conklin	Kristina Graham	Jennifer Rose Martin*
Emily Costa*	Kevin Grant*	Natalie Martinez*
Danielle Coulas	Leah Groenewoud*	Jennifer McCarthy
Brent Crane	Brendan James Hall* [♦]	Alexandra McClure*
Erin Creed*	Casie Hall*	Megan McCourt
Autumn Crockett* ^{♦◊}	Danielle Nicole Taylor Hall	William McDonald
Alexander Croxall	Rosemarie Hartman*	Haley McGaraughty
Lea Cruickshank	Dakota Heon*	Scott McInnis

* High Distinction

◦Certificate in Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA)-Lifespan

◊Certificate in Early Intensive Behaviour Intervention (EIBI)-Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD)

♦Certificate in Environmental Management

▣Certificate in Health Studies and Gerontology

◊Certificate in Geomatics

△Certificate in the Study of State Violence (War, Atrocity, and Genocide)

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Larissa McKelvie	Rayanne Michelle Roberge* ^{◦◊}	Dante Ursini [△]
Brittney Meunier-Gauthier*	Madilynne Roblot*	Olivia Valenti
Shanel Sarah Miles* [◦]	Bailey Rongits [♦]	Allison Van Troost*
Mackenzie Minor	Kassidy Joy Ruigrok*	Jocelyn Vandriel
Connor Montgomery*	Haille Alexandra Sadler	Carden Vickers
Amanda Moorhouse*	Joseph Samra	Amanda Sophia Wagner*
Marie Murrell* ^{♦◊}	Shelby Sawyer	Lindsay Walker
Natalie Muylaert* ^{◦◊}	Bryan Scheffelmair* [♦]	Cassidy Leigh Webb*
Arthur Tadao Nakamura	Alexis Schuett	Nicole Shannon Weckwerth [♦]
Taylor Okum	Nicole Seeley*	Britney Weir* ^{◦◊}
Deverick Ottereyes-Rupert	Abigail Sewell*	Miranda Wilby*
Claire Oulahan* [◦]	Rachel Shavrnock*	Alexander Winter*
Victoria Parker	Malachy Sheedy	Megan Winter
Megann Parks	Victoria Slywka	Cassandra Wood
Connor Payton*	Hannah Marie Smithson	Marissa Young
Maxwell Peacock*	Sarah Souch	Sara Zepeda
Gryphon Phillips	Brittany Spina [◦]	Angelina Haiyue Zhu
Melanie Phillips [♦]	Alexandria Alyssa Strom	Kaley Pauline Zizek
Olivia Regina Pitcher*	Tayler Sullivan	
Gwyneth Powling	Nickalus Sylver	
Sarah Qadir	Aleksander Robert Szaranski*	
Mikayla Rao	William MacGregor Tannahill	
Sarah-Beth Raymond Lusk*	Jade Tanner*	
Amy Rebel	Olivia Gwendolynn Taylor	
Erin Elizabeth Reid*	Jordan Topham*	
Junelle Erica Alice Reuben	Shaelyn Tyers*	

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BACHELOR OF ARTS THREE YEAR PROGRAM

Lea Anne Call	Rachael Heal	William Normand McQuaid
Aidan Carleton	Mariah Holmes	Maxwell Mordue
Sarah Chakasim	Joseph Johnston	Brianna Perrett
Jaurdyn Clement	Brittany Klassen	Bridgette Perron
Cameron Jeffrey Cole	Emma Lamothe	Joseph Adrien Piquette
Gregory George Cole	Myriam Latraverse	Celine Rochefort
Bianca D'Amore	Brianna Lavereau	Christopher Adam Slobodzian
Alex Elstone	Katrena Ledoux	Jessica Soule
Nevin Emmanuel	Mason Lee	Stevie Sutherland
Jacob Farrer	Emily McGuffin* ^o	Tiffany Sutherland
Jade Groom-Pike	Matthias Peter McNulty	Presley Young

BACHELOR OF LIBERAL ARTS PROGRAM

Siobhan Baswick	Brittanie Gillian	Kimberly Perry
Ashley Blow	Danielle Marleau-Pilon	Andrew Pritchard
Amelia Ferracuti		

BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS PROGRAM

Alysa Marie Ball	Madison Hackner*	Miranda Kimberly Ann Prior
Jasmine Brioux*	Davanya Hartwig*	Kendra Rhynard
Hannah Burke	Shay-Lee Keenan-Lowerison	Jessica Shepperdson*
Jadan Cohen	Sydney Keown	Monica Showell*
Diana Valentina Ene	Holly Macie	Zoe Van Den Hurk*
Madison Goodfellow-Deveau	Gerold Mueller Jr	

* High Distinction

^oCertificate in Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA)-Lifespan

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE FOUR YEAR PROGRAM

Elizabeth J. Aarts*	Gillian Gobbo	Daniel Ouellette [□]
Megan Ablett	Neil Graham	Adam Perron
Vanika Aggarwal* [§]	Melissa Gregoire*	Connor James Peters
Naila Aqbal	Hongrui Guo* [□]	Hannah Kathleen Pilkington
Brenda Sky Avery	Richard Hamilton [□]	Megan Pulford*
Emerson Bach**	Patrick Hébert [‡]	Adelle Renette
Daina Barriage	Charlotte Holenski [‡]	Erin Taylor Richards Whidden [‡]
Aubrey Bates [‡]	Maggie C. Holod	Kathryn Russ
Edward Bentley*	Jerret Johns**	Nea Saunders
Harlee Boissonneault	Erin Kirkby	Jennifer Helen Anne Scott*
Daniel Brundia*	Jessica A. Kokol*	Kassidy Seldon*
Janessa Buis**	Lakshita Konwar Prasai* [§]	Alec Shaw
John Caissey [□]	Alyssa Laferriere	Jessica Sheldon*
Christian Celebre*	Ashley Elizabeth Lamers*	Kayden Jace Phillips Sim* ^{◊‡}
Alysha Conklin* [♦]	Samantha Lavallee* [§]	Sophia Slater*
Micaela Cooper**	Emma Marie Little*	Katherine Joanne Talbot**
Amy Czaikowski ^{◊§}	Douglas Addison Noel Manners* [‡]	Katherine Tripp* ^{♦‡◊}
Brittany Denomme*	David Louis McDonald* [‡]	Christina Turcotte
Tate W. J. Drynan*	Dawson Meecham* [‡]	Mehgan Uetz*
Meredith Jaye Weslyn Fisher*	Hunter Mosher [‡]	Julia Vanderwiel* [♦]
Kyesha Fong*	Jonathan Ramazani Mulimbi	Owen R. Watkins
Cindy Gadoury**	Jamie Leonora Nelson*	

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Abbigail Groskleg	Jessica Nicole Nolevski*	Chloe Zummach*
Stephen Hass*	Owen O'Leary	
David Alexandre Hotte	Mackenzie Peters*	
Kiara Caitlyn Jefferies*	Abigail Pleau*	

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Danika Rose Bailey*	Jessica Gerry*	Braydon Mcenroe
Reed Garrett Blacker*	Brooke Gilliam	Zachary McLennan
Trevor Paul Boissonneault	Jonathan Goderre	Kurtis Palfrey
Lucas Brown	Mackenzie Graham	Christina Pavone*
Ryan Carnevale	Brady Hardwick	Emily Claire Pelletier*
Kirsten Trinity Cartwright	Derek Hewitt	Sabrina Maria Pereira
Thomas Mitchell Charbonneau	Cole Hoffman	Gillian Mackenzie Quinn
Jordan Clausi	Jeremy Hookimaw	Claudia Reinbrecht*
Kylie Cranston	Andrew Robert Johnstone*	Joshua Robson
Calvin Cressman*	Jordan Kilby*	Corey Roebuck
Meghan Culin	Kayleigh Lalonde	Kyle Morgan Conway Runge
Jared D'Angelo*	Emma Lavery	Robert Daniel Selmayer
Adrienne Demers*	Brianne Levasseur*	Emilia Spina
Jetta Lynn Derenoski*	Tyler Loney	Abbygale Stencill
Mark Daniel Bondad Garin	Megan Lott*	Reagan Linda Turcotte
Zachary Garner	Braedon Loucks	Amanda-Faith Valliere
Charlotte Gaudreau*	Kenndal Marsden	
Jordann Marie Gauvreau*	Madison Sarah McDiarmid	

* High Distinction

J.W. TRUSLER PROFICIENCY AWARDS IN ARTS AND SCIENCE AND PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

The Trusler Award are presented to a graduating undergraduate student, either part-time or full-time, in each major. The recipients are chosen by the respective faculty of each major, primarily on the basis of academic achievement. Students must have earned a minimum of 60 credits at Nipissing University and have a minimum overall average of 80%. Students with a double major are only eligible to receive one J.W. Trusler Award. Each student will receive a Bronze Medal and a cash award of \$300.

- Biology – **Melissa Gregoire**
- Computer Science – **Hongrui Guo**
- Child and Family Studies – **Claire Oulahen**
- Criminology and Criminal Justice – **Reed Blacker**
- English Studies – **Aleksander Szaranski**
- Environmental Biology and Technology – **Micaela Cooper**
- Environment and Physical Geography – **Kayden Sim**
- Fine Arts – **Sarah Ederer**
- Gender Equality and Social Justice – **Leah Groenewoud**
- Geography – **Marie Murrell**
- History – **Maxwell Peacock**
- Mathematics – **Megan Pulford**
- Philosophy – **Eamon MacDougall**
- Political Science – **Madilynne Roblot**
- Psychology – **Emily Dawson**
- Religions and Culture – **Olivia Pitcher**
- Social Welfare – **Alexandra McClure**

AWARDS

The Dr. Robert L. Cassidy Scholarship in English Studies is awarded to a deserving graduating student, in English Studies, with an excellent academic record, who will be continuing their studies at either a Faculty of Education or a graduate school. Students graduating in Concurrent Education - English Studies are also considered. The recipient is **Alexandra Joyce**.

The Chancellor's Community Service Award is presented annually to a graduating student who has demonstrated dedication to improving the lives of others and making a positive difference in the North Bay community throughout their undergraduate degree program at Nipissing University. The recipient must have a sustained record of outstanding leadership and volunteer service, and truly exemplify or live by the motto "Make a Difference Every Day". The recipient is **Jessica Nolevski**.

The Dr. Paul Kelly Scholarship in Fine Arts is presented to a deserving graduating student in the Faculty of Arts and Science with a major in Fine Arts, specializing in visual arts, who has excelled in their Fine Arts courses. Preference is given to a student who has expressed an intention to pursue graduate studies the following year. The recipient is **Davanya Hartwig**.

The Stan Michael Lawlor Memorial Award in History was established to honour the life of Stan Michael Lawlor. It recognizes his dedication and desire to encourage and promote History studies at the graduate level. It is presented to a deserving graduating student in History at Nipissing University who plans to pursue graduate History studies in the following year, either through Nipissing University or elsewhere. The recipient must demonstrate enthusiasm for History through their undergraduate studies at Nipissing University, both inside and outside the classroom. The recipient is **Andrew Ouellette**.

The Smith Award was established to honour the lives of Janet Morton and her parents, Bill and Helen Smith, to recognize their dedication to the North Bay community. It strives to encourage dynamic and creative people to become potentially outstanding teachers of History. It is presented to a deserving student in their final year of full-time study, majoring in History at Nipissing University, who plans to teach. Students graduating in Concurrent Education – History are also considered. The recipient demonstrates an enthusiasm for History through their studies at Nipissing University, both inside and outside the classroom. The recipient is **Danielle Hall**.

The Owen Ilkyaz Tuncali Award is presented to a deserving graduating student majoring in Mathematics who has obtained a high average in their major. The recipient is **Megan Pulford**.

The Bachelor of Social Work Award for Outstanding Achievement is awarded to a graduating fourth year BSW student who achieves the highest grade point average in the professional years of study and who demonstrates an outstanding contribution in field education. Students are selected by the Department of Social Work on the recommendation of the Social Work Departmental Group. The recipients are **Sara Ouellette and Jordan Tremblay**.

The Bachelor of Social Work Award for Outstanding Contribution to Professional Social Work Leadership in Northeastern Ontario is awarded to a graduating fourth year BSW student who demonstrates an outstanding contribution to social work leadership in Northeastern Ontario. This leadership shall be demonstrated by understanding and enacting the core principles of anti-oppressive practice in a variety of ways such as: achievements in field education, academic assignments, group projects, classroom discussions, extra-curricular activities, peer mentoring and leadership; using anti-oppressive practice to promote empowerment among oppressed groups; and challenging inequality and/or oppression in their own lives and practice. The recipient is selected by the Department of Social Work on the recommendation of the Social Work Departmental Group. The recipient is **Shannon Noris**.

J.W. TRUSLER PROFICIENCY AWARDS IN EDUCATION

The J.W. Trusler Proficiency Awards in Education are presented to six graduating students, as selected by the faculty of each division, based primarily on academic achievement and excellence in practice teaching. Each student will receive a Bronze Medal and a cash award of \$300.

PRIMARY/JUNIOR

Kaitlyn Case
Kim Hansen
Taylor Roncali

JUNIOR/INTERMEDIATE

Marni Sandell

INTERMEDIATE/SENIOR

Titus More
Amanda Jarvis

EDUCATION AWARDS

The Abby DeBruyn Memorial Award was established to honour the life of Nipissing University alumna, Abby DeBruyn, in recognition of her dedication and passion for education. The award is presented to a graduating Bachelor of Education student in the Intermediate/Senior division who demonstrates leadership qualities and an enthusiasm for the program, both inside and outside the classroom. The recipient is **Katie Talbot**.

The Ahti Jones Memorial Award was established to honour the life of educator, Ahti Jones. This award is presented to a graduating Bachelor of Education student (Concurrent or Consecutive) who has a strong academic record. The deserving recipient must have their teaching qualification in French as a Second Language and plan to pursue a career teaching French. The recipient is **Jasmine Brioux**.

The CCUPEKA Student Leadership Award is presented annually by the Canadian Council of University Physical Education and Kinesiology Administrators to a deserving full time BPHE graduate who demonstrates exceptional professionalism and dedication to the field, and one who has made a significant contribution to the BPHE program, the campus or the greater community. Each student nominated demonstrated leadership, commitment and an ability to motivate and influence others. Nominated students must meet the minimum GPA requirements as determined by the Director of the BPHE program. The recipient receives a framed certificate and will have their name engraved on a plaque displayed in the Centre for Physical and Health Education. The recipient is **Kiara Jefferies**.

The Brook Doseger Memorial Award was established to honour Nipissing alumna, Brook Doseger. The award is presented annually to a graduate of the Bachelor of Education (Consecutive or Concurrent) program who demonstrates a passion for children's literature (eg. volunteer work, leadership, authorship), care and compassion for fellow learners and one who contributes to the enrichment of the Nipissing community. The recipient is nominated by their peers and selected by the Schulich School of Education Student Awards Committee. The recipient is **Devon Prout**.

The Elementary Teachers' Federation of Ontario – Near North Local Award is presented to a student from the Schulich School of Education in the Primary/Junior or Junior/Intermediate division of the Bachelor of Education program who was highly successful in all practice teaching placements. The award is intended to be presented to a student who will pursue a career in teaching and ideally register as a member of the Elementary Teachers' Federation. The recipient is **Victoria King**.

The Dr. Doug Franks Memorial Award was established by the Schulich School of Education to honour a special colleague and friend, Dr. Doug Franks. The award is presented annually to a graduate of the Bachelor of Education (Consecutive or Concurrent) program who intends to enter the Master of Education degree program at Nipissing University. The award recipient demonstrates care and compassion for fellow learners and has contributed to the enrichment of the Nipissing community during his or her BEd degree program. The recipient is **Daniel Hutchings**.

The Ann Patricia Graham Memorial Award is presented annually to a graduating female student in the Bachelor of Education program who, while a student at Nipissing University, demonstrated superior leadership abilities. The recipient is **Raquel Branch**.

The Alan and Joyce Johnson Memorial Award was established to honour Alan (1922-1994), the first Dean of the Faculty of Education, and his wife Joyce (1925-2009), an ardent supporter of the local arts community. Two scholarships are presented to Indigenous students graduating from the Bachelor of Education program with a strong academic standing who intend to go on to teach in an indigenous community. Preference for one of the scholarships is given to a student who has volunteered and played an active role in the programs offered through the Nipissing University Office of Indigenous Initiatives as an indication of interest in supporting aboriginal communities. The recipients are **Samual Boston and Jessica Giesbrecht**.

The Cynthia Johnston Memorial Award is presented annually, in memory of Cynthia Johnston (BEd 2007), to a graduating student of the Bachelor of Education program who has displayed a positive attitude and a strong work ethic throughout the program. Preference is given to someone who expresses a sincere desire to teach Music. The recipient is **William O'Neill**.

The Stacey Koebel Memorial Award is presented annually, in memory of Stacey Koebel (BEd 2000), to a graduating student in the Primary/Junior or Junior/Intermediate division of the Schulich School of Education who expresses a desire to teach in Canada's Far North (Northwest Territories, Yukon, Nunavut). The recipient is **Gillian Quinn**.

The Greg Kotsilidis Memorial Award is presented to a deserving, graduating Bachelor of Education student who achieved a high average in the Visual Arts course (Intermediate or Senior) and who demonstrated a commitment to encouraging the value of art in education. The recipient is **Tristen Stinkowji**.

The Dr. Helen Langford Scholarship is presented annually to a student in the Primary/Junior division of the Bachelor of Education program who has demonstrated academic excellence and exemplary teaching practices in the Methods and Practice Teaching courses. This scholarship was established in honour of Dr. Langford's passionate and enthusiastic dedication to education and most notably her kind and gentle manner in the classroom, making her students feel welcome and comfortable. The recipient is **Rachel McLay**.

The Dr. David Liddle Award in Education was established to honour the life of former Nipissing University Chancellor Dr. David Liddle. This award recognizes his dedication and passion for education. The award is presented to a graduating Bachelor of Education student in the Concurrent or Consecutive program who attended a local high school. The recipient must demonstrate service to the community through volunteerism and a passion for education through mentorship. The recipient must also have positively impacted the lives of others beyond the university setting. The recipient is **Jansen Ortepi**.

The Sondra Nesterenko Memorial Award is presented annually to a deserving student graduating from the Junior/Intermediate division of the Schulich School of Education. The recipient possesses superior leadership skills and talents within an educational setting. The recipient is **Olivia Epelbaum**.

The North Bay Sports Hall of Fame Barbara Olmsted Award is presented annually to a graduate of Nipissing University's BPHE program who has been accepted in the Masters of Science in Kinesiology at Nipissing University. The recipient should show evidence of outstanding achievement at the undergraduate level with particular emphasis on research potential, community engagement and academic performance. Preference will be given, but not restricted, to students who have demonstrated a commitment to campus and/or community health and wellness. The recipient is selected by a committee comprising MSc Kinesiology faculty. The recipient is **Alexander Maycock**.

The Stan Pasko Mathematics Award is presented to a student in the Primary/Junior division of the Schulich School of Education who excelled in Mathematics and who was graded highly successful in their practice teaching placements. The recipient is **Laura Minster**.

The Allan and Lois Schmidt Award is awarded to a graduate of the Bachelor of Education program at the Junior/Intermediate level of the Schulich School of Education who was a former graduate of Nipissing University with at least a second class standing. The recipient has demonstrated enthusiasm and passion for teaching children and excellence in practice teaching. The recipient is **Leah Chin**.

The Sudbury Teachers' Lions Club Award in Memory of Professor Susan Stuart was established by a group of retired educators in Sudbury and surrounding area in memory of Susan Stuart, a professor at Nipissing University who passed away in January, 2019. As a professor of mathematics in the Schulich School of Education, Susan's talents extended far beyond the classroom. She developed and authored many teacher resources and she worked with Nipissing to provide training for educators in other countries. She was very passionate about giving back and her volunteerism speaks volumes. OAME, Sudbury Teachers' Lions and CFUW Sudbury benefited greatly from her hours of work to benefit others. The award is presented to a student enrolled in the Bachelor of Education program who has displayed a positive attitude to teaching; a willingness to assist fellow classmates; and exemplary volunteer, leadership and citizenship qualities. The recipient is **Kassidy Seldon**.

The Elijah Tupling Memorial Award was established in memory of Elijah Tupling (BEd 2008) and is awarded to a pre-service teacher who demonstrates an outstanding commitment to their role as a Professional Learning Assistant within the Professional Learning program. The recipient must show empathy and strong interpersonal skills. The recipient is **Amanda Theriault**.

The William and Helen Wright Native Teaching Award is presented to a deserving student enrolled in the Schulich School of Education who expresses a sincere desire to teach in Native Communities or other remote areas of Canada. The recipient is **Jennifer Burggraaff**.

NIPISSING UNIVERSITY MACE

The design of Nipissing University's mace is a complex mixture of artistry and power. Its presence represents the authority vested in the University to grant degrees, yet its design signifies more than the right to certify students as knowledgeable; it incorporates all the effort, history and tradition that surround both the site of and the vision for the University.

Designed after Nipissing received its degree-granting charter on December 10, 1992, the mace masterfully pulls together the many symbolic elements important to its identity: the University's crest, the Athenian owl pictured on the crest, the Nipissing University logo, Nipissing's motto "Integritas" and the traditions of the Ojibwa people who have been keepers of the land on which the University stands.

The Nipissing University mace is an expression of growth and transformation within a context of harmony and equanimity with the world in which we dwell, specifically, the Nipissing landscape. From the wisdom of the Anishinabek people, the mace draws the symbolism of the four orders of creation – mineral, plant, animal and human (and the gifts of the Four Winds):

- the mineral elements are represented by the local red granite, gold, silver, bronze and polished stones that signify the four cardinal directions – red, yellow, white, and black;
- the plant world is represented in the form of oak and maple leaves carved into the shaft of the mace;
- the animal world finds its representation in the owl; and
- the human element is represented by the hands that hold the mace and the hands that crafted it.

As well, in keeping with Indigenous tradition, the mace joins Mother Earth and Father Sky as it journeys symbolically from the fragment of granite at its base through the trees to the golden sphere of the sun and the owl of the air.

Like the institution it represents, the mace is not static; it expresses growth, movement and perpetuity. Time is asserted through the four seasons and the transformation of the oak and maple from buds to leaves to fruit. The movement of the eagle feathers, the beads of the "medicine wheel", and the owl, poised with an ambiguous relationship to flight, add to the dynamics.

The University itself is represented by the embossed silver and enameled emblem repeated to form a band, by the four coats of arms that support the crown, and by the embossed silver motto "Integritas." The mace is designed to represent those attributes which make Nipissing distinct: Harmony – Growth – Perpetuity.



