

Fall Convocation

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7:30 PM
IMPERIAL THEATRE

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CONVOCATION MUSIC

District 8 Concert Band
directed by Franco Cucinelli, B.Mus.Ed., B.Ed.

The Saint John String Quartet
Musicians-in-Residence, UNB Saint John

PARADE MARSHALS

Robyn Humphries

Lilly Both
Regena Farnsworth

Kate Frego
Carl Tompkins

Anne Marie McGrath
Carey Ryan

MACE BEARER

Stephen Strople
University Secretary

GRAD CLASS EXECUTIVE

Amanda Hachey
President

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Vice-President, Finance

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Vice-President, Events

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Vice-President, Public Relations

UNB ALUMNI HONOUR GUARD

UNB Saint John is very pleased that members of the University of New Brunswick Associated Alumni could be present to join the Academic Procession and participate in the Convocation Ceremony as a way of welcoming new alumni into the fold. Welcome to the following alumni as the Fall 2003 UNB Alumni Honour Guard.

Tracey Chiasson, BA '92

Don Connolly, BBA '75

Melda Crandell, BN '99

Linda Duff, BBA '87

Geoff Fougere, BSc '95

Elizabeth Hickman, BA '03

Cora Higgins, BA '75

Terry Holt, BBA '81

Gary Hughes, BA '71, MA '92

Kim Hughes, BA '83, MA '00

William Kerr, BA '76

Garth Long, BBA '76

Maxine MacMillan, BA '90, MEd '91

Judy McCrory, BA '00

Jim Stoddart, BBA '91

David Thorne, BBA '91

Anne Walling, BA '94

Bruce Washburn, BA '73, MEd '89

Judy Weeks, BBA '77

Christopher Weir, BA '93; BEd '95

Christine Wilson, BBA '03

ORDER OF PROCEEDINGS

The audience is requested to stand when the Academic Procession arrives and to remain standing until the close of the Petition by the President.

Processional

Pomp and Circumstance by Edward Elgar

Vice-Regal Salute

Chair taken by the Honourable

Herménégilde Chiasson, B.A., B.F.A., M.L., M.F.A., Ph.D., D.H.

Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick

Official Opening

Mace Bearer Stephen Strople, B.A., M.A.

University Secretary

Petition by the President & Vice-Chancellor

John D. McLaughlin, B.Sc.E, M.Sc.E., Ph.D., P.Eng.

Welcome and Remarks by the Chancellor

Richard J. Currie, C.M., B.Sc.Eng., M.B.A., L.L.D, D.Sc.

Greetings and Remarks by the Vice-President (Saint John)

Kathryn B. Hamer, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

Conferring of Honorary Degree

Candidate will be presented by the Campus Orator

Sarah Maier, B.A., M.A., Ph.D.

Doctor of Letters: Kevin Langford

Conferring of Higher Degrees in Course

Candidates will be presented by

Gwendolyn Davies, B.A., Ed.Cert., M.A., Ph.D.

Dean of the School of Graduate Studies

Conferring of Bachelors' Degrees in Course

Candidates will be presented by the Campus Orator

Convocation Address

Dr. Kevin Langford

Salutation to New Alumni

Carey Ryan, B.A., B.Ed., M.Ed.

President, University of New Brunswick Associated Alumni

O Canada

Led by Heather Long Smith, B.S.S.

Recessional

Finale by Johannes Brahms

At the close of the ceremony, following the singing of O Canada, the audience is asked to remain standing until the Academic Procession has left the stage. Graduates, guests and the public are cordially invited to the Convocation Reception in the upper and lower lobbies of the Theatre.

HIGHER DEGREES IN COURSE

Doctor of Philosophy

Gregory Scott MacCallum, <i>Biology</i> <i>Pests, parasites and diseases in Atlantic Canada Clams</i>	Charlottetown, PE
Shaozhao Wang, <i>Chemistry</i> <i>Monoxygenases-based 'Designer Bioreagents' for Baeyer-Villiger Oxidations</i>	China

Master of Arts

Melissa Fran Burgess, <i>Psychology</i> <i>Romantic Love and Relationship Satisfaction:</i> <i>The Roles of Attachment, Caregiving and Sexuality</i>	Saint John, NB
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Master of Science

Hao-Sung Kao, <i>Applied Economics and Finance</i> <i>The Role of Information Technology in International Competitiveness:</i> <i>Taiwan's Experience</i>	Taiwan
Qiang Liu, <i>Physics</i> <i>Ab Initio Study of Conformations of Biological Molecules and</i> <i>CO₂-Laser/Microwave-Sideband Spectroscopy</i>	China
Zhengfeng Liu, <i>Physics</i> <i>Ammonia Detection in the 1.5 um Region with External Cavity Tunable</i> <i>Diode Laser for Trace Gas Monitoring</i>	China

Master of Education

Michael William Butler, <i>Curriculum & Instruction</i>	Saint John, NB
Leslie Alyson Hamilton-Brown, <i>Educational Foundations</i>	Quispamsis, NB
Barry Keith Ogden, <i>Curriculum & Instruction</i>	Quispamsis, NB
Renea Dawn Sleep, <i>Adult Education</i>	Saint John, NB

Master of Business Administration

Nicolas Michel Pascal Aerts	France
Gang Cui	China
Stephane Decaris	France
Aurelie Decker	France
Lei Guo	China
Irfan Hassan	Pakistan
Xiaorui Hua	China
Jian Hui Huang	China
Yong Li	China

Min Lin	China
Alice May Jasmine Palmer	Richmond, BC
Jang Won Son	Korea
Qian Sun	China
Carlos Trambauer Arechavaleta	Uruguay
Xiaoqun Wang	China
Yu Zhao	China

POST-GRADUATE BACHELORS' DEGREES IN COURSE

Bachelor of Education

<i>Consecutive</i> Mary Audrey McDade, BA	Saint John, NB
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BACHELORS' DEGREES IN COURSE

Bachelor of Arts with Honours

<i>First Class Honours</i> Erinor Catherine Jacob, <i>Politics</i> Krista Elaine Skov-Nielsen, <i>English</i>	Saint John, NB Saint John, NB
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Bachelor of Arts with Distinction

Tracey Lynn Burke, <i>Sport & Exercise Psychology</i> Beverly Jean White, <i>Psychology</i>	Long Reach, NB Rothsay, NB
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Bachelor of Arts

<i>Division 1</i> Shyanne Rose Austin, <i>English</i> Yvonne Marie Doiron, <i>Psychology</i>	Saint John, NB Saint John, NB
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Bachelor of Arts

Julie Louise Blanchard, <i>Psychology</i> Lue Carol Bowes-McCutcheon, <i>Psychology</i> Michael Wayne Chapman, <i>Sport & Exercise Psychology</i> Andrea Joan Dunham, <i>Sociology</i> Angela Megan Extell, <i>French, Information and Communication Studies</i> Kristiana Marie Gordon, <i>Psychology</i> Jennifer Lynn Marie Graham, <i>History</i> Danielle Regina Mackin, <i>Sociology</i> Minnie Shirley Mak, <i>Sociology</i> Amy Lynn Mallet, <i>Psychology</i> Natasha Leigh Robichaud, <i>History</i>	Quispamsis, NB Saint John, NB Hampton, NB Saint John, NB Quispamsis, NB Saint John, NB Saint John, NB Saint John, NB Saint John, NB Saint John, NB Saint John, NB Saint John, NB
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Bachelor of Education with Distinction

Beverly Jean White, BA

Rothesay, NB

Bachelor of Education*Division 1*

Shyanne Rose Austin, BA

Saint John, NB

Bachelor of Education

Julie Louise Blanchard, BA

Quispamsis, NB

Bachelor of ScienceSheenah Morah Duclos, *Marine Biology*

Beaverton, ON

Bachelor of Nursing*Division 1*

Tashina Maria McCluskey

Saint John, NB

Bachelor of Nursing

Tammy Ann Lawson, RN

Saint John, NB

Khristie Karla Morrell

Saint John, NB

Bachelor of Business Administration*Division 1*Feng Liu, *Electronic Commerce*

China

Xi Wang, *Accounting, Co-op*

China

Bachelor of Business AdministrationKathleen Jane Bolger-Cole, *Human Resource Management*

Hampton, NB

Tracey Lynn Davis, *Electronic Commerce*

Saint John, NB

Julie Denise Deschenes, *Human Resource Management*

Edmundston, NB

Chris Ernest Ferris

Saint John, NB

Kelly Anne Griffith

Saint John, NB

Ryan Andrew Guillermo, *Electronic Commerce*

Saint John, NB

Yuan Guo, *Economics, Electronic Commerce*

China

James Walter Hummel

Saint John, NB

Crystal Dawn Jones

Riverview, NB

Peng Kong

China

Jingshi Li

China

Ping Li, *Accounting*

China

Hui Meng

China

Glenn Scott Myers

Saint John, NB

Ryan Willard Porter, *Electronic Commerce*

Saint John, NB

Peter Hemphill Struthers, *Co-op*

Saint John, NB

Michael Joseph Watters, *Electronic Commerce*

Saint John, NB

Hui Zeng, *Economics*

China

Ping Zhu, *Economics, Electronic Commerce*

China

Bachelor of Applied Management in Hospitality and Tourism*Division 1*

Eric Shawn Fowler

Saint John, NB

Bachelor of Applied Management in Hospitality and TourismJulie Denise Deschenes, *BBA, Co-op*

Edmundston, NB

Alison Gail Estey

St. Stephen, NB

Jianhua Fang

China

Sarah Elizabeth May

Saint John, NB

Lisa Lynn Scott, *Co-op*

Bedford, NS

KEVIN JAMES LANGFORD to be Doctor of Letters

Excerpts from the Orator's Citation, read during the Convocation Ceremony

In his *Studies in the History of the Renaissance*, an author named Walter Pater evaluated many of the modes of representing beauty; finally, he concluded that "All art constantly aspires towards the condition of music." Let me introduce you to our honorary degree recipient, Kevin James Langford, who has turned his aspiration for music into an art.

The University of New Brunswick today recognizes Kevin Langford as a man who has combined his musical gifts with his desire to educate and enrich the lives of the next generation of children through song. He is a model of dedication to his passion for choral music, of which our community has been the lucky benefactor.

Born in Kingston, Ontario to his parents, Mr and Mrs Glidden Langford, he calls Mount Allison University his *alma mater*, where he received his Bachelor of Music and Bachelor of Music Education. Little did he know that he would, one day, be responsible for teaching music to over five hundred children from kindergarten to grade five!

Kevin Langford's dedication to music and the teaching of choral singing goes far beyond his "duty" as a teacher at Rothesay Elementary School. Selfless with his time, countless noon hours, evenings and weekends are devoted to the conducting of youth choirs and to fundraising events for local charities. An adjudicator of music festivals and a director of countless award-winning school choirs who have performed for dignitaries and at many celebrations, he has been applauded by his peers both literally with standing ovations, and figuratively with the New Brunswick Music Conductors' trophy – on nine occasions – as well as a Paul Harris Fellowship from the Rotary Club.

We are not alone in our wish to laud Kevin Langford. Honoured with a Canada 125 award in 1994, which identified his significant contributions to youth in the community, his excellence was further acknowledged in esteemed company when he was bestowed the Governor General's Caring Canadian Award this past August. For the latter award, the citation makes particular mention of his altruism: "despite the fact that his reputation allows him to command high fees for his services, he frequently chooses to conduct and teach free of charge when money is scarce." It is his desire to share music with all those young people who wish to learn, irrespective of whether or not they have the ability to pay, which matters to this man whom we recognize today.

When asked, colleagues and friends call him a "wonderful citizen...who does not shy away from a cause" and whose "humanity" can always "be counted on" to drive him to act with the integrity and enthusiasm which has, beyond official accolades, won him the hearts of legions of students.

Honorary degrees are granted to individuals who exemplify those values cherished by our academic community. Indeed, Kevin Langford stands before you – graduands who are poised to take your place in society and who are ready to succeed in all your endeavours – as an exemplar of a successful man who measures his wealth not in money, but in music learned and in songs shared.

Insignissime Praeses, amplissime Cancellari, tota Universitas, praesento vobis Coemgenum Iacobum Langford, ut admittatur honoris causa ad gradum Doctoris in Litteris in hac Universitate.

ABOUT THE CONVOCATION CEREMONY

The Convocation Procession

The word "convocation" means "calling together," and UNB's convocation is truly a gathering of all individuals who are part of the University – students, professors, administrators, staff, alumni, families, and friends. The ceremony starts with the procession of students, special guests, faculty, members of the Senate and of the Board of Governors, the honorary degree recipient(s), the President and Vice-Chancellor, the Chancellor and the Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick.

The Stage

All of the formalities around convocation take place on the stage. The stage is occupied by the Lieutenant-Governor, representatives of the Federal, Provincial and Municipal governments, the University's Chancellor, the President and Vice-Chancellor, members of the University's Board of Governors, University officials such as Vice-Presidents, Deans and Directors, University alumni, those holding emeritus status and the honorary degree recipient(s). The flags on display represent the countries that are home to the international students currently studying at UNB Saint John. The banners displayed on the stage represent the various faculties in which students may study at UNB Saint John.

Academic Dress

It is part of the ceremony to wear the academic dress of the institution. It is for this reason that all of the students wear the gown, hood and cap, as do most of the University's faculty and officials. At UNB Saint John, the University's alumni are also invited to wear their academic attire and join the procession.

Latin in the Ceremony

"Although Latin has long ceased to be the language of instruction for all university courses, it is traditional to retain it for limited use on occasions of great academic solemnity, such as university convocations. The use of Latin today is a symbol of our academic descent from these earliest universities of mediaeval Europe and a humble reminder that the search for truth is both new and ancient." (TJC)

The Ceremonial Mace

The mace symbolizes the authority of the University to award degrees. Introduced in 1996, UNB's ceremonial mace features an antique silver cup atop a wooden shaft. The George II two-handled cup was given to the University in 1995 by S.A.H. Bridge, the great-great-grandson of Sir Howard Douglas, Bar^t. Sir Howard, Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick from 1823 to 1831, was instrumental in gaining the University's Royal charter. The shaft was created by New Brunswick artisan Michiel Oudemans. Crafted from butternut, a wood indigenous to the province, it features elements of the UNB coat of arms and symbols of New Brunswick: the University motto, *Sapere aude* (Dare to know); a book of learning; beavers (in honour of Lord Beaverbrook, the University's first modern-day Chancellor); a galley; fiddleheads; and Atlantic salmon.

The mace is carried in the procession by the University Secretary.

ACADEMIC DRESS

All graduates and members of the academic procession are attired in the basic elements of academic dress – the academic robe, the hood and the mortar board or Tudor hat. The dress worn by each participant depends upon the academic level attained, with special attire for Bachelors, Masters and Doctors. While tradition has indicated the style or cut of the academic attire, each university amends certain details to suit its particular tastes and traditions. Following is a guide to ceremonial attire worn by UNB Saint John graduates:

GOWNS

Undergraduates	Plain black stuff, sleeveless
Bachelors	Black stuff falling below knee, with full sleeves reaching to the wrist and terminating in a point
Masters	Black silk or stuff falling below knee, with long sleeves with semi-circular cut bottom
Doctors	Scarlet cloth, faced with silk of the same colour as the lining of the hood worn

HOODS

B.A.	Black stuff bordered with white fur
B.A.Sc.	Black stuff bordered with white fur and scarlet band
B.Sc.	Black stuff lined with scarlet silk bordered with white fur
B.Sc. (Applied)	Black stuff lined with green silk bordered with white fur
B.B.A.	Black stuff lined with light brown silk bordered with white fur
B.N.	Black stuff lined with salmon pink silk bordered with white fur
B.Ed.	Black stuff lined with blue grey silk bordered with white fur
B.H.S.	Black stuff lined with teal silk bordered with white fur
B.A.M.	Black stuff lined with bright gold silk bordered with white fur
M.A.	Black silk lined with crimson silk
M.Sc., M.C.S.	Black silk lined with white bordered with scarlet
M.Sc.E.	Black silk lined with white silk bordered with green
M.Ed.	Black silk lined with blue grey silk bordered with crimson
M.N.	Black silk lined with white silk bordered with peach
M.B.A.	Black silk lined with white silk bordered with light brown
Ph.D.	Scarlet cloth with dark blue silk lining
L.L.D.	Scarlet cloth with pale pink silk lining
D.Sc.	Scarlet cloth with white corded silk lining
D.C.L.	Scarlet cloth with pale blue silk lining
D.Litt.	Scarlet cloth with grey silk lining

HONORARY DEGREE

Orator: Insignissime Praeses, amplissime Cancellari,
tota Universitas, praesento vobis

ut admittatur honoris causa ad gradum

in hac Universitate.

Praeses: Ego admitto te

honoris causa ad gradum

in Universitate Novi Brunsvici.

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Orator: Most distinguished President, most noble Chancellor,
all the University, I present to you

that (s)he may be admitted for honour's sake to the degree of

in this University.

President: I admit you

for honour's sake to the degree of

in the University of New Brunswick

DOCTOR OF PHILOSOPHY

Orator: Insignissime Praeses, amplissime Cancellari, supplicat
Senatui et huic venerabili Collegio Gubernatorum

ut admittatur ad gradum Philosophiae Doctoris.

Praeses: Placetne vobis, Senatores, placetne Gubernatores, ut
haec supplicator admittatur?

Gubernatores
et Senatores: Placet.

Orator: Insignissime Praeses, amplissime Cancellari, tota
Universitas, praesento vobis hunc supplicatorem ut
admittatur ad gradum Philosophiae Doctoris, testorque
illum, quoad omnia quae statuta nostra requirant
aptum et idoneum esse.

Praeses: Ego admitto te ad gradum Philosophiae Doctoris in
Universitate Novi Brunsvici.

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Orator: Most distinguished President, there supplicates the
Senate and this venerable Board of Governors

that (s)he may be admitted to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy.

President: Is it your pleasure, Senators, is it your pleasure,
Governors, that the supplicant be admitted?

Governors
& Senators: It is our pleasure.

Orator: Most distinguished President, most noble Chancellor, all
the University, I present to you this supplicant that (s)he
may be admitted to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy,
and I testify that (s)he, so far as all our statutes require, is
fit and suitable.

President: I admit you to the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the
University of New Brunswick.

MASTERS' AND BACHELORS' DEGREES

Orator: Insignissime Praeses, amplissime Cancellari, supplicant
Senatui et huic venerabili Collegio Gubernatorum quorum
nomina ac studia iam rite cognita sunt et promulgata, ut
admittantur ad proprium Magistri (Baccalaurei) gradum, in
sua quisque Facultate.

Praeses: Placetne vobis, Senatores, placetne Gubernatores,
ut hi supplicatores admittantur?

Gubernatores
et Senatores: Placet.

Orator: Insignissime Praeses, amplissime Cancellari, tota Universitas,
praesento vobis hosce supplicatores in supra dictis Facultatibus,
ut admittantur ad proprium Magistri (Baccalaurei) gradum, in sua
quisque facultate; testorque illos quoad omnia quae statuta nostra
requirant aptos et idoneos esse.

Praeses: Ego admitto vos ad gradum Magistri
(Baccalaurei) in Universitate Novi Brunsvici.

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Orator: Most distinguished President, there supplicate the Senate and
this venerable Board of Governors whose names and studies are
now formally made known and proclaimed, that they may be
admitted to their proper degree of Master (Bachelor) each
in his (her) own Faculty.

President: Is it your pleasure, Senators, is it your pleasure,
Governors, that these supplicants be admitted?

Governors
& Senators: It is our pleasure.

Orator: Most distinguished President, most noble Chancellor, all the
University, I present to you these supplicants in the above
mentioned faculties that they may be admitted to their proper
degree of Master (Bachelor), each in his (her) own Faculty; and
I testify that they, so far as all our statutes require, are fit and suitable.

President: I admit you to the degree of Master (Bachelor)
in the University of New Brunswick.

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Convocation Committee

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Gina Wilkins

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