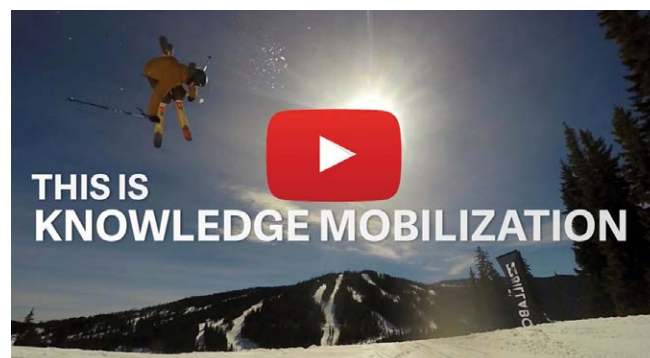




TRUly United in community-driven research

TRU and the United Way Thompson Nicola Cariboo have embarked on a new, innovative partnership designed to facilitate the exchange of knowledge

between faculty and student researchers and the community. Ann McCarthy, TRU's new Knowledge Mobilization Officer, will divide her time between TRU and the United Way, establishing relationships that produce community-driven research.



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Fundamental Science Review: TRU's shared voice

In June, the Federal Government launched Canada's Fundamental Science Review. The review committee invited key stakeholders to participate in a national dialogue, including TRU. TRU faculty across disciplines participated in this initiative, and provided their feedback, which was submitted to the review committee on Sept. 30.

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CCC Research Group launches webpage

Critical Cross-border Conversations — a research centre under development — has launched a webpage that highlights its rationale and objectives. The group is directed by Dr. Daphne Jeyapal and Dr.



Juliana West, Assistant Professors in the Faculty of Education and Social Work.

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Undergrad research enriches student experience

Dr. Jenny Shanahan delivered the keynote address to researchers and students in attendance for Research Day. The Director of Undergraduate Research at Bridgewater State University spoke

about the value of undergraduate research, and how participating in it can be life-changing for students.

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Tri-Agency Financial Administration Guide now available

The three federal granting agencies — CIHR, NSERC, SSHRC — are pleased to announce the posting of the 2016 [Tri-Agency Financial Administration Guide](#). Changes made to this year's guide supersede previous version and took effect on Oct. 1. Please review the [Summary of Changes](#) which highlights the most significant updates.

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Congratulations



Graduate students recognized

Kamloops philanthropist Ken Lepin presented \$35,000 in awards to nine graduate students during an Oct. 11 ceremony. This is the second year the awards have been offered.

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Peer-to-peer research mentors announced

The new 2016-17 Graduate Research Mentors and Undergraduate Research Ambassadors have been selected and are currently participating in training sessions designed to equip them with the tools necessary to engage in peer-to-peer development opportunities.



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Accelerator Awards — Competition closed

Congratulations to the successful recipients of the 2016 Accelerator Awards. The recipients of this \$2,500 award have committed to the development of applications for SSHRC funding competitions in the 2016-17 year, and we wish them all the best as they pursue their research goals. This competition is now closed. The successful candidates are:

Sara Marsden, Laura Doan, Tesh Dagne, Margaret Hall, Lorne Neudorf, Daphne Jeyapal, Carol Rees, Janna Promislow, Juliana West, Kathleen Scherf, Robert Hanlon, David Scheffel, Shanthi Senthe, and Edward Howe.

Researchers in the News



TRU expert weighs in on carbon pricing

Earlier this month, Prime Minister Justin Trudeau announced that Canadian provinces have two years to adopt a carbon pricing scheme or the federal government will step in and impose one for them. According to Dr. Joel Wood, "this is really good news

for the BC economy, as it will bring the carbon prices in other provinces up to our level."

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Empowering community, individual key to combating suicide: experts

Dr. Rod McCormick, BC Innovation Chair in Aboriginal Health and nationally-recognized expert in First Nations mental health, spoke to the Prince Albert Now about the recent suicides of four young girls in Northern Saskatchewan. McCormick said suicide is the direct result of an absence of meaning in an individual's life. The



lack of meaning among remote First Nations communities can often be traced back to colonialism, which was when Indigenous spirituality, connections to nature and traditional culture, were stripped away by Western institutions.

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Funding Updates & Opportunities (faculty)

For information about upcoming external funding opportunities, visit the [Funding Calendar](#)



Call for applications: Northcote and Brink Professorship

Applications are being accepted for the Northcote and Brink Professorship, a prestigious award valued at \$10,000 per year for three years.

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Innovative solutions to homelessness

The call for proposals for the Innovative Solutions to Homelessness funding stream is open, with deadlines quickly approaching.

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Apply now: Open Learning Research Awards

Apply now for one of two \$10,000 Open Learning Research Awards.

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Enhancement and restoration research grants available

Habitat Conservation Trust Foundation offers Enhancement and Restoration Grants valued at up to \$100,000 annually.

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Research into fire incidents in Canada

Research grants valued at up to \$20,000 are to study patterns of fire incidents in Canada. Deadline to apply is Dec. 16, 2016.

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Funding Opportunity: Ericsson Request for Proposals

Ericsson invites Canadian universities to submit research project proposals with the purpose of strengthening Canada's Information and Communications Technology (ICT) ecosystem and enhancing its vision of a networked society. The results of the research should serve to improve Ericsson's business in Canada and internationally.

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Funding Updates & Opportunities (students)

Canadian Graduate Scholarships (Masters)

Deadline: Dec. 1, 2016, 4 p.m.

Value: \$17,000 for 12 months, non-renewable

Decision date: April 2017

TRU offers four CGS-M entrance awards, one each from the CIHR and NSERC, and two from SSHRC. These three agencies have harmonized the application process, and there is one application for all three councils. The application must be completed through the [Research Portal](#).

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Environmental Science and Natural Resource Science Fellowship

Deadline: Nov. 17, 2016

Value: \$7,500, two awards available

These awards are available to either graduate or senior undergraduate students. Recipients will be selected based on their scholarly achievements, their commitment to research and their demonstrated potential for future contributions to our understanding of the environment.

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Upcoming Events



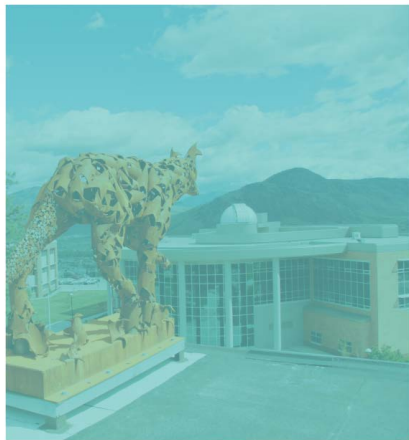
Launch of TRU/United Way Community Research Initiative

When: Oct. 26, 2 to 4 p.m.

Where: TRU Residence & Conference Centre

Participate in the launch of the Community Research Initiative, hosted by Ann McCarthy, Knowledge Mobilization Officer.

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EDSW launches inaugural research seminar series

When: Oct. 26, 4 to 5 p.m.

Where: AE 312

Who: Dr. Edward Howe, "Voices from transborder students: A narrative inquiry of internationalization within a Canadian university."

Education and Social Work launched its inaugural research seminar series Research Provocations, with talks held each Wednesday from 4-5 p.m. in AE 312 through Nov. 30.

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Folklore, Vampires and Narrative Authenticity in New Orleans Dark Tourism

When: Oct. 27, 4:30 to 5:20 p.m.

Where: AE 266

The Department of English and Modern Languages presents Folklore, Vampires and Narrative Authority in New Orleans Dark Tourism.

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Luminocity

When: Oct. 31 to Nov. 8, 2016

Where: Various

Luminocity is a free week-long public art project organized by the Kamloops Art Gallery and featuring several TRU faculty and alumni.

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Mobilizing Knowledge

Presentations

Doan, L. "Supporting the professional identity development of early childhood educators: An induction support pilot project." European Early Childhood Education Research Association Conference, Dublin, Ireland. Sept. 1, 2016.

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Reid, R. & K. Garson. (2016). "Rethinking multicultural group work for intercultural Learning." *Journal of Studies in International Education*. 1-18. DOI: 10.1177/1028315316662981

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