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Saint Mary's Celebrates Launch of \$25.5 Million Science Renewal Project

Students, faculty, staff and friends of Saint Mary's University ushered in the new academic year with a ceremonial sod-turning on September 14, 2005. The event was held to celebrate the recent commencement of the University's highly anticipated \$25.5 million Science Building Renewal project.

The project, which began in March 2005, includes the modernization of 71,500 square feet of research space in addition to the construction of 22,500 square feet of premium teaching space at the north end of the building. It is scheduled for completion in September 2008.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's University, stated that the Science Building Renewal reflects the University's Strategic Directions and Academic Plan. "Renovation and renewal are among our chief strategic priorities," said Dr. Dodds. "The Science Building project, in particular, is poised to significantly enhance our research capacity in addition to the caliber of academic experience that we offer to our students."

Dr. David Richardson, Dean of Science, noted that students will be able to take full advantage of the renovations as they are completed. "The needs of our students, faculty and staff have remained our top priority throughout the planning process," said Dr. Richardson, adding that operational function of as much space as possible will be retained throughout the project.

The Building houses the Departments of Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Studies, and Geology along with related programs and services. Each faculty member will benefit from separate research and office space as a result of the project.

The University has engaged the design services of Davison Seamone Rickard Adams (DSRA) Architects Inc., while Aecon Group Inc. has been selected to manage the construction (cont. page 3)



Left to right: Father Con Mulvihill, Chaplain; Gabrielle Morrison, Vice-President of Administration; Vanessa Kavanagh, student enrolled in the Master of Applied Science Program (major in Plant Physiology); Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's; and Dr. David Richardson, Dean of Science, prepare to turn the sod.

Sobeys, Empire & Sobeys Foundation Donate \$2 Million to Saint Mary's University

Gift directed to financial aid for students and support for construction of new Atrium

On September 24, 2005, Sobeys Inc., Empire Company Limited and The Sobeys Foundation announced a \$2 million gift to the Saint Mary's University Hearts and Minds Capital Campaign. The donation will fund both scholarships and capital construction.

The announcement was made by Paul D. Sobeys, President and CEO of Empire Company Limited and Chair of the University's Hearts and Minds Capital Campaign; Bill McEwan, President and CEO of Sobeys Inc.; and Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's University.

The gift will provide a number of scholarships in perpetuity each year for undergraduate students enrolled in The Sobeys School of Business at Saint Mary's. It will also be directed to construction of a new Atrium to connect the Patrick Power Library with a renovated Science Building.



\$2 Million Touchdown in Huskies Stadium! Flanked by two Huskies wide receivers, left to right: Bill McEwan, President and CEO of Sobeys Inc., Paul D. Sobeys, President and CEO of Empire Company Limited and Chair of the University's Hearts and Minds Capital Campaign, Zach Churchill, President of SMUSA, and Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's.

"It is our intention that this endowment provide more students with access to higher education and support the goal of enhancing facilities to make Saint Mary's a compelling choice for both students and members of the academic community," Mr. Sobeys said. "I am proud of my family's long history with this University, and proud that our companies and The Sobeys Foundation can make this contribution."

"Our unique relationship goes well beyond the financial support that we have provided over the years," said Mr. McEwan. "We look to Saint Mary's as an important source of great minds, fresh perspectives and unbridled energy to help fuel our business success, not just in Atlantic Canada, but across the country."

Dr. Dodds said that the gift builds on a strong and valued relationship between the University, the Sobeys family and the leadership at Sobeys and Empire. "The endowment to our Hearts and Minds Capital Campaign strengthens an already substantial commitment to our world class Sobeys School of Business and adds in a substantial way to the funds required for building improvements that will enhance the learning environment for our students," he stated.

The University has a decades-long association with the Sobeys family. The late Frank H. Sobeys was awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws from the University and, in the early 1990s, the University named its Commerce Faculty the Frank H. Sobeys Faculty of Commerce.

David F. Sobeys, Chairman Emeritus of Sobeys Inc., was appointed to the University's Board of Directors in the mid-1980s and served as Chair of Saint Mary's Building on Strength Capital Campaign which raised in excess of \$24 million in the 1990s for a number of student-focused initiatives including the creation of the Sobeys Building – home to the University's business school. David F. Sobeys received an honorary Doctor of Commerce (honoris causa) from Saint Mary's in 1991.

The capital initiative supported by this most recent gift is the \$25.5 million Science Building Renewal Project which began this past March. It includes modernization of 71,500 square feet of research space and an additional 22,500 square feet of premium teaching and research space at the north end of the Science Building – which will continue to house to the Departments of Biology, Chemistry, Environmental Studies, and Geology. In addition, a new (cont. page 2)

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Saint Mary's Mourns the Loss of Richard (Dick) MacLean

It was with deep sadness that the University community learned of the sudden passing of Richard (Dick) MacLean on September 19, 2005 at age 63. A member of the Board of Governors and one of our most passionate alumni, Dick worked tirelessly on behalf of Saint Mary's for more than 40 years. In addition to his extensive involvement in alumni activities, Dick embraced an active role in the University's strategic planning and implementation on a variety of fronts. His Saint Mary's involvement also extended to the athletic arena where he served as Assistant Coach of the Men's Basketball Team for five years.



Dick MacLean, 1942-2005

A beloved husband and father, educator and community leader, he was the son of the late Henry and Mabel (MacInnis) MacLean. He is survived by his wife of 40 years, Carol, four children: Richard (Leticia), Halifax; Robert (Zumra), New York City; Ted (Micala), Halifax and; Holly (John), Toronto; beloved grandson, Theodore and; brother J. Wayne (Ann), Halifax. He was pre-deceased by his parents and twin brother James Innis (Anne).

An acclaimed educator and stalwart supporter of his community, Dick contributed his time and talents to a wide variety of organizations and initiatives. After a rewarding 27-year career as a principal in the Halifax District School Board, including nearly 20 years at Bloomfield School where he instituted the city's first hot lunch program, he accepted a position as special assistant to the Mayor of the Halifax Regional Municipality in 1996. A well-known and highly

respected political strategist for many decades, Dick held this position until 2000 while continuing his volunteer efforts on behalf of numerous charitable and community initiatives. In semi-retirement, he took on a new challenge in 2001, traveling for extended periods to Campeche, Mexico where he and Carol taught English as a Second Language.

Dick demonstrated an unparalleled commitment to community service, as evidenced by his involvement in a diverse cross-section of organizations. He served as Chair of the Halifax-Mexico Community Alliance, the Nova Scotia Boxing Authority, the Halifax Housing Authority, the Halifax City Recreation Committee, the International Youth Gaelic Boxing Group, Nova Scotia Wheelchair Sports, and as Co-Chair of the Halifax Residential Tenancies Board. At the national level, he was President of the Canadian Amateur Boxing Association, Vice-President of the Canadian Professional Boxing Association, and a member of the Federal Royal Commission Task Force on Boxing. Dick also served as representative of the Commonwealth Games Boxing organization, as Canada's Olympic Boxing representative in 1980 and 1984 and, in the United States, as Consultant to the White House Presidential Advisory Board, Olympic Boycott, in 1980. In light of his extensive contributions to the sport, Dick was inducted into the Canadian Boxing Hall of Fame in 2000.

Born in Cheticamp, N.S., Dick held a Bachelor of Arts degree and Bachelor of Education degree from Dalhousie University. He earned a Master of Arts degree from Saint Mary's University where he became one of the institution's most active alumni. Dick served as a passionate ambassador for Saint Mary's, working on behalf of the Alumni Association, Athletics and Recreation, and in support of the University's strategic directions and fundraising. In 2003, he was appointed to the Board of Governors where he embraced the opportunity to help shape the future of his alma mater.

In recognition of his many philanthropic and community efforts, Dick has been a recipient of the Nova Scotia Community Volunteer award, the City of Halifax Award for Outstanding Service, and the Canadian Parks and Recreation Association Award of Merit.

Donations can be made to the R.H. (Dick) MacLean Leadership Award at Saint Mary's University (c/o The Development Department) or Hope Cottage, both of which were very important to Dick and his family.



Following the tug-of-war, students, faculty and staff took time to pose for a group photo.

Saint Mary's Comes Together to Support United Way University Exceeds Goal of \$30,000

Thanks to the generosity and community spirit of students, faculty and staff, the 2005 Saint Mary's United Way campaign has been a resounding success. Following an impressive 2004 campaign in which the University community raised \$26,000, an even more ambitious target of \$30,000 was set for this year. Thanks in large part to a significant increase in faculty and staff participation, we have not only met this year's goal – we have exceeded it.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's University, stated that the theme of this year's campaign, "My Hands Can Make a Difference," resonates with the Saint Mary's community. "At Saint Mary's, we place the utmost value on giving back to our community," said Dodds. "We are pleased to be able to come together once again in support of an organization that has such a direct impact on improving quality of life in our neighbourhood."

This year's campaign, which ran from September 26 through October 21, 2005, was organized by the Saint Mary's University Business Development Centre (SMUBDC), with Shelley Hessian, Manager of Programs and Training, taking on a lead role. Hessian was supported by her team at the SMUBDC including Emma Martin and Michael Sanderson in addition to numerous canvassers recruited from departments across campus.

A strong force in our community for more than 75 years, the United Way is always quick to provide help in times of crisis or despair. In the aftermath of Hurricane Juan in 2003, the United Way swiftly responded by setting up a Neighbourhood Rebuilding Fund to assist those who were hit hardest.

Catherine J. Woodman, President and Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the United Way of Halifax Region, stated that the organization's goal for 2005 is to raise \$5.3 million. "We are fully confident that we can reach this year's goal," said Woodman. "Any gift that you can provide, no matter how large or small, will have a direct impact upon bettering our neighbourhood."

United Way of Halifax Region is recognized across Canada as a leader in community building. In addition to raising funds, coordinating volunteer time and skills, and bringing people and organizations together, United Way invests in agencies and neighbourhoods to make a measurable difference in our community. The areas of focus include support of young children and families, fostering individual well-being and self-sufficiency, increasing safety in homes and neighbourhoods, and strengthening the voluntary sector.

Sobey Gift (Continued from page 1)

state-of-the-art Atrium will be home to a large student common area with study rooms as well as the Department of Astronomy and Physics and the Division of Engineering. Construction is scheduled to be completed in 2008.

A presentation to announce the donation from Sobey's, Empire Company and The Sobey Foundation was made in front of thousands of Santamarians who packed Huskies Stadium for an interlocking CIS football game between the Saint Mary's Huskies and staunch rival l'Universite Laval Rouge et Or.



From October 10-16, 2005, Saint Mary's University welcomed alumni from across Canada and around the world in celebration of Homecoming Week. One of the highlights of the week was the Alumni Association's Annual Alumni Dinner, held on October 12, 2005 at the Casino Nova Scotia Hotel. In attendance: Back row, left-to-right: Walter Fitzgerald, former mayor of Halifax; Ted MacLean, and Richard MacLean, Saint Mary's alumni and sons of the late Dick MacLean (see story left). Front Row: Zach Churchill, SMUSA President; Carol MacLean (Assoc. 05), and Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President. Carol MacLean, wife of the beloved Dick MacLean, was honoured with Associate Alumni status at the event.

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Industry Liaison Office and the CN Centre for Occupational Health and Safety Host Joint Reception in St. John's

Saint Mary's University Industry Liaison Office and the CN Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CNCOHS) hosted a special reception in St. John's, Newfoundland on September 13, 2005. The event brought together numerous health and safety professionals from the offshore petroleum sector while highlighting Dr. Mark Fleming's research in Safety Culture. Among the safety experts in attendance were representatives from Exxon Mobil, Encana Corporation, Husky Energy, the offshore regulatory boards, Chevron Canada Resources, and Seabase-Maersk. Collectively, the experts have territorial responsibilities in Nova Scotia, Newfoundland, and Alberta.



Attendees at the September 13, 2005 reception included, left to right: Capt. Rick Strong, Maersk-Seabase; Sharon Hiscock, Hibernia-Exxon Mobil; Drew Taylor, Chevron Canada Resources; Dr. Mark Fleming, Saint Mary's University; Carl Tonn, Encana Corporation; Carey Ryan, Petroleum Research Atlantic Canada; David Day, Hibernia-Exxon Mobil; Howard Pike, Canada Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Board; Ken Dyer, Husky Energy; Kara Arnold, Memorial University; Peter Noel (hidden), Canada Newfoundland Offshore Petroleum Board; Dr. Kevin Kelloway, Saint Mary's; Dr. Kevin Vessey, Saint Mary's; Neil Dawe, Canada Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Board; Dr. Kate DuPre, Memorial University.

Dr. Kevin Vessey, Dean of Graduate Studies and Research, Saint Mary's University, opened the evening with welcoming remarks and an introduction to Dr. Fleming and CNCOHS.

Dr. Fleming's presentation focused on the importance of fostering a "safety culture" within an organization. To illustrate how such a culture can be achieved, he presented the Safety Culture Improvement Model. Fleming outlined how the model breaks safety culture into five developmental stages or levels of maturity. Organizations establish their current level of maturity through a series of workshops, surveys and audits and then identify actions or "opportunities for improvement" necessary to move to the next level of maturity. The promotion of correct behaviours is critical to advancing to great levels of maturity and, ultimately, to improving safety culture in the workplace.

CNCOHS is currently working with industry and research partners in the offshore petroleum sector and is focused on broadening its network. By expanding its partnership base, CNCOHS will build its research capacity and serve as a leader in occupational health and safety innovation in North America.

The offshore petroleum sector is continually striving to better protect the health and safety of its workers. All of the event attendees expressed strong interest in learning more about the timely topic of safety culture and how it could positively impact their industry.

Many of the reception guests also attended the industry-government sponsored Offshore Safety R&D workshop the following day during which Dr. Fleming's presentation was a common "break time" topic of conversation. The presentation was so well received by those attending the reception that it has given rise to the possibility of the CNCOHS hosting a half-day workshop on safety culture for offshore operating companies in the near future.

The Industry Liaison Office, in collaboration with Dr. Fleming, will continue to follow-up with other reception attendees to further cultivate working relationships within the industry.

Science Renewal Project (Continued from page 1)

component of the project. DSRA previously served as Design Group for the Sobey, Loyola and Tower projects. Aecon Group Inc. has extensive expertise in the management of large multi-phase institutional construction projects such as the Science Building Renewal.

Dr. Richardson noted that – in addition to optimizing research space and lab capacity – the Science Building will harmonize with the University's planned Atrium Building in function and appearance.

"The Science Building Renewal represents a milestone in the evolution and growth of Saint Mary's as a whole," said Richardson. "We look forward to bringing the tangible benefits of this project to the University, the research community, and beyond."

Saint Mary's Launches Campus Master Plan Process

A key challenge facing any university is how to ensure that the physical facilities and amenities of the campus continue to meet the needs of its users as the university evolves into the future. Saint Mary's is currently addressing this challenge through the development of a Campus Master Plan.

Gabrielle Morrison, Vice-President, Administration, Saint Mary's University, serves as Chair of the Campus Master Planning Steering Committee. She stated that the Master Plan will be developed in conjunction with the University's Strategic Directions. "It will guide our campus evolution and growth over the next 30 years," said Ms. Morrison. "It will be developed with input from faculty, staff, students, and the community, and will embody our vision, mission, and values."

Ten Guiding Principles

1. The Plan should provide enough flexibility to implement the University's strategic priorities over the long term.
2. The Plan should assist the University in a continued emphasis on excellence in teaching and research.
3. The Plan should help strengthen physical and virtual linkages with the world at large.
4. The Campus must be accessible to all.
5. Campus growth should be mindful of its neighbours and minimize outward expansion.
6. Campus growth should be based on the principles of sustainable development and demonstrate proactive and responsible stewardship for Campus green spaces.
7. The Campus should become a vibrant area throughout the day, in all seasons, and offer an unparalleled quality of life.
8. The Campus should provide a network of high quality open spaces and a pedestrian priority environment.
9. The Campus should encourage interdisciplinary collaboration and informal interaction.
10. New buildings that complement existing facilities should be integrated into the campus fabric.

Once developed, the Campus Master Plan will address specific issues such as how buildings and facilities should be placed in relation to campus open spaces; how to meet parking needs and improve vehicular and transit access to the campus; how to guide the design of new buildings and significant additions to ensure that they fit within our environment; and how to facilitate the creation of open spaces and pedestrian networks that are safe, functional and attractive.

To prepare this Plan, the University has engaged the services of Brook McIlroy (BMI) Planning and Urban Design of Toronto. BMI has developed Campus Master Plans for numerous universities across Canada including the University of New Brunswick (Fredericton and Saint John), the University of Prince Edward Island, Cape Breton University, the University of Saskatchewan, and the University of Lethbridge.

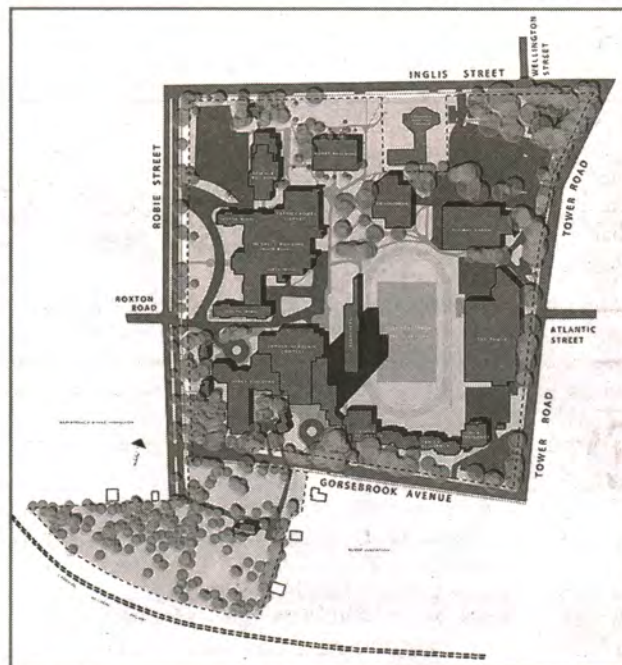
The process began in earnest in July 2005 when the consultants from BMI visited Saint Mary's to study the campus setting and conduct interviews with numerous members of the University community. This process of "taking the pulse" of the campus to gain a thorough understanding of our priorities continued on September 22 and 23 with a series of Visioning Workshops and Open Houses for students, faculty, staff and neighbours. Through these forums, interviews, and other feedback mechanisms such as an online "Question of the Week," the consultants have been receiving substantial input from our many stakeholders.

Calvin Brook, Principal, BMI, stated that the Saint Mary's community has demonstrated a strong desire to provide feedback and actively participate in the process. He noted that several issues such as availability of parking, office space, study areas, and research space have consistently been raised as key priorities.

On October 27 and 28 (details page 6), the consultants from BMI will hold a second set of Open Houses at which they will present a background

report based on research and feedback received to date. They will submit a final report of recommendations in January 2006. With Board approval, the Master Plan will serve as a guiding resource in the configuration and location of specific capital projects as they evolve, ensuring that these projects contribute to a strong sense of place and an enhanced physical environment that supports the University's Strategic Directions and Academic Plan.

Information about the Campus Master Plan process is located on the Saint Mary's website at www.smu.ca/masterplan. All members of the University community are encouraged to become involved in the process by



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attending the Open Houses, responding to the online Questions of the Week, and by communicating your priorities and concerns via e-mail to masterplan@smu.ca or to members of the Master Plan Steering Committee. The complete list of Steering Committee members is available in the Master Plan section of the University website.

Said Ms. Morrison, "We are looking forward to working with all members of the Saint Mary's community to develop a Master Plan that will shape the future of our University Campus."

Couple Leaves Legacy to Saint Mary's University through \$400,000 Endowment

Students at Saint Mary's University will benefit from a significant bequest made by two of its long-time supporters. The late Vincent and Eileen (nee Sheehan) Coy have bequeathed \$400,000 to help champion the education of students at the University through the provision of scholarships and bursaries.



The late Vincent and Eileen Coy have bequeathed \$400,000 to fund scholarships and bursaries at Saint Mary's.

The Coy Family Endowment will fund four scholarships and four bursaries on an annual basis, and all have been awarded for the first time this year.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's, expressed gratitude for the Coys' generosity on behalf of the University and its students. "It is with the deepest appreciation that we accept this most generous gift," said Dodds. "Vincent and Eileen Coy were beloved and respected individuals who embraced Saint Mary's vision of accessibility and community engagement. These scholarships and bursaries will serve as their legacy for years to come."

This year's scholarship recipients are Jordan d'Eon (Pubnico, NS), Dubravka Gavric (Middleton, NS), Vanessa Little (Halifax, NS), and Dalia Hussein Dajani (Amman, Jordan). The bursary recipients are Wendy Robinson (Stewiacke, NS), Randon Wright (Dartmouth, NS), Georgina Harvey (Ghana, Africa) and Maureen Kimani (Nairobi, Kenya).

The executors of the Coys' estate, James Wolfe and Maureen Driscoll, noted an inherent symbolism in the bequest. "Vincent and Eileen did not have children of their own," said Wolfe. "This endowment was their way of providing for a future generation in a tangible and meaningful way."

A proud Santamarian, Vincent Coy entered Freshman Arts at Saint Mary's in 1924. He began his Engineering course the following year and then went on to earn a degree in Electrical Engineering from the Nova Scotia Technical College. He served as the Senior Electrical Engineer for NS Light and Power Company Limited for many years until his retirement in 1973. Eileen Coy, who held a Bachelor of Arts degree in Education from Mount Saint Vincent University, worked as a teacher in the Halifax public school system.

The couple married in 1935, and were charter members of the Canadian Martyrs Church. In addition to contributing to various community organizations, they were well-known as avid golfers and travellers.

Recipients of scholarships and bursaries made possible by the Coy Family Endowment are determined by Saint Mary's Financial Aid and Admissions Offices. Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement, with a value of approximately \$4,000 each, while Bursaries will be awarded on the basis of financial need, with a value of approximately \$1,200.

Saint Mary's Launches New Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace

Saint Mary's University officially opened its new Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace this summer with an international conference. It is the first academic-based centre for work and spirituality in Canada.

The goal of the Centre will be to positively influence dialogue and activities in the area of spirituality and the workplace at a global level. The Scotiabank Conference Theatre in the Sobeys Building was the venue for the launch of the conference where a number of world renowned speakers from both business and academia made presentations on this subject.

"Through relationships with universities in the region, Canada and the United States, the Centre will make Atlantic Canada a global leader in this field," said Dr. Cathy Driscoll, a management professor in the Sobeys School of Business who also serves as the Executive Director of the Centre. Driscoll stated that the Centre will develop courses and programs, conduct research, publish, and hold conferences about the importance of spirituality in the workplace.

The Chair of the International Board of Directors of the Centre is Martin Rutte, co-author of The New York Times Business Bestseller *Chicken Soup for the Soul at Work* and President of Livelihood Inc, which is located in Santa Fe, NM (USA).

"Over the past several years, there have been dramatic changes in what work is. Downsizing, outsourcing, and technology replacing people, have all contributed to a loss of spirit at work," he said. "As a result, people are looking for something deeper, something of significance, for purpose. Many want to turn to the spiritual, but are afraid of dogma or have childhood hurts about religion."

The result, Rutte said, is "fertile ground" for a search for greater meaning at work and for a new perspective on spirituality. He said companies would be wise to support the kind of spiritual inquiry that many of their workers are currently seeking.

"The benefits can be quite astounding," he said. "Aside from offering people a sense of authenticity, so that they can truly be themselves at work, a more spiritual workplace also gives people a sense of community and joy. They are more innovative and are more energized."

"It is important that spirituality initiatives remain voluntary and non-threatening," he said. "As a result, for any initiatives - which include the 'religious' - there is no proselytizing, no trying in any way to force something on people. We want people to want to engage in this topic out of a free and natural choice, out of a desire to be more spiritual at work."

The field is rapidly growing, as is evidenced by the fact that nearly 200 books on the subject have been published.

For more information on the Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace, visit www.spiritualityandtheworkplace.ca.

Medical Laboratory Workers Subject of New Book by Canada Research Chair

Medical laboratory workers play a crucial role in the health care system but are often hidden from public view. This is one of the findings of Dr. Peter Twohig, Canada Research Chair and associate professor in Atlantic Canada Studies at Saint Mary's University, in his new book. Twohig is the author of *Labour in the Laboratory* (McGill-Queen's University Press, 2005) which recently hit the shelves at bookstores across Canada.

"His book is an extensive piece of work that offers an intimate portrait of the women and men who laboured in the lab in the Maritimes from 1900 to 1950.

His work shows that the history of health care looks different when viewed from the laboratory; that is, from the perspective of health care workers other than physicians or nurses. It also shows how many health care workers filled multiple roles, challenging traditional ideas of professional boundaries and exclusive control over particular tasks.

Using evidence from the Maritime provinces, Twohig challenges assumptions about health care work and hospital development in Canada and beyond. "The history of health care in the Maritimes is something of an orphan," he said.

"While great strides have been made in the field nationally in recent years, only a few historians of the Atlantic region have turned their attention to the history of health despite a flourishing regional scholarship."

He indicates that laboratory workers today constitute the third largest segment of health professionals in Canada - the vast majority of whom, roughly 80%, are women.

"I have uncovered evidence of their work in medical and nursing journals, annual reports of government departments and hospitals, and in the records of their national society," he explained.

"The result is this book, a case study of a single health care occupation in the first half of the 20th century. Much of the case study is focused on Halifax, though I pay attention to other areas of the Maritime provinces as well. I believe that the issues addressed by the book hold important lessons for contemporary debates about health human resource planning, a key aspect of Canada's health care debate."

The book has received rave reviews from across Canada. To learn more about Dr. Twohig's work, *Labour in the Laboratory*, visit the McGill-Queen University Press website at www.mqup.ca.

For more information on Dr. Twohig, visit <http://www.smu.ca/administration/gorsebrook/canreschair.htm>.



Dr. Peter Twohig, Canada Research Chair and associate professor in Atlantic Canada Studies, has written *Labour in the Laboratory* (McGill-Queen's University Press, 2005).



On September 21, 2005, CUPE Local 4406, which represents instructors at the Teaching English as a Second Language (TESL) Centre, signed a new contract with Saint Mary's University.

Seated left to right: Caroline Higgins, President CUPE Local 4406; Dr J. Colin Dodds, President
Standing left to right: Daphne Tucker, Institutional Analysis and Planning; Kim Squires, Director, Human Resources; Mary Tobe, TESL Instructor; Gabrielle Morrison, VP Administration - University Chief Negotiator; Peter Baxter, National Representative, CUPE, Chief Negotiator; Jason Doucette, TESL Instructor; Sara Devanney, TESL Instructor

Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood Campaign Enters Second Year

Volunteerism Major Focus

Saint Mary's University, in cooperation with the Halifax Regional Municipality (HRM), has launched its 2005 Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood campaign.



Emeka Chinabu, SMUSA Vice-President, External Affairs (left) and Adam Lordon, SMUSA Volunteer Coordinator, add some donations to one of the drop-off boxes that were set up on campus as part of SMUSA's Community Clothing Drive.

Now in its second year, the initiative – which is being coordinated by the University's Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood Committee – is aimed at promoting a culture of cooperation and respect between students and residents of the south end community. The Committee includes representatives from Student Services, Residence Department, External Affairs, Security, Off-Campus Housing, the 2005 Orientation Committee, and the Saint Mary's University Students' Association (SMUSA).

"We pride ourselves on the positive relationship that we hold with our neighbours, and we are looking forward to building on the success of last year's campaign," said Zach Churchill, President of SMUSA. "Our main goals this year are to foster positive relationships with our neighbours, to provide Saint Mary's students with information and resources about residential living, and to raise awareness of their rights and responsibilities as members of a shared neighbourhood," he said.

SMUSA introduced the details of the campaign to students during Orientation Week from September 1 through September 10, 2005. Throughout the 2005-2006 academic year, they will continue to work rigorously in spreading the word about the Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood campaign to students.

Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood brochures and window cards were distributed in student orientation packs, along with information on HRM's waste and recycling program. Saint Mary's students have also distributed information about residential living to students and landlords living throughout the south end. The campaign is being heavily promoted through residence – Loyola, Vanier and Rice – via Residence Assistants (RAs).

One of the more exciting dimensions of this year's campaign is the introduction of a stronger student-led volunteer program. Adam Lordon, SMUSA Volunteer Coordinator, stated that SMUSA is committed to reaching out to its neighbours to help make a difference in their community.

The volunteer aspect of the Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood Campaign kicked off on Thursday, September 29, 2005 when more than 20 Saint Mary's students and SMUSA members hit the streets of south end Halifax to launch a week-long Community Clothing Drive. Equipped with clear recycling bags donated by Sobeys, information about the Clothing Drive, and window cards supporting the Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood campaign, the students canvassed homes throughout the immediate area.

"The SMUSA Community Clothing Drive is one of many initiatives whereby Saint Mary's students will go out into our community to actively give back throughout the year," said Lordon. "We will be looking to strengthen our relationships with our neighbours while making a difference in the lives of others."

The students saw the results of their efforts on October 3 and 4 when they returned to the households to pick up donations. They also set up donation bins on the Saint Mary's campus in the Dockside Cafeteria and at the SMUSA Information Desk in the Student Centre. Lordon stated that all clothing collected by SMUSA has been donated to Hand in Hand, a Halifax-based charity. Hand in Hand will sell the clothing for a low suggested donation or, in many cases, give it away.

Lordon said that they received an overwhelmingly positive response from local residents. "In addition to the many donations we've collected, we've received several telephone calls from individuals inquiring as to how they can donate more items in the future," he stated.

The Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood Committee will continue to work with HRM Councillor Sue Uteck (Northwest Arm – South End) who continues to be a strong supporter of the campaign. SMUSA and the University will also work to ensure that students are fully informed of new noise by-laws introduced by HRM Council. The by-laws that will enforce stricter monetary penalties on students who are disruptive in the neighbourhood.

To learn more about the Pride in Our Shared Neighbourhood Campaign, visit www.smu.ca/neighbourhood.

Sobey School of Business Launches Centre for Leadership Excellence

The Sobey School of Business at Saint Mary's University has marked yet another exciting step in its evolution. At a special ceremony in downtown Halifax on September 21, 2005, officials from the University launched the Centre for Leadership Excellence, the only centre of its kind in Atlantic Canada.



Left to right: Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's; Dr. Richard Allon, Director, Centre for Leadership Excellence; and Dr. David Wicks, Acting Dean, Sobey School of Business.

The event attracted a number of business executives from Halifax, as well as faculty, staff and students from the esteemed Sobey School of Business. Those who were involved with this afternoon's unveiling included Dr. Richard Allon, Director of the Centre for Leadership Excellence, Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, and Dr. David Wicks, Acting Dean of the Sobey School of Business.

"The Centre for Leadership Excellence will serve as a vital resource for business leaders' right here at home," said Dr. Allon. "Leadership is the fundamental ingredient that ensures the success of any business organization. We will offer leaders the directions and approaches they need to achieve consistent success."

The Centre for Leadership Excellence will offer consulting services in the areas of leadership and organizational development. It will be a major information resource for business leaders and will directly benefit businesses in Atlantic Canada.

Dr. Dodds applauded the opening of the Centre, stating, "Leadership is an issue that many businesses have to deal with all the time. The Centre will guarantee that leaders in our community receive the best consulting services available, thereby helping them to truly thrive."

Dr. Wicks indicated to the audience at the afternoon launch that the "Centre will certainly play a major role in leadership development and will serve as a unique engine that will help our economy grow to new heights."

Dr. Allon holds a PhD in psychology and has more than 25 years of experience as a consultant to the corporate and health care sectors. His work has focused on helping companies and organizations build a better workplace by maximizing the behavioural and personal effectiveness of executives, managers and employees. He has assisted a large number of leading businesses in identifying leadership potential and in developing leadership and management skills. He is well known for providing guidance in establishing strategies for improved communication, productivity and motivation to companies. His client list includes organizations in the financial services, manufacturing, IT, venture capital and health care sectors.

He is a former president of the Ontario Psychological Association and a former co-chair of the Finance Committee of the American Psychological Association.

Dr. Allon accepted the Director's post with the Centre for Leadership Excellence at the Saint Mary's Sobey School of Business on June 1, 2005.

Associate Dean of Business Earns Prestigious FCMA Designation

Jeff Power, Associate Dean of Business at the Sobey School of Business, has been awarded the designation Fellow of The Society of Management Accountants (FCMA). This prestigious award is based on a member's significant contribution to the Society, the profession of management accounting, and the community at large. It is awarded by The Society of Management Accountants of Nova Scotia and has been approved by the CMA Canada National Board of Directors. Of the over 1000 CMAs in Nova Scotia, only 26 have been awarded the title FCMA. An official award ceremony and presentation will take place on November 5, 2005.

Dr. Power teaches at the undergraduate, MBA, MBA-CMA and Executive MBA levels to a wide range of students and professionals. He has established a reputation for keeping his accounting classes focused on real life business situations through interactive teaching methods. An active champion for the CMA designation, he serves as the liaison between Saint Mary's and CMA Nova Scotia. In this capacity, he is responsible for recruiting faculty appropriate for the challenging dual role of moderating and teaching CMA candidates who are also MBA students. In addition to his MBA/CMA role, Power teaches management accounting in the CMA Accelerated Program and develops and leads preparatory sessions for the CMA national Entrance Examination. He was a member of CMA Nova Scotia's council from 2002-2005 and President of CMA Prince Edward Island for two years.

Power is the Chair of the 2007 CAAA Annual Conference, Co-founder and Director of the Accounting Case Institute, Vice-Chair, Saint Mary's University Faculty and Administration Pension Committee, Treasurer of Saint Mary's University Faculty Union and Chair of the Faculty Union Investment Committee.

Checking the Pulse of Nova Scotians

Dr. Camilla Holmvall, a Saint Mary's Psychology and Management professor, has received a \$100,000 grant from the Nova Scotia Health Research Foundation (NSHRF). The grant will enable Holmvall and her research team to examine how patients' relationships with their health care providers sway attitudes and behaviours.

Dr. Camilla Holmvall, who also conducts research via the University's CN Centre for Occupational Health and Safety, will serve as the principal investigator on the project. The co-applicants from Saint Mary's – who will also be instrumental in this research – include Dr. Peter Twohig, Canada Research Chair and professor in Atlantic Canada Studies; Dr. Kevin Kelloway, a researcher with the CN Centre for Occupational Health and Safety and professor in Management and Psychology; and Dr. Lori Francis, a researcher with the CN Centre and professor in Psychology.



Front to back: Dr. Lori Francis, Dr. Peter Twohig, Dr. Kevin Kelloway, and Dr. Camilla Holmvall are examining patients' relationships with their health care providers

"My research team will be very interested in probing the choices patients make regarding their health such as when, and from whom, to seek care, whether to follow prescribed treatment plans, and whether to report ineffective treatments and drug interactions," said Dr. Holmvall. "To study these important areas, our research team will draw on theory and research in social and organizational psychology. The project will shed light on important variables that may lead patients to make better health care-related decisions."

She underscores the uniqueness of the research team, saying that Drs. Twohig, Kelloway, and Francis bring a vast level of experiences, expertise and enthusiasm to the project. "We span three departments at Saint Mary's - psychology, management, and the Gorsebrook Research Institute for Atlantic Canada," she explained. "We have expertise in a variety of research methodologies and statistical techniques, and we have content expertise in diverse areas such as fairness and justice in interpersonal relationships and in groups, the reasons for and consequences of people's loyalty to individuals and groups, leadership, and of course, health care."

Holmvall added that the team's initiative builds on ongoing efforts to make the publicly funded health care system more effective in meeting the needs of patients. "Take for example federally funded inquiries such as Romanow, Kirby and others which have recommended initiatives such as increased funding for health care, greater efforts to recruit health care professionals, and greater involvement by patients with regard to health promotion and prevention strategies," she said. "Our work fits within this latter strategy; specifically, the purpose of our research is to better understand the decisions and choices patients make about their health."

So, what does Dr. Holmvall mean by choices?

"Consider for the moment that you have a medical condition for which you seek medical attention. In seeking care, you have a number of choices and decisions to make: First, when do you seek care? Do you seek care as soon as you have a symptom or do you wait until you hit some sort of crisis point? Also, from whom do you seek care? Do you go to a walk-in-clinic, the ER, or to your family doctor? Also, how much information do you disclose about your condition and symptoms to the doctor?"

She added, "Once a doctor has made an assessment and prescribed some form of treatment, do you choose to follow the treatment even if it takes some effort on your part? What if a particular treatment is not working, do you go back to your doctor to report it and find a more effective solution?"

The Saint Mary's research team will work to obtain an understanding of how the relationship patients have with their health care providers influences choices such as these.

"We will examine how patients' choices are influenced by their feelings of whether they are treated fairly by health care providers," she said. "For instance, are patients more likely to follow prescribed treatment plans if their health care provider seeks their input regarding their care, thoroughly explains their choice of treatment and, in general treats them with dignity and respect?"

She also stated that the research team will examine whether the specific avenues patients use to seek care influence their choices. "Are patients more likely to disclose information and follow treatments prescribed by their family doctor compared to a doctor they have only interacted with once at a walk-in-clinic?"

They will also look at different reasons why patients may choose to seek care consistently from a specific health care provider such as a family doctor.

To address all of these questions, Dr. Holmvall said her team will seek the input of Nova Scotia residents across all nine district health authorities.

"This research we are conducting through Saint Mary's will have the potential to improve the health of all Nova Scotians," she said. "We are truly excited about the implications of this project and thank the Nova Scotia Health Research Foundation for this opportunity."

The Nova Scotia Health Research Foundation is committed to working collaboratively with the health research community and other stakeholders. Its main goal is to invest in the province's health research resources in a manner which will best serve to improve the health of Nova Scotians today and in the future.



The Honourable Ken Dryden posed for a group photo with staff and students at the Atlantic Centre.

Back row, left to right: Christopher Grace, Administrative Assistant; The Honourable Ken Dryden, Minister of Social Development; Keith Bain, International Manager; Erica McGill, Counsellor; and Heather Martin, Training and User Support. Front row: left to right: Dr. David Leitch, Director of the Atlantic Centre; Barry Abbott, Counsellor; Megan Adams, Exam Coordinator; Jennifer McNeil, student; Jane Bagnall, Counsellor; Jenna-Leigh Wilson, student; and Sarah Roberts, Counsellor.

Honorable Ken Dryden Visits Atlantic Centre for Students With Disabilities

The Honourable Ken Dryden, Minister of Social Development, visited Saint Mary's on September 22, 2005 to take a special tour of the Atlantic Centre for Students with Disabilities. The former Montreal Canadiens star goaltender also had the opportunity to meet with staff and students at the Centre as well as with Dr. J. Colin Dodds, University President.

Dryden stated that he was impressed by the array of services offered through the Centre. He expressed particular appreciation for the use of cutting-edge technology to help ensure that students at the University have access to higher education.

The Atlantic Centre is the only such centre in the country supporting students with a full range of disabilities including mobility, sight, hearing and learning disabilities. The Centre supports clients across Nova Scotia in addition to students at Saint Mary's University. It is one of only three centres of specialization in Canada supported by the federal government to enhance the full participation of citizens with disabilities in higher education.

Dryden was elected to the House of Commons and named Minister of Social Development in the summer of 2004. Well known for his career as a goaltender for the Montreal Canadiens from 1971 to 1979, during which time the team won six Stanley Cup championships, Dryden is a member of the Hockey Hall of Fame, the Canadian Sports Hall of Fame and the International Scholar-Athlete Hall of Fame.

Last year, Dryden was awarded an Honorary Doctor of Civil Law (honoris causa) Degree from Saint Mary's University. He is the author of four best-selling books: *The Game*, *HomeGame*, *The Moved and the Shaken*, and *In School*. In 1984, he was appointed the first Ontario Youth Commissioner.

Dryden has been involved with numerous community and charitable groups, most notably in the areas of children, youth and education. In 1996, he established a scholarship whereby eight students a year from foster and group homes receive four-year \$3,000 per year scholarships to the university or college of their choice across Canada.

Prior to his appointment as Minister, Mr. Dryden was the President of the Toronto Maple Leafs.

Come and Shape the Future of the Saint Mary's Campus

Attend one of the upcoming Open Houses to learn more about the *Campus Master Plan* process.

For Neighbours and Community Members:

For Faculty, Staff and Students:

Thursday, October 27, 2005

7:30 p.m. until 9:30 p.m.

The Tower Courtside Lounge

Thursday, October 27, 2005

1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m.

The Tower Courtside Lounge

Or

Friday, October 28, 2005

11:00 a.m. until 1:00 p.m.

McNally Theatre Auditorium

Seating is limited. RSVP Andrea Smith at 420.5410 or andrea.smith@smu.ca

Sifting through Ground Zero



Matthew Cloutier, a student in the Archaeology Department at Saint Mary's, digs through the remains of a burned Acadian house.

During this year's 250th anniversary of the Deportation of the Acadians, a group of Saint Mary's University students conducted excavations at the Deportation's ground zero – Grand Pré National Historic Site.

The field school project, which was directed by Saint Mary's Archaeology professor Jonathan Fowler, is a partnership between the Société Promotion Grand Pré, Saint Mary's University, and Parks Canada.

The archaeology course began in mid-July and wrapped up in early August. Throughout the month of August, the archaeology team from Saint Mary's closely analyzed the artifacts they had uncovered from ground zero in a lab on campus.

Over the past five years, visitors at Grand-Pré National Historic Site have appreciated the opportunity to observe this important archaeological research. The research will continue through the next several years.

"People are drawn to archaeological work because it's hands-on history and it tells a story," said Fowler during an interview at the historic site this past summer.

Last year's excavations led to the discovery of previously unknown buildings within the national historic site grounds. Fowler believes these buildings, which seem to have been destroyed by fire, may have formed part of the pre-Deportation Acadian village. Moreover, the student archaeologists appear to have found artifacts from the New England soldiers who conducted the Deportation in the fall of 1755.

Throughout the summer, Fowler and his students continued exploring these new discoveries as well as the remains of a burned Acadian house located near the historic site's famous memorial church. A 1734 British coin discovered last year in the burnt layer of the house dates the destructive fire to a period close to the Deportation. The goal of the project is to relocate Saint-Charles-des-Mines, the Acadian parish church of Grand-Pré that served as a prison 250 years ago.

Sobey PhD Students Shine at 2005 Atlantic Schools of Business Conference

A number of students enrolled in the PhD program in Management in the Sobey School of Business at Saint Mary's University demonstrated their academic talents at this year's Atlantic Schools Business Conference. Held in Halifax from September 30 until October 2, 2005, the conference attracted graduate students from across the region.

Terrance Weatherbee, Kelly Dye, Scott MacMillan and Natalie Vladi (PhD entry, 2002) won the overall conference Best Paper Award, while Margaret McKee, (PhD entry, 2003) who presented "Making Sense of Workplace Spirituality," won the Best Student Paper Award.

The Sobey School of Business was also presented with the Award of Excellence for Best Business School. This award is presented to the school with the greatest number of contributions to the conference.



Dr. Basu Sharma (right) ASB Conference Chair, presents Dr. David Wicks, Acting Dean, Sobey School of Business with the Best Business School award for the greatest number of contributions to ASB 2005

Metro Universities and HRM Sign Highly Anticipated MOU

On October 4, 2005, Halifax Regional Municipality and metro's six universities pledged to partner in meeting future challenges of mutual interest facing the community. During a ceremony at City Hall, an official Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) was signed by Mayor Peter Kelly (Saint Mary's alumnus – MBA '96), on behalf of Halifax Regional Council, and by Paul Greenhalgh, President of NSCAD University and Chair of the Metro University Presidents' Consortium. Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, attended the event along with the Presidents of metro's other universities and members of Halifax Regional Council.

The six metro universities include Saint Mary's University, the Atlantic School of Theology, Dalhousie University, University of King's College, Mount Saint Vincent University and NSCAD University.

In November 2004, the Halifax Chamber of Commerce organized an Economic Summit at the request of HRM. The Summit resulted in 21 recommendations from the business community into the development of an economic strategy for HRM. Under the category of "post-secondary institutions," a recommendation was made that HRM develop a formal relationship with metro post-secondary institutions. That suggestion was realized today.

"One of the obvious immediate benefits of this agreement to HRM is the ability to tap in to the tremendous wealth of intellectual power that exists in our metro universities," said Mayor Kelly. "The universities are very much a part of this community, and contribute greatly to our economy, arts and culture, sport and recreation activities. More importantly, they are now officially our partners as we look to the future for new growth and opportunities."

The Mayor said one common characteristic of great cities throughout the world is that they all have great universities. Those universities can assist these great cities in promoting economic, social and cultural vitality.

"The signing of this MOU is an important step in the evolution of our relationship with HRM and the community. Our six universities are both a key economic driver and a creative hub, essential to the growth and vitality of metro," said President Greenhalgh. "There is much we can achieve together, on behalf of our institutions, students and all citizens." Initial areas to be examined for collaborative opportunities include participation in development of a Cultural Policy for HRM; collaboration on an Immigration Action Plan/Strategy; institutional support to HRM on recreation policy and programming; improved transportation connections; community policing; strategic planning; and shared use of facilities.



The six metro universities include Saint Mary's University, the Atlantic School of Theology, Dalhousie University, University of King's College, Mount Saint Vincent University and NSCAD University. From left to right (back): Dr. William Barker, University of King's College; Dr. J. Colin Dodds, Saint Mary's; Dr. Sheila Brown, Mount Saint Vincent University; and Reverend Canon Eric Beresford, Atlantic School of Theology. Front row: Mr. Paul Greenhalgh, Nova Scotia College of Art and Design, and Mayor Kelly. (Missing from photo: Dr. Tom Traves, Dalhousie University.)



Retiring members of the Saint Mary's Faculty of Arts pause for a photo at the Retirement Reception which took place at the Tower Courtyard Lounge on August 31, 2005. Left to right: Dr. Ronald Cosper, Sociology Department; Dr. Stan Armstrong, Religious Studies; Dr. Wallace Mills, History Department; Dr. Cyril Byrne, Irish Studies; Dr. George Young, History Department; and Dr. Vincent Tobin, Modern Languages & Classics. Other 2004 and 2005 retirees honoured at the reception included Dr. Ken MacKinnon, English; Dr. Ishmael Okraku, Sociology & Criminology; and Dr. Margarethe Heukafer, Modern Languages & Classics.

China to Saint Mary's: Let's Work Together

On Friday, August 12, 2005, a contingent from South China Normal University met with officials from Saint Mary's University to map out potential linkage projects that will benefit students and faculty from both institutions.



Those from Saint Mary's who attended the event included: Dr. David Richardson, Dean of Science (front row, fifth from left); Dr. James Morrison, Coordinator of Asian Studies (back row, second from left); Dr. Zhongmin Dong, a professor in Biology (front row, third from left); Denis Leclaire, Director of the International Activities Department (back row, second from right); Chuck Bridges, Vice-President (Assoc.) External Affairs (back row, far right); and Rebecca Fitzgerald, Project Manager for the International Activities Department (front row, far left). Key officials from South China Normal University include: Dr. Yang Wenxuan, Chair, Academic Committee Professor (front row, fourth from left); and Dr. Hu Shejun, University Vice-President (front row, third from right).

"The meeting generated a tremendous level of discussion and underscored the desire from both institutions to continue internationalizing their academic – undergraduate and graduate – curricula," said Denis Leclaire, Director of the International Activities Department at Saint Mary's.

"Exploring linkages of these sorts is exciting. Everyone who attended the meeting left with a tremendous amount of enthusiasm. We look forward to working together to further internationalize our programs," added Leclaire.

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Key officials from South China Normal University included Dr. Yang Wenxuan, Chair, Academic Committee Professor; and Dr. Hu Shejun, Vice-President of the University.

South China Normal University is situated in the largest capital city in Southern China, and boasts a long history which can be traced back to the former Teachers' College of Xiangqin University founded in August 1933. The seven subsequent decades have brought several changes in names and locations. It was formally named South China Normal University in October 1982.

After a 71-year development, the school has grown into a key university in Guangdong Province with a comprehensive disciplinary setting of philosophy, economics, law, education, history, science, engineering and management. It is also designated as a member university of "Project 211," a national policy that offers more government financial support for the construction of 100 national key universities in 21st century China.



Transfer students from Beijing Normal University (Zhuhai) enjoyed an apple picking excursion to Wolfville in late September 2005. They were accompanied by Mr. Bill Bu, Saint Mary's alumni and facilitator of BNU (Zhuhai) linkage, and Mrs. Shirley Xu, Zhongnan University of Economics and Law faculty member.

Saint Mary's Welcomes Participants in English Language and Canadian Culture Programs

This summer, Saint Mary's University welcomed back three groups from institutions with whom we share long-standing relationships – Global Campus Japan (InterElder Association), Hokkaido Musashi Women's Junior College, and Hokkaido University of Education. Each group took part in short-term English Language and Canadian Culture programs developed and administered by the Teaching English as a Second Language (TESL) Centre and International Activities.

Japan's InterElder Association had previously participated in short-term English Language and Canadian Culture programs at Saint Mary's from 1996 through 2001. In 2004, the InterElder Association formed Global Campus Japan, a non-profit group with the mandate to organize outbound and inbound programs for Japanese seniors.

The 2005 Global Campus Japan program, which ran from June 28 until July 14, 2005, marked the return of the InterElder Association to Saint Mary's University after a three-year absence. The eleven participants who made the trip enjoyed a variety of activities such as English language classes, workshops, and cultural excursions which included tea with Mayor Peter Kelly and a performance of the International Tattoo on Canada Day.

Hokkaido Musashi Women's Junior College is one of two Japanese post-secondary institutions that have sent groups to Saint Mary's. Located in Sapporo, Japan, Musashi offers a two-year program culminating in a degree of Associate of Arts. Saint Mary's University, through an Articulation Agreement with Musashi renewed in April 2005, offers Musashi students attending Saint Mary's advanced standing equivalent to the second year of a BA program.

Groups from Musashi have participated in three-week English Language and Canadian Culture programs from 1996 to 2005, with the exception of 2003 due to concerns about SARS. Since 1996, 143 participants and 13 leaders have visited Saint Mary's.

The Musashi 2005 program, which took place from August 7 until August 26, 2005, brought 14 young women and two leaders, Professor Rob McGuire and Professor Chima Nakasawa, to the Saint Mary's campus. During their stay, they experienced the dynamic and vibrant character of Nova Scotia through numerous cultural activities. These included visits to the Farmers' Market, the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic and the Art Gallery of Nova Scotia in addition to English language classes and workshops. Through the homestay program whereby participants lived with local families, they also had an opportunity to experience life in Canadian households first-hand.

In addition to achieving a greater understanding of the English language and Canadian culture, the women will receive credit toward their degrees from Musashi as a result of their participation in the program.

Saint Mary's was also pleased to welcome a visitor from Hokkaido University of Education in Hakodate, Japan, Halifax's sister city. Saint Mary's and Hokkaido University of Education have been academically linked for 16 years, with students and faculty from both institutions participating in exchanges. The first short-term English Language and Canadian Culture program was initiated in 1993 and brought six participants to Saint Mary's.

The Hokkaido University of Education 2005 program ran from August 21 until September 18, 2005 with one participant, Kaori Taniguchi. While studying English in the TESL Centre's Intensive English Program, Taniguchi took part in a school visit to Inglis Street Elementary School. In this way, the program compliments Hokkaido University of Education students' own teacher-training at home in Hakodate.



Participants from Global Campus Japan / Japanese InterElders pause for photo on the steps of Halifax City Hall following tea with Mayor Peter Kelly.



Students of Hokkaido Musashi Women's Junior College tour the Citadel during their stay in Halifax.



Participants in the Centre International D'Etudes Pédagogiques Teaching English As a Foreign Language / Teacher Training Program pause for a group photo following a Farewell Luncheon.

Teaching English as a Foreign Language: The Canadian Perspective

The Centre International d'Études Pédagogiques (CIEP) which, under the French Ministry of Education and Higher Education, contributes to the development of international cooperation in language education and training, put out a call for proposals from Canadian universities for a short-term Teaching English as a Foreign Language (TEFL) program this summer. Saint Mary's was successful in winning the opportunity to host such a program through the office of International Activities and the Teaching English as a Second Language (TESL) Centre. The program "Teaching English as a Foreign Language: The Canadian Perspective" brought together 28 English as a Foreign Language teachers from France.

The two-week program, which ran from July 10 until July 23, 2005, was designed to improve the participants' spoken English, introduce new practices in TEFL and provide a better understanding of Canadian culture and history.

Mr. William Kerr and Ms. Alison Boyer-Short, instructors at the TESL Centre, provided TEFL instruction and support to the participants during the program. The Canadian culture and history lectures—by Dr. Trudy Sable, Director of the Labrador Project in the Gorsebrook Research Institute; Dr. John Reid, History Department; Dr. Colin Howell, Director of Gorsebrook Research Institut, and Chair of the History Department; and Professor Jonathan Fowler of the History Department—covered the significant contributions made to Canada by the First Nations, French, English, and recent immigrants. The group also benefited from a special session on TEFL with Visiting Scholar Dr. Michael Legutke of Justus Liebig University in Germany.

Participants enjoyed a number of cultural activities throughout the city and province. A visit to Pier 21 and weekend trips to Lunenburg, Mahone Bay, L'Acadie and Grand Pré provided the group with a sense of the richness of the Canadian and Nova Scotian heritage.

Ms. Geneviève Gaillard, Inspector General of English of the French Ministry of Education, visited Saint Mary's on July 14 and 15, 2005 and expressed pleasure with the program.

Saint Mary's Welcomes Bhutanese Delegation

Saint Mary's University hosted a welcoming reception this summer for a delegation from Bhutan. The delegation had traveled to Nova Scotia to attend Rethinking Development: Local Pathways to Well Being, a conference which was organized by GPI Atlantic.



Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's University, presents gifts to His Excellency, Daw Penjo, the Bhutanese Ambassador to the United Nations and Canada.

Members of the Saint Mary's Time Research Studies Program and the Gorsebrook Research Institute are active members of GPI Atlantic and were also involved in organizing the four-day conference.

The conference — the theme of which was *Gross National Happiness* — profiled initiatives from around the world that integrate sustainable and equitable economic development with environmental conservation, social and cultural cohesion, and good governance. The conference also highlighted practical guidance for governments, businesses and non-government organizations that can help create effective and sustainable human societies.

A large number of people attended the welcoming reception that was held in the University's Art Gallery. The Office of International Activities at Saint Mary's was also instrumental in organizing the event.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, The Honourable Myra A. Freeman, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, and Donald M. Julien, Executive Director of the Confederacy of Mainland Mi'kmaq

each provided welcoming remarks to the Bhutanese delegation. The Honourable Myra A. Freeman inducted all of the guests from Bhutan into the *Order of Good Time Society* which originated in Nova Scotia in the early 1600s. His Excellency, Daw Penjo, the Bhutanese Ambassador to the United Nations and Canada, also provided remarks on behalf of his delegation.

Bhutan is a country that proclaims that "Gross National Happiness" is more important than "Gross National Product." Bhutan recently received the United Nations Environment Program's Champion of the Earth Award for placing the environment at the centre of all its development policies.

New Partnership Agreement Supports Academic and Intercultural Exchanges

A partnership agreement between Saint Mary's and Justus Liebig University Giessen will promote new academic and intercultural exchanges between both institutions. Signed in June 2005, the terms of the agreement will support educational cooperation and student and staff exchange programs between Saint Mary's and Justus-Liebig-Universität Giessen in Germany.



This summer, an institutional agreement was formalized between Saint Mary's and Justus Liebig University in Giessen, Germany. To commemorate the partnership, Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President (left) and Dr. Michael Legutke, Justus Liebig University, took part in a ceremonial tree planting at The Oaks property.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's University, applauded the agreement. Said Dodds, "This partnership will enhance the educational experiences and cultural understanding of both students and staff while fostering an even stronger sense of goodwill between our two institutions."

The Student and Staff Exchange Program will begin with first semester 2005-2006 and continue for a period of five years. Through the agreement, Saint Mary's students may be admitted to courses at Justus Liebig University in any Faculty. The students must possess sufficient working knowledge of the German language to pursue a course of studies at Justus Liebig University. Alternatively, Saint Mary's students without such knowledge of German can take basic German language courses and simultaneously take courses taught in English at Justus Liebig University.

Approximately 20,000 students are enrolled at Justus Liebig University. The institution offers more than 150 courses of study through eleven departments. Saint Mary's had the privilege of hosting Dr. Michael Legutke from Justus-Liebig University this summer when he taught two education courses on campus. Dr. Legutke is a professor of Educational Linguistics and EFL.

Saint Mary's Alumnus Receives UNESCO Vietnam Medal

Saint Mary's alumnus Sanjeev Chowdhury is the recipient of the UNESCO Vietnam Medal and Certificate of Recognition. Chowdhury is Canadian Consul General to Ho Chi Minh City (HCMC) and is now the youngest head of Mission to the World.

The medal was presented by the Vietnam Federation of UNESCO Clubs at a special ceremony on October 13, 2005 at the Consulate General of Canada, HCMC. Chowdhury, who graduated from the Sobey School of Business in 1992, was recognized at the ceremony as an honorary member of UNESCO for his tireless efforts in promoting cultural relations between Vietnam and Canada.

Mr. Nguyen Xuan Thang, Vice-President of the UNESCO Clubs International and Vice-President and Secretary General of the Vietnam Federation of UNESCO Clubs, cited Chowdhury's extensive charity activities and love for the Vietnamese in enhancing the relationship between Vietnam and Canada.



On October 12, 2005, Saint Mary's welcomed Finnish Ambassador, Pasi Patokallio, to the University campus. Here, Dr. Dodds and Mr. Patokallio pose for a photo with two students from Finland who are currently enrolled at Saint Mary's. Left to right: Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's; Krista Laine, student; Pasi Patokallio, Finnish Ambassador to Canada; and Henriikka Peni, student.

Additional Funding Announced for University's Point Pleasant Day Care Centre

David Morse, the province's Community Services Minister, was at Saint Mary's University on August 16, 2005 to announce that a large number of day care centres across the province will receive expansion grants.



Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, and David Morse, NS Minister of Community Services, meet some of the children who attend Point Pleasant Day Care at on the Saint Mary's campus.

He made the announcement at a special ceremony held at the University's Point Pleasant Day Care Centre located on the first level of Rice Residence.

The event attracted a number of University staff and community members, all of whom were thrilled to hear the news that the Nova Scotia government is boosting funding to families looking for child care. The Minister indicated that the government will provide a \$3.4 million investment in order to expand the province's child care centres. As well, an additional 125 portable, subsidized spaces will be made available. The Point Pleasant Day Care Centre received nearly \$165,000 from the announcement.

Those from Saint Mary's who attended the event included Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's; Gabrielle Morrison, Vice-President of Administration; and Chuck Bridges, Vice-President (Assoc.) of External Affairs.

"Quality child care is essential for Nova Scotians who must work or go to school. Through these investments, we are helping families access high quality child care," indicated Morse. "There will be more subsidized spaces for low-income families and expanded numbers of child-care spaces available to Nova Scotia's families."

Twenty child care centres are receiving additional support under the Expansion Grants and Loans program. This program was created to provide financial assistance to licensed non-profit and commercial child care centres that expand and create new child care spaces. Centres were eligible for up to 75 per cent of the costs of expansion or new construction.

The funding for the Child Care Expansion Grants and Loans program was provided under the March 2003 Multilateral Framework on Early Learning and Child Care (ELCC) from the 2004-05 fiscal year. The ELCC is a joint, federal-provincial agreement to improve and expand early childhood development programs and services.

The addition of 125 subsidized spaces means there are now more than 2,880 subsidized child care spaces in Nova Scotia and that 609 of them are portable. A family accessing a portable space can choose to use any licensed child-care centre in the province and can take the subsidized space with them should they move to a different area.

That's the Spirit!

Scott MacMillan, a student enrolled in the PhD in Management Program in the Sobey School of Business at Saint Mary's, recently received a major award for his dissertation proposal.

In mid-August, the Academy of Management held its annual conference in Honolulu, Hawaii - an event that attracted well over 6,000 academics from around the world. During this conference, the Professional Association for People Involved with Spirituality in the Workplace, a major branch of the Academy of Management, hosted a competition for PhD students to present their research topics.

A large number of students from around the world vied to win this well known competition. MacMillan placed third overall in this rigorous competition after presenting his research proposal, entitled: "Meaning, spirituality, and work: The relationship between life orientation and work orientation."

The purpose of his research is to investigate the relationship and factors involved between how people view life (life orientation) with how they view work (work orientation).

"I must say, it feels really good to have placed third overall," says MacMillan. Following this big contest, he then spent two weeks as a Visiting Scholar at the University of Southern California (USC) in Los Angeles in order to conduct research and consult with his close academic colleagues at this well known institution.

"What's really good about placing third overall is my research proposal has received an excellent vote of confidence and has gained beneficial feedback from top-notch academics from across the globe," he explains.

"Also, this award is testimony to the innovative research that is being conducted via the Sobey School of Business and most importantly our new Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace." MacMillan says he became interested in his research area not long after the Sobey School of Business opened its Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace.

"Faculty who conduct research through our new centre have really opened my eyes to the study of spirituality and the workplace and how it can be directly applied to the field of management," he says.

MacMillan, who is also a part-time lecturer in Department of Management, recently released a popular book, "The Big Game: 10 Strategies to Winning at Life."

Sobey MBA Students Head to the Beach for Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup



Sobey MBA students took part in the TD Bank Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup at Crystal Crescent Beach on September 24, 2005.

On Saturday, September 24, 2005, more than 40 students enrolled in the MBA program at the Sobey School of Business at Saint Mary's University went to the beach. Instead of working on their late season tan, however, they were participating in the TD Bank Great Canadian Shoreline Cleanup. Over the past several weeks, tens of thousands of volunteers descended upon beaches and waterways across Canada to remove debris. Headquartered at the Vancouver Aquarium, the project has seen a tremendous increase in volunteers over its ten-year history.

The students from the Sobey School of Business selected Crystal Crescent beach as their location to lend a hand in keeping the beach free from debris. Joann Lawless, President of the MBA Society, stated that the Society has identified community activism as a key goal for its membership in 2005 and beyond. "Taking part in the Shoreline Cleanup project is one small thing that the students see as giving back to the community that they call home," said Lawless. "With students from India, China, Brazil, the School truly has international representation in this initiative," she added.

The MBA students spent more than two hours picking up garbage from around the beach and boardwalks at Crystal Crescent. In the end, the students removed more than eight bags of garbage from the area. As a result, Crystal Crescent now has 400 fewer cigarette butts to pollute its beautiful views, 50 fewer plastic bags which cause a number of problems to wildlife who call the beach home, and 75 fewer plastic forks and knives that never found their way to the garbage cans. Said Lawless, "The Sobey MBA class had a terrific time on an absolutely beautiful day, and everyone left the beach feeling a little bit better about themselves for having participated in such a worthwhile community project."

Patrick Power Library Celebrates 30th Anniversary

On September 23, 2005, the University kicked off a year-long celebration of the Patrick Power Library's 30th anniversary. Built in 1975, only 10 years after the Burke Library had opened, the Patrick Power Library addressed the need for a new facility to match a growing collection and increasing demand for library services.

The 30th Anniversary Celebrations were launched with a series of Faculty Author Readings in the main lobby. Numerous students, faculty, staff, alumni and supporters came out to hear readings from Dr. Albert Mills, Management Department, Dr. Brian Bartlett, English Department, Dr. John Reid, History Department, Dr. Alexandra Dobrowolsky, Political Science Department, and Dr. Charles Beaupre, Modern Languages and Classics Department. The event also featured special guest speaker and Saint Mary's alumnus, John Feehan who shared his knowledge about Patrick Power, the man for whom the Library is named.

Madeleine Lefebvre, University Librarian, served as Master of Ceremonies at the event, noting that numerous other special events have been planned to commemorate the Library's anniversary throughout the year. For more information on the Library's 30th Anniversary Celebrations, visit http://www.smu.ca/administration/archives/library_30th/l30_events.html



Left to right (back): Dr. Alexandra Dobrowolsky, Political Science Department; John Feehan, Saint Mary's Alumnus; Dr. John Reid, History Department; and Dr. Albert Mills, Management Department. Left to right (front): Dr. Charles Beaupre, Modern Languages and Classics Department; Madeleine Lefebvre, University Librarian; and Dr. Brian Bartlett, English Department.

Saint Mary's and Monash University Profs Receive Funding for Green Chemistry Research

The government of Australia has announced that it will award funding for a unique research project to be carried out by chemists at Saint Mary's in partnership with Monash University in Melbourne, Australia.

The government down-under is providing \$51,000 AUD to enable scientists from both institutions to advance the practice of "green chemistry." Dr. Rob Singer, a Chemistry professor at Saint Mary's, and his Australian colleague Dr. Peter Scammells, have been heavily involved in this burgeoning area of research for the past several years. Students from both Saint Mary's and Monash University will also be part of this international research project.

"Green chemistry," which has become a central topic in mainstream chemistry, is aimed at the reduction or elimination of hazardous substances in the design, manufacturing, and application of chemical products. The advent of ionic liquids has made a significant contribution towards these goals. Essentially, ionic liquids have beneficial properties including non-volatility, non-flammability, and a large stable liquid range.

"As ionic liquids advance from academic curiosities to industrial solvents, the need to address the issue of their biodegradability and toxicity is paramount," said Dr. Singer. "The key objective of our project is to design new biodegradable and task specific ionic liquids for environmentally friendly use." Singer notes that he and Dr. Scammells are close to developing an ionic liquid that can be formally classified as biodegradable.

"The principles in our research can be applied to several products including medications, cosmetics, bathroom cleaners, paints, inks, plastics and lubricants, to name only a few examples," he said. During a phone interview with Dr. Scammells from his chemistry laboratory at Monash University, he explains that ionic liquids – discovered back in 1914 – are salts that are liquids at room temperature.

"Where everyday salts such as sodium chloride are made of two small ions, ionic liquids are made of one small ion and one large organic ion, or two large ones," he said. "Because these large ions with their diffuse charges cannot stack together neatly to form crystal structures, they remain liquid at room temperature. Sodium chloride, by contrast, does not melt unless heated to 801 °C."

Dr. Singer and Dr. Scammells indicate that it is this structure that gives ionic liquids some interesting qualities that are not yet all fully explored, but which make them appealing to both industry and environmentalists.

"Like traditional solvents, ionic liquids help chemical reactions along by dissolving the reagents, thus allowing their molecules to come into close contact. Designed well, they can do the job more effectively than conventional solvents, producing faster reaction times and higher yields," said Dr. Singer.

Dr. Scammells added, "They [ionic liquids] also have negligible vapour pressure, so they do not release VOCs into the atmosphere, from where they could be inhaled or contribute to toxic smogs. The non-volatility makes them easy to recycle – and hence green and economical. Simply heating them boils off impurities but not the solvent itself."

Dr. Singer said that the support from the Australian Government means that researchers from both universities can send faculty and students back and forth to conduct this cutting-edge research. "This new grant will significantly help improve research in the area of ionic liquids," said Dr. Singer. "At the same time, it will ensure that Saint Mary's continues to advance in its mission of internationalizing its academic curriculum."

Professors Click with Students

It's not unusual to find technology in today's classroom. Normally, we envision computers, LCD projectors, SMART Boards. After a successful pilot project beginning in 2001, however, 48 Saint Mary's classrooms have now been set up with wireless responder capability.

What is wireless responder capability? *Good question. Is it:*

- A) an easy-to-use radio-frequency response system that obtains immediate feedback from every student
- B) a Classroom Performance System from eInstruction
- C) a system of clickers
- D) all of the above

If you "clicked" D, you're correct.

Professors Adam Sarty and Karen Lightstone are the principals behind the project to implement the "clickers," as they're affectionately known, at Saint Mary's.

While teaching physics at Florida State University, Sarty realized he was really only connecting with the first two rows of students. Looking for ways to engage his entire class, he tried a number of tricks and techniques – from passing around sheets of paper to colour cards. After hearing about a system of wired responders built into classrooms at George Washington University, which was prohibitively expensive at \$200-300 per student, Sarty started looking for a less expensive, wireless version.

At Saint Mary's, Sarty began piloting an early version of the wireless responder in his introductory physics class. He was amazed how the students' attention and enthusiasm improved.

The wireless responder system can be used to both engage and assess students.



Dr. Karen Lightstone and Dr. Adam Sarty demonstrate the wireless responder system or "clickers" that are currently available in 48 classrooms at Saint Mary's. (Photo by Kelly Clark Photography www.typicalgirl.com)

An instructor can utilize the clickers to discover and take advantage of divergence in class opinion or reveal the existence of misconceptions. The system encourages students to participate, regardless of class size; provokes thought and interactive learning; and can curtail distractions by focusing students' attention on the front of the room and topics being discussed. Instructors can also use the system to present quizzes and mark students for participation or bonus questions, since answers are recorded on the computer with the identifying mark of each student's clicker. They can, however, be used anonymously, allowing for maximum student participation.

"You have to use the system responsibly and focus on the engagement aspect of the technology," says Sarty. "This will have a profound, long-lasting impact on teaching at Saint Mary's, allowing us to engage students even in big classes."

Lightstone became interested in the clickers after seeing a demonstration of them from a textbook company representative. She was looking to bring the technology into the Faculty of Commerce without needing to be restricted to a particular textbook company. She found out about Sarty's interest and pilot-project with the clickers, and they teamed up to make an "all across Saint Mary's" proposal.

Lightstone conducted most of the research to ensure the selection of the RF system from eInstruction was the best choice for Saint Mary's.

"I was sold from the beginning," Lightstone said. "I want the students to have feedback about their understanding of the material long before the mid-term exam hits them. This system allows students to see how they are doing without anyone else knowing."

The wireless responder system is affordable. Saint Mary's has purchased 48 receivers for classrooms to be implemented under an internal competition of the "Strategic Initiatives Fund". Extra receivers are also received free from eInstruction – one for each instructor that uses the system. In classes where the technology is used, students will purchase a clicker for \$20, with a \$10 refund when returned, and buy a license each semester for \$20 which covers the student for all classes they have using the clickers.

CFI Helps Saint Mary's Professor Probe How the Universe was Formed

Saint Mary's University welcomes the Canadian Foundation for Innovation's (CFI) investment of \$133,617 that will support the research being carried out by Dr. Roby Austin.

Dr. Austin, a professor in the Astronomy and Physics Department at Saint Mary's, is conducting research in experimental nuclear physics with radioactive beams at the University's Electronics Facility. Her research examines how particle beams interact with exotic nuclear isotopes. The subatomic reactions she monitors will help astrophysicists create larger models of the universe, thereby enabling them to determine how many of the elements in the universe are formed.

As a result of CFI's recent announcement of \$25.5 million in funding for 132 projects at 39 universities, more Canadian universities will be able to attract and retain high-caliber researchers such as Dr. Austin. The CFI Board of Directors approved a total investment of \$25.5 million through two funds: \$19.6 million under the New Opportunities Fund and \$5.9 million under the Infrastructure Operating Fund which assists universities with the incremental operating and maintenance costs associated with new infrastructure projects.

"The government recognizes the value of research that not only boosts our economy, but improves the quality of life for all Canadians," said David Emerson, Minister of Industry.

Dr. Eliot Phillipson, President and CEO of CFI, stated, "The New Opportunities Fund has been essential in keeping exceptional researchers in Canada and attracting the very best from around the world. As a result of this continued support, Canada has rapidly become a destination of choice for leading-edge researchers."

While Dr. Austin is based at Saint Mary's, her work is part of a Canada-wide laboratory for particle and nuclear physics known as TRIUMF. TRIUMF is managed as a joint venture by a consortium of Canadian universities and is funded by the Government of Canada through the National Research Council. Under the TRIUMF umbrella is the ISAC lab (Isotope Separator and ACcelerator), located on the campus of the University of British Columbia.

Dr. Austin travels back and forth to British Columbia to conduct her research. With ISAC, she says, TRIUMF currently boasts one of the best particle accelerators in the world, and is slated to have the very best accelerator on the planet in one year's time. "The central feature of TRIUMF is its cyclotron which accelerates protons to roughly 75% of the speed of light. It can deliver particles to several different projects at once," she explains.

Dr. Austin's current research involves the study of heavy calcium isotopes. In particular, she is attempting to discover if there is a new "closed shell" in the region. The advent of the nuclear closed shell would make heavy calcium isotopes less reactant than

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Scholarly Professional DEVELOPMENT

ENGLISH

Dr. Elissa Asp presented the paper, "Neuroimaging Review of Verbal Memory and Executive Function in MCI, AD and NCI" at the Linguistic Association of Canada and United States Annual Conference; Hanover, New Hampshire, August 2005.

Dr. Brian Bartlett traveled overseas in June 2004 for the launch of the British edition his *Wanting the Day: Selected Poems*, with readings in Calstock, Exeter, and York; and to Eugene, Oregon in June 2005 to present a personal essay about Bon Portage Island at an Association for the Study of Literature and Environment conference. Last fall, Gaspereau Press published his poetry chapbook *Travels of the Watch*, from which he has given readings in Kentville, Liverpool, Fredericton, and Halifax. In the past few months, his other publications include review-essays in *Books in Canada* and *The Malahat Review*, two entries on Canadian poets in the new *Encyclopedia of Religion and Nature* (Continuum), and a transcribed three-part e-mail conversation on poet-philosopher Jan Zwicky's *Wisdom and Metaphor* in a recent *Fiddlehead*.

Dr. Tatjana Chorney made a presentation, "Coming Back Full Circle to Interactive Reading: Past & Present, Text & Hypertext," at the Textual Culture International Conference at the University of Stirling, Scotland; July, 2005.

Dr. Renée Hulan has been appointed editor of the *Journal of Canadian Studies/Revue d'études canadiennes*. She shares the position with Dr. Don Wright (University of New Brunswick). The journal's editorial board will meet at Saint Mary's in October.

Dr. Sean Kennedy presented the paper, "Beckett, Homosexuality & the Politics of Irish Fertility"; convened two panels: "Beckett and Sexuality" and "Beckett and Voyeurism" at the International Association for the Study of Irish Literatures 2005; Charles University, Prague; July, 2005.

Dr. Russell Perkin contributed the article, "Northrop Frye and Matthew Arnold" to *University of Toronto Quarterly* 74 (2005): pages 793-815

Dr. Russell Perkin contributed "Learning About the Crucifixion: The Religious Vision of For Those Who Hunt the Wounded Down" to *David Adams Richards: Essays on His Works*. Ed. Tony Tremblay. Toronto: Guernica, 2005. 119-27.

GEOGRAPHY

Dr. Philip Giles presented the paper, "Considering the Cause of Morphological Variation in Relict Foredune Plains in the Southern Gulf of St. Lawrence" at the Canadian Association of Geographers Annual Meeting of Congress in London, ON; May-June 2005

Dr. Robert McCalla presented the paper: "Vancouver: a container port on the rise but can it continue?" at the Canadian Association of Geographers Annual Meeting of Congress in London, ON; May-June 2005

Dr. Hugh Milward presented two papers, "Strategies for Metropolitan Containment: A Model Compared to Six Case Studies" and "Spatial Auto-correlation in Urban Population Densities: a Model of Spatial and Temporal Progressions" at the Canadian Association of Geographers Annual Meeting of Congress May-June 2005 in London, ON.

Prof. Brian Robinson presented the paper, "Cultural Geography as Carnival" at the Canadian Association of Geographers Annual Meeting of Congress May-June 2005 in London, ON.

Dr. Cristian Suteanu presented the paper, "Environmental Change Patterns: Identification and Visual Communication" at the "International Seminar on Climate Change" Conference by UNESCO, the Romanian Academy in Bucharest, Romania; June, 2005.

Dr. Danika van Proosdij presented "Complexities in Salt Marsh Sedimentary processes in a northern, high Macrotidal environment" at the 6th International Conference on Geomorphology in Seville, Spain; September 2005.

HISTORY

Dr. James Morrison presented the paper: "Retrospective on Frontier College: Agency for Change" at Frontier College Summer Institute in Toronto, ON; August, 2005

Dr. James Morrison presented the paper "Oral History at Pier 21, Micro and Macro Issue" at the Oral History in Canada Conference in Winnipeg, Manitoba; August 20, 2005.

MODERN LANGUAGES & CLASSICS

Dr. Joelle Cauville presented the paper "Jeux de doubles a Joux. La Deuxieme Mort de Toussaint-Louverture de Fabienne Pasquet" on board of directors of the colloquium at the Le Conseil International des Études Francophones Conference CIEF in Ottawa, June 2005

Dr. Iris Black presented the Paper: "Quelques paysages rêvés du moyen âge: paradis et entiers" at the Canadian Association of University and College Teachers of French Congress of the Humanities & Social Sciences at Western University in London, ON; May, 2005.

MANAGEMENT

Jean Helms Mills was recently appointed to the Editorial Board of the international journal *Gender, Work & Organization*. Jean is the Associate Editor of *Culture & Organization*, and is on the board of Management & Organization History; she has also been elected as joint Program Chair Elect of the Critical Management Studies Interest Group of the Academy of Management. In April her article, "Representations of Diversity and Organizational Change in a North American Utility Company," appeared in *Gender, Work & Organization*. In May she presented a paper with **Wendy Carroll** titled "Identity and Resistance in Call Centres: Towards a Critical Sensemaking Approach" at the annual conference of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada meeting in Toronto.

Albert J. Mills was recently appointed National Chair for the 2006 international conference of the International Federation of Scholarly Associations of Management in Berlin. He was also appointed Associate Editor of the journal *Gender, Work & Organization*, and was elected joint Program Chair Elect of the Critical Management Studies Interest Group of the Academy of Management. In May, 2005 he presented two papers at the annual conference of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada meeting in Toronto: "Death at Work: Towards a More Authentically Safe Workplace" with **Amy Warren** and "There's Nothing As Good As a Practical Theory: The Paradox of Management Education" with **Terrance Weatherbee** and **Kelly Dye**.

PHD MANAGEMENT

A number of PhD students presented papers at the annual conference of the Administrative Sciences Association of Canada meeting held in Toronto in May, 2005. They included:

- **Angela Bissonette** (2001 entry) (with **Vic Catano**) *Non traditional shifts & recruitment sources: Variants and Correlates*;
- **Wendy Carroll** (2004 entry) (with **Jean Helms Mills**) *Identity and Resistance in Call Centres: Toward A Critical Sensemaking Approach*, (with **Jason Lecoure** – 2004 entry)
- *Virtual Teams: An Exploration of Practices and Critical Success Factors in Virtual Academic Teams*, (with **Terry Wagar**)
- *The Importance of Technology in Small and Medium-Size Firms: Some Evidence From the Manufacturing Sector*. **Gina Grandy** (2000 entry)
- *Managing A Spoiled Identity: Emotion Work and Dirty Workers* – Best Student Paper for the GDO Division; **Jim Grant** (2003 entry)
- *Willingness to take legal action following a wrongful dismissal: the influence of perception of organizational justice and fairness*, (with **T. Wagar**)
- *Determinants of employee dismissal: Some Initial results from WES*; **Margaret McKee** (2003 entry)
- *Creating A Satisfying Spiritual Work Environment Through Transformational Leadership; Creating Stabilizers and Values-Based Safety Nets For a Potential Successor CEO's High-Wire Act*; **Ellen Rudderham-Gaudet** (2003 entry)
- *Examining Gendered Perspectives in a male-dominated network: A glass ceiling study on members of Rotary International*; **Mary Runte** (2001 entry) (with **R. Runte**)
- *Dr.Mom/Dr.Dad: Issues and Dilemmas Regarding Parenthood and Academia*; **Amy Thurlow** (2003 entry)
- *The Paradox in a Post-Feminist Era: A Meta-Analysis of the Relationship Between Gender and Pay Satisfaction*; **Bally Thun** (2004 entry) (with **K.Rondeau** and **T. Wagar**)
- *Downsizing, Restructuring and Workplace Performance: Evidence From the Public Sector*; **Peggy Wallace** (2003 entry)
- *Socialized in a "long hours" culture? An exploratory study of the socialization of accounting students*; **Amy Warren** (2004 entry) (with **A. J. Mills**)
- *Death at Work: Towards a More Authentically Safe Workplace*; **Terrance Weatherbee & Kelly Dye** (2002 entry) (with **A. Mills**)

With 14 students presenting 16 papers, this was the largest conference representation of Sobey PhD students to date. Most of the papers appear in the conference proceedings, one won Best Paper, and one of our students, **Mary Runte**, headed up the conference Gender & Diversity in Organizations Division.

Our PhD student publications this year include:

- **Catano, V. M., & Bissonette, A.** 2005. *Recruitment and selection in Canada: Data from the workplace and employee survey*, February/March, 70 ed., Vol. March 2005: *HR Professional*.
- **Cooke, B., Mills, A. J., & Kelley, E. S.** 2005. *Situating Maslow in Cold War America: A Recontextualization of Management Theory*. *Group and Organization Management*, 30 (2), pp.129-152

PHILOSOPHY

Dr. Chris MacDonald presented the paper "Corporate Decisions and the Dual Democratic Deficit in GM Food Labeling" at the Society for Business Ethics in Hawaii; August 2005.

Dr. Sheldon Wein presented two papers, "Global International Law" and "Legal Positivism after the Hart-Dworkin Era" at the XXII World Congress of Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy hosted by International Society for the Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy; May 24-29; in Granada, Spain. Dr. Wein also served as the acting President of the Canadian Section of the International Society for the Philosophy of Law and Social Philosophy.

POLITICAL SCIENCE

Dr. Alexandra Dobrowolsky presented the paper "Social Exclusion and Changes to Citizenship in Britain: Women and Children, Minorities and Migrants" at the Canadian Political Science Association Annual General Meeting in London, ON; June 1-5, 2005

RELIGIOUS STUDIES

Dr. Paul Bowlby participated in the Religious Diversity in Canada Roundtable discussion: "Response to Religion and Ethnicity in Canada" in London, ON; May-June 2, 2005.

Dr. Anne Marie Dalton was the Organizer for the "Religion & the Environment: Global Challenges & Contextual Situations" – CSSR & ESAC Joint Panel in London, ON; May-June 2, 2005.

SOCIOLOGY & CRIMINOLOGY

Dr. Diane Crocker presented the paper "What Would Third-Wave Feminist Socio-Legal Scholarship Look Like Anyway?" at the Canadian Law & Society Association at Harrison Hot Spring, BC; Law's Empire; June 2005.

Dr. John McMullan presented the paper "Lost Lives at Westray: Medico-legal Power, Public Truth and Controversial Deaths at Work" at the Law's Empire Conference in Harrison Hot Springs, BC; June 2005

Dr. John McMullan has authored "News, Truth and Crime: The Westray Disaster and its Aftermath" Fernwood Publishing Halifax 2005.

Dr. Helen Ralston, (Emeritus), attended the Interdisciplinary International Women's Congress WWOS with the theme "Embracing the Earth: North/South, East/West" in Seoul, South Korea. She presented a paper titled "Transnational Analysis of Women in the South Asian Diaspora". Dr. Ralston also attended the 28th International Sociology of Religions Conference with the theme "Religion and Society: Challenging Boundaries" in Zagreb, Croatia. There she presented a paper entitled "Religion, Identity and Belonging among Transnational South Asian Women" in July 2005.

Dr. Henry Veltmeyer

Conference Presentations

- "Getting Published in CJDS," Presentation at Panel of Journal Editors, CASID, Congress of Learned Societies, London, June 3.
- *Development and Globalization as Imperialism*. Canadian Council of Area Studies Learned Societies (CCASLS). Concordia University, Montreal, April 28.

Books Authored/coauthored and edited

- *Social Movements and the State: Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Ecuador*. London: Pluto Press. (coauthored with **James Petras**). Translated into Spanish as *Movimientos sociales y poder estatal* (Buenos Aires: Editorial Lumen).
- *Atlantic Canada in an Era of Globalization*. Toronto: Garamond Press (coedited with **James Sacouman**; authored introductory chapter)
- *Empire with Imperialism*. London: Zed Books /Halifax: Fernwood Books (coauthored with **Luciano Vasapollo** and **James Petras**). Translated in Spanish as *Imperio con Imperialismo: la dinámica globalizadora del capitalismo neoliberal* (Mexico: Editorial Siglo XXI; Havana: Editorial de Ciencias Sociales).
- *Lotte e Regimi in America Latina*. Rome: Jaca Book. (with **R. Antunes** and **J. Petras**)

Journal Articles/Book Chapters

- *Globalization or Imperialism?* In Daniel Egan and Levon Chorbajian (eds.), *Power: A Critical Reader*. Prentice Hall.
- *Democratic Governance and Participatory Development: The Role of Development NGOs*, *Seton Hall Journal of Diplomacy and International Relations*, Vol. VI, No.2, Summer/Fall.
- *Sull'impero in America Latina*. Inchiasta [Milan] Año XXXV, No. 147, gennaio-marzo.
- *From Development to Imperialism*. Pp. 219-28 in *Perspectives on World Politics*, 3rd. edition, edited by Richard Little and Michael Smith. London and NY: Routledge.
- *Rethinking Underdevelopment in Atlantic Canada* (2005). In *Atlantic Canada in an Era of Globalization*. Toronto: Garamond Press.



Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, was quoted in The Halifax Chronicle Herald and on 1270 AM Radio (Sydney, Nova Scotia), K94 FM Radio (Sydney, Nova Scotia), and Country 101 FM Radio (Halifax, Nova Scotia) regarding potential power rate hikes and how they could impact university tuition in Nova Scotia. He was also quoted in The Halifax Chronicle Herald regarding the First Ministers Conference held in Banff, Alberta this summer and the important role this meeting played in addressing issues of higher education.

Dr. David Wicks, Acting Dean, Sobey School of Business, was interviewed by Time Magazine about the Executive Master of Business Administration (EMBA) program and professional development (non-credit) programs offered on the main campus of Saint Mary's and at the World Trade and Convention Centre in downtown Halifax.

Dr. Harvey Silverstein, Director of the EMBA program, worked with Profit Magazine in order to promote the EMBA program offered through the Sobey School of Business and the high calibre of professional it attracts year after year.

Dr. Richard Allon, Director of the Centre for Leadership Excellence (Sobey School of Business) was interviewed by The Globe and Mail and The Halifax Chronicle-Herald about the centre and its benefits for businesses in Atlantic Canada.

Larry Corrigan, VP Finance, is featured in the latest issue of Canada's DC Forum (Published by Benefits Canada) in which he discusses the plans available to faculty and staff for investing in their future.

The National Post highlighted the fact that **Monica Wood**, Director of Student Recruitment, attended the Royal Lake of the Woods Yacht Club Dance – an event that attracted prominent individuals who have and will continue to shape Canada.

ATV's Live at 5:00 Show interviewed **Dr. David Richardson**, Dean of Science, and other biology lab assistants, about the uniqueness and growth of the University's Pollen Forecasting Program. The Halifax Daily News, CBC Radio (Nova Scotia) and CBC French Radio also reported this story. Each outlet underscored the benefits of this community outreach project that the University is conducting with Environment Canada and the Lung Association of Nova Scotia.

Martin Rutte, Chair of the Board of the Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace at Saint Mary's, was interviewed on ATV's Live at 5:00 Show and appeared in The Globe and Mail where, on both occasions, he spoke about the importance and uniqueness of people discovering meaning in their jobs. Both popular media outlets underscored the new Centre for Spirituality and the Workplace at Saint Mary's and how this area of study is becoming of deep interest to workers and employers across North America.

Dr. Russell Westhaver, Sociology Department, was interviewed by CBC Radio (Nova Scotia) about his research on Crystal Meth use in Canada's gay communities. He was also interviewed by The Halifax Chronicle Herald about this topic, and news of his research was published in The Harm Reduction Newsletter, a publication produced in Toronto and distributed across Canada to addiction help-centres.

Dr. Linda Christiansen-Ruffman, Sociology Department, was quoted in The Halifax Daily News and The Halifax Chronicle Herald about why she nominated Muriel Duckworth, a well known activist, for the 2005 Nobel Peace Prize.

The Toronto Star and the Kitchener-Waterloo Record reported on DeGrassi High School's 25th Birthday. Both publications utilized quotes from **Dr. Michele Byers**, Sociology Department, who is the editor of Growing Up DeGrassi Television, Identity and Youth Cultures - a New Anthology.

Dr. Camilla Holmvall, a psychology and management professor at Saint Mary's, was interviewed by CBC Radio (Nova Scotia) where she spoke about her research which examines how the relationships patients have with their health care providers sway attitudes and behaviours.

Dr. Steven Smith, Psychology Department, was interviewed by CBC Radio's Information Morning Program (Nova Scotia) where he spoke about the importance of following healthy lifestyles.

Dr. Lori Francis, Psychology Department, was interviewed by CBC Radio's Information Morning Program (Nova Scotia), discussing her research on workplace stress.

Dr. Veronica Stinson, Psychology Department, was interviewed by The Transcript Newspaper where she talked about her research that examines the credibility and validity of eyewitness reports of occupational accidents.

Dr. Stephen Davis, Anthropology Department, and his crew of graduate students, recently conducted a dig at the corner of Hollis and Salter Streets – the location of a new 125-room Marriott Hotel that will include rows of shops and a 38-unit condo building. This project garnered the attention of a number of media outlets, including: CTV National News, CBC National News, CBC Canada Now, CBC Radio (Nova Scotia), ATV/CTV News Global News, The Halifax Chronicle Herald, The Halifax Daily News, The North Bay Ontario Nugget, and The Southender Magazine. Dr. Davis also spoke with CBC's Sounds Like Canada about why people collect various items such as hockey cards and other so-called memorabilia.

Saint Mary's archaeology professor **Jonathan Fowler** and his team of students excavated a site at Grand Pre National Historic Site this past summer. This project attracted the interest of a number of media outlets, including: CBC Radio (New Brunswick), CBC Radio (French Radio – Nova Scotia and New Brunswick), and The Halifax Chronicle Herald.

Dr. Rob Singer, Chemistry Department, was quoted in The New Scientist Magazine, where he spoke about his research in "green chemistry." Also, News outlets, like CBC Radio (National), CBC Radio (Sydney, Nova Scotia) and The Transcript Newspaper, became extremely interested in hearing that the Australian Government will provide \$51,000.00 (AUD) so that scientists from Saint Mary's University and Monash University in Melbourne, Australia can advance the practice of "green chemistry."

Dr. Marc Lamoureux, Chemistry Department and Environmental Studies Department, appeared on CBC National News, where he commented on whether or not nuclear energy would become a thing of the past.

Dr. Keith Vaughan, Chemistry Department, appeared in The Halifax Daily News as he showcased his Parade of Sail Photography Show to Haligonians and tourists alike this past summer.

Dr. Jamal Badawi, Management Department, was highlighted in Australia's New Strait Times and The US News Tribune (via the Kansas City bureau) for his work in helping people around the world to better understand Muslim culture and beliefs.

Dr. Larry Haiven, Management Department, wrote a major story in The Halifax Chronicle Herald that probed how unions serve as a standard for employee discipline. Dr. Haiven was also noted in a story by The Cape Breton Post for research he is doing in Nova Scotia and in the United Kingdom that looks at ways of reviving former mining communities in these areas.

Dr. Najah Attig, Finance and Management Science Department, appeared in The Toronto Star, and The Kitchener-Waterloo Record talking about the unproven accusations leveled against big corporate executives, such as Conrad Black of Hollinger Inc. and Vic De Zen of Royal Group Technologies Inc. Both The Toronto Star and The Kitchener-Waterloo Record, as well as The Halifax Chronicle Herald, highlighted Dr. Attig's essay, "Corporate Governance and Investor Concerns," that earned him a \$10,000 award from Barclays Global Investors Canada Ltd.

Dr. Andrew Harvey, Economics Department, appeared on ATV's Live at 5:00 Program and has been quoted by The Toronto Star and The Halifax Chronicle Herald since the rise in gas prices took effect during mid summer. He also recently appeared on ATV's Live at 5:00 Show talking about how the damage caused by Hurricane Katrina could mean a rise in oil prices and threaten the economy. In addition, he also appeared on ATV/CTV talking about how the United States and Canada are considering altering daylight savings time.

Dr. Tony Charles, Finance and Management Department and Environmental Studies Department, was quoted in The St. John's Telegram Journal and The Halifax Chronicle Herald about the need to protect fish habitats around the world.

Dr. Joseph Hahn, Saint Mary's Canada Research Chair (Tier 2) in Astronomy and Physics, was quoted in Obesity, Fitness and Wellness Magazine and Biotech Weekly about how the simulation of planet formation would explain orbit eccentricities.

The Canadian Press Newswire (national and international) reported that **Dr. David Guenther**, Astronomy and Physics Department, and an international research team of which he is a member have discovered "out-of-tune" vibrations in the nearby sun-like star eta Bootis.

Dr. Roby Austin was interviewed by The Transcript Newspaper about her research involving radioactive beams.

David Lane, Astronomy and Physics Department, has been busy this summer talking about astronomy topics of all sorts to CBC Radio (Nova Scotia and New Brunswick) and The Halifax Chronicle Herald.

ATV's Live at 5:00 Show conducted an interview with **Sarah Morris**, Student Services Department, where she had the opportunity to inform viewers of the extensive planning and training that is conducted by security, residence assistants and members of the Saint Mary's University Students' Association in order to ensure the campus remains safe during Orientation Week and all year long.

Scott MacMillan, a PhD student at the Sobey School of Business, was highlighted in The Halifax Chronicle Herald for placing third overall in a research topic competition held recently by the Academy of Management at its annual conference in Hawaii. MacMillan was recognized for his dissertation proposal, "Meaning, Spirituality and Work: The Relationship Between Life Orientation and Work Orientation."

Saint Mary's University Chosen as Atlantic ICT Partner for World Chambers of Commerce Business Cluster Headquartered in Canada

Saint Mary's University has been selected as an Information, Communication, Technology (ICT) partner for the new World Chambers Network (WCN) Consortium's new university-based technology business cluster. The partnership was announced this summer at a WCN function in Vancouver. The event was attended by Mary McAleese, President of Ireland, and senior business leaders from around the world.

Based in Paris, France, the WCN represents more than 12,000 Chambers worldwide including the Halifax Chamber of Commerce. Saint Mary's joins the National Chamber of Ireland and Simon Fraser University as a key ICT partner for the university-based technology business cluster.

Dr. Dawn Jutla, Professor in the Finance & Management Science Department of the Sobey School of Business, represented Saint Mary's at the Vancouver function. Dr. Jutla's connection with the WCN dates back to 2001.

The WCN, based in Paris, France, is an organization with global reach and responsibilities. As the international trade, online, and trust services arm of the International Chamber of Commerce - World Chambers Federation, the WCN commissions and operates the official electronic global backbones and related chamber and business services of the world's business organization.

The university based technology business cluster involving Saint Mary's and Simon Fraser is a new application which sits on top of the backbone structure of the Global Enterprise Innovations and Commerce Center (GEICC), a global ICT backbone array launched in late 2004 in Vancouver, by senior executives of the World Chambers. The GEICC backbone structures cover systems and related business and R+D services which encompass over 12,000 chambers of commerce / boards of trade worldwide, which represent well over 25 million businesses. Referring to these systems in December 2004, a writer for the Golbe and Mail stated that "together they mean a whole new spectrum of on-line services for chambers of commerce around the world, acknowledging the new business-without-borders reality that the Internet and free trade have spawned".

The bi-coastal Canadian ICT-based business cluster will include a series of IP services and other business services and commercialization promotions through the global chamber network, as well as specific R+D on applied themes, such as IP security, trust technologies, and capital and skill availability issues.

Many of the new technologies underlying the world's business organization have been developed by Canada's private sector for the WCN over the past five years, and the new university based technology business cluster which includes SMU can now begin to leverage that established leadership.

Georges Fischer, Chair of the World Chambers Network Consortium

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's University, added "the Sobey's School of Business, accredited by AACSB with its successful and highly regarded programs, such as the PhD in Business Administration and the Masters of Business Administration both including information technology management, highly-skilled and multi-disciplinary business faculty, entrepreneurial capacity, and a track record of attracting outstanding students is ideally positioned to contribute to Canada's networked e-economy. We are continuously working with our present strategic partners and garnering new partnerships to play a valuable role in strengthening the entrepreneurial capacity and economy of the Atlantic Canada region. Our partnership with the WCN, SFU and Ireland on the university based technology business cluster is just one facet of the increased role Atlantic Canada can play".

Joachim Knauf, Director of North American Affairs of the WCN, added, "The partnership with Saint Mary's will enhance our strength in research and development of new global ICT-based commercialization services for business. These services, which often revolve around trust and security, are key elements in the emerging online and global knowledge-based economy. Knauf hopes that the current university-based business cluster represents just the start of expanded World Chambers activities in our region, noting that "Halifax has a lot of inherent advantages for conducting international business in the 21st century."

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others, much like the closed atomic shells that make the noble gasses less reactant than other chemicals. Her work falls into the high priority category in the subatomic physics community in Canada. "In the five year scientific plan of the subatomic physics (SAP) community, ISAC is among the top three priorities," she says.

Dr. Austin, who received her PhD in nuclear physics in 2004, has also been granted a University Faculty Award from the Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC). The grant is significant: Last year she received \$50,000, which will be followed by a \$65,000 allotment in each of the next two years. After that, the grant will be reviewed and an additional two years of funding allocated.

The Canada Foundation for Innovation (CFI) is an independent corporation created by the Government of Canada to fund research infrastructure. The CFI's mandate is to strengthen the capacity of Canadian universities, colleges, research hospitals, and other non-profit research institutions to carry out world-class research and technology development that benefits Canadians.

University Community Gathers in Memory of Dr. Richard (Dick) Beis

On September 29, 2005, more than eighty members of the Saint Mary's community gathered at the University Art Gallery for a memorial in honour of the late Dr. Richard (Dick) H. Beis, Professor Emeritus of Philosophy. One of our most beloved and respected Santamarians, Beis passed away suddenly on September 21, 2005 at age 77.

Dr. John MacKinnon, Chairperson, Department of Philosophy, served as Master of Ceremonies for what was termed a "Celebration of Dick's Life." Those who paid tribute to Beis included Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's; Rev. Dr. D. Laurence DeWolfe, Minister of the Presbyterian Church of Saint David, Halifax; Dr. Arthur Monahan, Professor Emeritus of Philosophy and Former Chairperson of the Department of Philosophy; Dr. Rowland Marshall, Former Chairperson of the Department of Philosophy; and Dr. Terry Murphy, Vice-President Academic and Research, Saint Mary's. Each recalled the manner in which Beis touched the lives of countless students, faculty, staff and community members.

Richard's relationship with Saint Mary's began in 1965. After teaching in the United States for five years, he and his family moved to Halifax where he accepted a position in the Department of Philosophy. Thus began an illustrious 25-year career at Saint Mary's, culminating in the designation of Professor Emeritus upon his retirement in 1990.

Richard devoted his life to the relentless pursuit of ethical questions, constantly encouraging his students to question and reason. Over a thirty-year period, he published articles on a variety of controversial and topical ethical issues.

An active member of numerous Faculty committees, Richard was instrumental in forming the University's Faculty Union - the first in Canada. Following his retirement, he continued his research and writings on the study of ethics. For fifteen years, he contributed his time and talents as a volunteer for Feed Nova Scotia (formerly the Metro Food Bank). He also derived particular gratification from his travels to the Gambia where he taught ethics with his trademark fervor and passion.

Richard continues to serve the academic community in death as he did in life; at his request, his body will be donated to Dalhousie University Medical School. A devoted husband and father, he took great pride in the accomplishments of his wife and children. His generosity, caring nature, and sense of humor were renowned among friends, family and colleagues.

He is survived by his wife, Frances (Clabots) Beis; son, Jeffrey (Susan Leech) Beis; granddaughter Billie, Vancouver; daughter, Jill (Graham Collins) Beis and grandson Samuel, Halifax; sister, Margaret Ann (Tanny) Kagerer, Michigan, and many nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his brothers, George C. Beis (Florida) and John Beis (Georgia).

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Feed Nova Scotia or a local food bank of your choice.

English Professor Brings Literature Online

In January 2006, Saint Mary's will begin offering an online version of English 1205: Introduction to Literature. David Wilson, a part-time lecturer in the Department of English, has been the driving force behind this much anticipated initiative.

Wilson undertook the development of the course material this summer in addition to the selection of the appropriate WebCT tools to deliver the content to students.

Said Wilson, "This task required me to rethink the course and transfer pedagogically-sound principles and practices into the new computer version. A good English course lives upon three things: exchanging viewpoints, asking thoughtful questions, and making connections. In other words, an effective literature class must be designed to engage students in an interactive learning environment in order to encourage an appreciation of the written word and to foster critical thinking."

Wilson admits to having some initial reservations about teaching literature online. However, they quickly dissipated as he began the Web design process. Now that the course is ready to commence, he is confident that the computer-based method of teaching literature will be just as dynamic as the classroom experience. "In fact, the online version is quite similar to my classroom English course," he said.

WebCT is a secure computer environment that allows only registered students to gain access to the course, while the WebCT tools enable an instructor to create a multi-media experience for students. In addition to integrating textual elements online such as handouts, readings, quizzes, and assignments, Wilson has added images for each module such as pictures of the writers and paintings that connect to the material. Recognizing that students learn in different ways, he has employed audio and video tools throughout the site. "Songs, readings of the poems and stories, and video clips of the plays and novellas will all enhance the experience of reading different works of literature," he said.

"Communication in a distance course is crucial and WebCT promotes close interaction between an instructor and his or her students through email, real time chat rooms, and most of all through public discussion boards, where students can log on to post questions or comments, and to read what other students are thinking about," said Wilson. "Indeed, the discussion board ends up being a spontaneous place where information is exchanged and opinions tested, just like in a traditional classroom."

Wilson integrated two elements from his English classes into the Web version - his personality and thematically-connected material. "My classes are highly structured with detailed outlines, specific deadlines, and constant feedback," he said. "An organized teaching environment is important so that students know what is required of them; however, I encourage exploration and experimentation from my students, thereby allowing them to learn from one another, especially through group work. WebCT allowed me to create a solid structure for students to orientate themselves and collaborate. It let me establish a presence through an opening video message and an instructor profile." Wilson has also set up "virtual office hours" to enable his online students to stay in contact with him.

Students can look forward to material that focuses on several themes: change, identity, the individual and society, and relationships. "I've tried to use classic and contemporary works that I believe will engage the class," he said. "Thus, the Web version of English 1205 will look much like my regular 1205 - as it should."

Saint Mary's Honours the Greats in Varsity Sport

On Friday, October 14, 2005, some of the finest Santamarians in Varsity Sports were honoured by the University. Faculty, staff, students, alumni, and community members gathered at the Tower Courtside Lounge for a special ceremony in which officials from the Sport Hall of Fame and Heritage Centre inducted three sports heroes into the Hall of Fame and recognized the achievements of student athletes from the 1940s.

Those who were recognized from the 1940s included Father Henry Kline, Hughie MacDonald, Bill McCoombs, Frank (Tusker) O'Neill, Bruce Hyland, Ernest (Butch) Gummer, Frank Graves, Ed Godwin and Don Fultz. Joyce MacLellan and Clair Foley accepted on behalf of their late husbands, Joe MacLellan and Wally Foley. Other deceased pioneer selects are Alex Allan, Floyd Keddy, Joe Hemsworth, Joe (Bunker) Hill, Jim McManus, Bernard (Bun) Mulcahy, Ron O'Keefe, Gerald Reardon and Ralph Vaughan. Many were in attendance, as were a large number of alumni from across Canada who were on-campus to celebrate 2005 Homecoming Week.

The 2005 Hall of Fame inductees included Frank Arment, Brian Heaney, and Bill Mullane. "We are proud to have people of this caliber inducted into the Hall," said Dr. David Murphy, Athletics Director at Saint Mary's, who also serves as a member of the Saint Mary's University Sport Hall of Fame and Heritage Centre Steering Committee. "Just by chance this year we have outstanding athletes from the 50s, 60s and 70s. This was certainly not planned; however it shows how the tradition of athletic excellence and pride at Saint Mary's spans over decades".

Frank Arment, a lawyer in Cohasset, Massachusetts, played football at Saint Mary's during the 1960s. His talent on the field earned him the Most Valuable Lineman Award in 1961, 1962 and 1963. The fact that he played three positions – offensive tackle, defensive tacks and defensive end – is an indication of his versatile athletic ability.

While he was talented on the field, he was also an excellent basketball player. In this connection, Arment played for both Huskies football and basketball teams in 1962. Following graduation from the University in the spring of 1963, he was courted to play professional football with a number of CFL teams. During these years he was named to the Maritime All-Star Team. He made outstanding achievements as an athlete at Saint Mary's, considering the high caliber of athletic competition during this time period. His personal character reflected his competitive nature for athletics as he achieved success in academics when he fulfilled his dream of becoming a professional lawyer.

Brian Heaney is one of the greatest names in Canadian basketball history. Though he is being recognized for his coaching contributions here at SMU, he first established himself as a basketball player on the Canadian scene in the late 1960s as a guard with the Acadian Axemen. He has enjoyed one of the most successful careers in Canadian basketball history, earning All-Canadian Honours, winning a Canadian Interuniversity Sport (CIS) National Championship and scoring a record shattering 74 points in a single game which is a record that still stands today. In 1970, he went on to become the first Canadian trained player to play in the NBA. He played for the Baltimore Bullets of the NBA, a team that featured such stars as Wes Unseld, Eal Monroe, Gus Johnson, Kevin Loughery, Jack Marin and Freddy Carter.

In 1971, he took the position as head coach of the Huskies basketball team. His team won three Canadian CIS Basketball Championships during his time as coach.

He also served as coach of the Canadian National Women's Basketball team that was preparing for the 1976 Olympics. Coach Heaney was also head coach of the Canadian Women's National Team at the World Championships in Bogota, Columbia as well as the Pan American Games in Mexico City. That same year he was also head coach of the Canadian women's National Team at the Olympic Games in Montreal. He has served as President of the National Association of Basketball Coaches of Canada. He has also been inducted into Canada's Basketball Hall of Fame, and currently serves as a member of the Nova Scotia Sport Hall of Fame.

Heaney has also emerged as one of Canada's most experienced broadcasters, participating in over 500 on-air events as a basketball analyst for the NBA as well as the CIS.

Bill Mullane was a star player for the Saint Mary's Huskies basketball team from 1956 to 1959. He came to Saint Mary's via Saint Patrick's High School where he played both basketball and hockey. In his rookie year at Saint Mary's, he quickly became a standout on the varsity team and was nicknamed "Shooter" among fans and teammates alike for his ability to score a large number of points per game. During a semi-final play-off game against Acadia, he collected 43 points – an outstanding feat for a first year player. In the 1957-58 seasons, he was named the league's top scorer after scoring 98 points in only eight games.

In his third and final year as a basketball player, his team, under the capable coaching of Frank Baldwin, placed first in the league standings, losing only one game during the regular season. The team of course was led by "The Shooter" who won the league scoring championship and in so doing set a new record for Maritime Intercollegiate play by scoring 50 points in one single game. He also averaged 19 points per game during his last season wearing Maroon and White.

The purpose of the Saint Mary's University Sport Hall of Fame and Heritage Centre is to recognize those individuals who have made a significant contribution to the athletic programs at Saint Mary's, and who, as a result of this contribution, have enhanced the image and reputation of the institution.

In celebration of the rich tradition and heritage of sport and recreation at Saint Mary's University, the Sport Hall of Fame and Heritage Centre was founded in 1995.

For over 200 years, students, faculty and staff have shared a sport tradition as athletes, builders and teams.



Dr. David Murphy, Director of Athletics, and Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President of Saint Mary's, display a plaque recognizing the achievements of student athletes from the 1940s.

Roy Clements Named Coach Emeritus

More than one hundred members of the Saint Mary's community gathered at the Tower Courtside Lounge for a special event on October 16, 2005 at which Roy Clements was named Coach Emeritus for Saint Mary's University.

"Coach," as he is called by many Santamarians, began building his reputation as a knowledgeable, devoted mentor between 1957 and 1963 as he guided teams representing The Halifax Shipyards and Morse's Tea to the top of Nova Scotia Senior Soccer and led HMCS Stadacona to numerous Atlantic and Maritime Command championships.

Dr. J. Colin Dodds, President, Saint Mary's, noted that Clements will be the first Saint Mary's coach to be granted the title of Coach Emeritus. "He has truly made a lasting impact on the sport of soccer both locally and nationally. I cannot think of a more deserving choice for this honour," said Dodds.

Clements was already a seasoned pioneer of the Maritime soccer scene when he arrived to coach at Saint Mary's in 1964. He made his presence felt immediately and molded his first team into region champions in 1965 and 1966. During the next 20 years, his involvement in soccer broadened as he initiated Junior Olympic Soccer Clinics and the Saint Mary's Annual Indoor Soccer Tournaments. He also helped organize the Canada Games.

Meanwhile, on the soccer field, his very own Huskies won three more league championships and two AUAA (now called AUS) championships. In 1979, they were silver medalists and Eastern Canadian CIAU (now CIS) champions. He was recognized as the AUAA Coach of the Year in 1978 and again in 1981.

This industrious and innovative native of Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire, England, who is credited with designing the single posted football upright, retired from full-time coaching at Saint Mary's in 1983.

For over 50 years, he has been a valued and enthusiastic administrator who has played a major role in fostering the popularity, success and enormous growth of soccer in Nova Scotia. He has served as the president of Soccer Nova Scotia, managed the Armed Forces League, chaired the Atlantic Universities' Soccer Conference, was a Commissioner of the Halifax Metro Soccer League and has represented Nova Scotia as a delegate to the CSFA.

His commitment to Saint Mary's and the soccer community have not gone unnoticed. He has received a Gold M Award from the Saint Mary's Student Association twice. He has been honoured by Soccer Nova Scotia, the cities of Halifax and Dartmouth, the Nova Scotia Department of Culture, Recreation and Fitness, and Sports Nova Scotia. In 1983, he was the recipient of the AUAA Board of Directors Award for Contributions to University Soccer.



With the support of sponsors Manulife Financial and Exit Realty, members of the Saint Mary's Huskies Football Team recently assisted Habitat for Humanity with the construction of two homes in the Forest Hills area of Dartmouth, NS.



Huskies Linebacker Matthew Fox tackles an opponent during the Saint Mary's – Laval game on September 24, 2005 at Huskies Stadium.



HUSKIES SCHEDULE 2005-2006 SEASON

MENS BASKETBALL

When	Away	Home	Notes
Thursday, October 13, 2005 7:00 PM	McMaster	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Saturday, October 15, 2005 (Time TBA)	Calgary	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Sunday, October 16, 2005 (Time TBA)	Brock	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Friday, October 21, 2005 (Time TBA)	Tournament	UNB	Exhibition
Friday, October 28, 2005 (Time TBA)	Tournament	St.FX	Exhibition
Game 1 Saturday, November 12, 2005 8:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Memorial	
Game 2 Sunday, November 13, 2005 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Memorial	
Game 3 Friday, November 18, 2005 8:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 4 Friday, November 25, 2005 8:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	
Game 5 Thursday, December 01, 2005 8:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Thursday, December 29, 2005 (Time TBA)	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	Rob Shoveller Tournament
Game 6 Thursday, January 05, 2006 8:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 7 Sunday, January 08, 2006 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 8 Thursday, January 12, 2006 8:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
Game 9 Sunday, January 15, 2006 5:00 PM	Cape Breton	Saint Mary's	
Game 10 Friday, January 20, 2006 8:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 11 Sunday, January 22, 2006 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 12 Thursday, January 26, 2006 8:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. FX	
Game 13 Sunday, January 29, 2006 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Cape Breton	
Game 14 Thursday, February 02, 2006 8:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 15 Saturday, February 11, 2006 8:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 16 Sunday, February 12, 2006 3:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 17 Sunday, February 19, 2006 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 18 Friday, February 24, 2006 8:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
Game 19 Sunday, February 26, 2006 3:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
Game 20 Saturday, March 04, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Friday, March 10, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	AUS Championship
Friday, March 17, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	CIS Championship

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL

When	Away	Home	Notes
Friday, October 7	Saskatchewan	Saint Mary's	Helen Campbell Tourn.(UNB)
Saturday, October 8	Ottawa	Saint Mary's	Helen Campbell Tourn.(UNB)
Sunday, October 9	DAL	Saint Mary's	Helen Campbell Tourn.(UNB)
Friday, October 14, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	Exhibition
Sunday, October 16, 2005 5:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Friday, October 21 6:00 PM	UQAM	Saint Mary's	Subway Tourn. (Dal)
Friday, October 28, 2005 (Time TBA)	Saint Mary's	Concordia	Exhibition
Saturday, October 29, 2005 4:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Bishop's	Exhibition
Sunday, October 30, 2005 noon	Saint Mary's	UQAM	Exhibition
Monday, November 7, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	UdeM Tournament
Game 1 Saturday, November 12, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Memorial	
Game 2 Sunday, November 13, 2005 11:00 AM	Saint Mary's	Memorial	
Game 3 Friday, November 18, 2005 6:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 4 Friday, November 25, 2005 6:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	
Game 5 Thursday, December 01, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Thursday, December 29-31, 2005	Saint Mary's	Exhibition	Huskies Holiday Tourn.
Game 6 Thursday, January 05, 2006 6:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 7 Sunday, January 08, 2006 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 8 Thursday, January 12, 2006 6:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
Game 9 Sunday, January 15, 2006 3:00 PM	Cape Breton	Saint Mary's	
Game 10 Friday, January 20, 2006 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 11 Sunday, January 22, 2006 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 12 Thursday, January 26, 2006 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Game 13 Sunday, January 29, 2006 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Cape Breton	
Game 14 Thursday, February 02, 2006 6:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 15 Saturday, February 11, 2006 6:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 16 Sunday, February 12, 2006 1:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 17 Saturday, February 18, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 18 Sunday, February 19, 2006 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 19 Friday, February 24, 2006 6:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
Game 20 Sunday, February 26, 2006 1:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
★ Friday, March 03, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	AUS Championship at UPEI
★ Friday, March 10, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	CIS Championship at UNB

CROSS COUNTRY SCHEDULE

When	Notes	Location
Saturday, September 17, 2005 12 / 12:45	MEET #1	U de Moncton
Saturday, September 24, 2005 12 / 12:45	MEET #2	Saint Mary's
Saturday, October 08, 2005 12 / 12:45	MEET #3	Dalhousie
Saturday, October 15, 2005 12 / 12:45	MEET #4	St./FX
★ Sunday, October 30, 2005 12 / 12:45	AUS Championship	UNB
★ Saturday, November 12, 2005 (Time TBA)	CIS Championship	Dalhousie

FIELD HOCKEY SCHEDULE

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Saturday, September 17, 2005 4:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	SMU Tournament
Game 2 Saturday, September 17, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	SMU Tournament
Game 3 Saturday, September 17, 2005 9:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	SMU Tournament
Game 4 Sunday, September 18, 2005 9:00 AM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	Dal Tournament
Game 5 Saturday, October 1, 2005 5:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	UNB Tournament
Game 6 Sunday, October 2, 2005 9:00 AM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	UNB Tournament
Game 7 Sunday, October 2, 2005 12:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	UNB Tournament
Game 8 Sunday, October 2, 2005 2:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	UNB Tournament
Game 9 Saturday, October 22, 2005 2:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	UPEI Tournament
Game 10 Sunday, October 22, 2005 4:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	UPEI Tournament
Game 11 Sunday, October 23, 2005 10:00 AM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	UPEI Tournament
Game 12 Sunday, October 23, 2005 1:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	UPEI Tournament

FOOTBALL

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Fri, Sep 09, 19:00 Atlantic	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 2 Sat, Sep 17, 14:00 Atlantic	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Game 3 Sat, Sep 24, 14:00 Atlantic	Laval	Saint Mary's	
Game 4 Sat, Oct 01, 13:00 Atlantic	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 5 Sat, Oct 08, 14:00 Atlantic	Saint Mary's	Mount Allison	
Game 6 Fri, Oct 14, 19:00 Atlantic	St.FX	Saint Mary's	Homecoming
Game 7 Sat, Oct 22, 12:00 Eastern	Saint Mary's	Montreal	
Game 8 Fri, Oct 28, 19:00 Atlantic	Mount Allison	Saint Mary's	
★ Sat, Nov 05, 13:00 Atlantic	AUS #3	AUS #2	Conference Semi-Final
★ Sat, Nov 12, 13:00 Atlantic	Playoff Winner	AUS #1	Conference Final- Jewett Trophy
★ Sat, Nov 19, TBA Atlantic	OUA Winner	AUS Winner	National Semi-Final-Uteck Bowl
★ Sat, Dec 03, TBA	Uteck Bowl Winner	Mitchell Bowl Winner	Vanier Cup (Hamilton, ON)

MENS HOCKEY

When	Away	Home	Notes
Friday, September 30, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Lakehead	Exhibition
Saturday, October 01, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Lakehead	Exhibition
Thursday, October 06, 2005 7:30 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	Exhibition
Saturday, October 08, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	Exhibition
Game 1 Wednesday, October 12, 2005 7:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 2 Friday, October 14, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. FX	
Game 3 Friday, October 21, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	U de Moncton	
Game 4 Saturday, October 22, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. Thomas	
Game 5 Wednesday, October 26, 2005 7:00 PM	U de Moncton	Saint Mary's	
Game 6 Saturday, October 29, 2005 7:00 PM	St. Thomas	Saint Mary's	
Game 7 Friday, November 04, 2005 7:30 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 8 Saturday, November 05, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 9 Friday, November 11, 2005 7:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
Game 10 Saturday, November 12, 2005 7:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 11 Friday, November 18, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 12 Saturday, November 19, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 13 Wednesday, November 23, 2005 7:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	
Game 14 Friday, November 25, 2005 7:30 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 15 Wednesday, November 30, 2005 7:00 PM	St. FX	Saint Mary's	

Thursday, December 29, 2005 (Time TBA)	•	•	UNB Tourney - Exhibition
Game 16 Friday, January 06, 2006 7:00 PM	St. Thomas	Saint Mary's	
Game 17 Saturday, January 07, 2006 7:00 PM	U de Moncton	Saint Mary's	
Game 18 Friday, January 13, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. Thomas	
Game 19 Saturday, January 14, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	U de Moncton	
Game 20 Wednesday, January 18, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 21 Friday, January 20, 2006 7:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 22 Saturday, January 21, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. FX	
Game 23 Friday, January 27, 2006 7:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 24 Saturday, January 28, 2006 7:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
Game 25 Friday, February 03, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 26 Saturday, February 04, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 27 Friday, February 10, 2006 7:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 28 Saturday, February 11, 2006 7:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
★ Wednesday, February 15, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	QTR FINALS - AUS
★ Wednesday, February 22, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	SEMI FINALS - AUS
★ Wednesday, March 01, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	FINALS - AUS
★ Thursday, March 23, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	CIS Championship (Alberta)

WOMENS HOCKEY

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Saturday, October 22, 2005 2:00 PM	Guelph	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Game 2 Sunday, October 23, 2005 3:00 PM	U de Moncton	Saint Mary's	
Game 3 Saturday, October 29, 2005 3:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 4 Sunday, October 30, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 5 Friday, November 04, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. Thomas	
Game 6 Sunday, November 06, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Friday, November 11, 2005 (Time TBA)	Mount Allison	Saint Mary's	
Saturday, November 12, 2005 (Time TBA)	Saint Mary's	Concordia	Exhibition
Sunday, November 13, 2005 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Ottawa	Exhibition
Game 7 Saturday, November 19, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	McGill	Exhibition
Game 8 Sunday, November 20, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	U de Moncton	Exhibition
Game 9 Friday, November 25, 2005 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 10 Sunday, November 27, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Mount Allison	
Game 11 Friday, January 13, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. FX	
Game 12 Saturday, January 14, 2006 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. Thomas	
Friday, January 20, 2006 2:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
Sunday, January 22, 2006 12:00 PM	McGill	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Game 13 Saturday, January 28, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Saint Mary's	Exhibition
Game 14 Sunday, January 29, 2006 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 15 Thursday, February 02, 2006 7:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. Thomas	
Game 16 Saturday, February 04, 2006 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Mount Allison	
Game 17 Sunday, February 05, 2006 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St. FX	
Game 18 Saturday, February 11, 2006 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 19 Sunday, February 12, 2006 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	U de Moncton	
Game 20 Saturday, February 18, 2006 2:30 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 21 Sunday, February 19, 2006 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
★ Friday, February 24, 2006 (Time TBA)	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
★ Thursday, March 09, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	AUS Championship Mount A
	•	•	CIS Championship St.FX

RUGBY WOMENS

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Saturday, September 10, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Game 2 Saturday, September 17, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 3 Sunday, September 25, 2005 2:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 4 Saturday, October 01, 2005 2:00 PM	PEI	Saint Mary's	
Game 5 Friday, October 14, 2005 4:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Game 6 Saturday, October 22, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
★ Friday, October 28, 2005 2:00 PM	AUS #3	AUS #2	
★ Sunday, October 30, 2005 2:00 PM	AUS Final	AUS #1	

MENS SOCCER

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Saturday, September 10, 2005 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 2 Sunday, September 18, 2005 3:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 3 Saturday, September 24, 2005 4:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Cape Breton	
Game 4 Sunday, September 25, 2005 4:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Game 5 Saturday, October 01, 2005 3:30 PM	Saint Mary's	Mount Allison	
Game 6 Sunday, October 02, 2005 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 7 Saturday, October 15, 2005 4:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
Game 8 Sunday, October 16, 2005 3:00 PM	Cape Breton	Saint Mary's	
Game 9 Saturday, October 22, 2005 4:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	
Game 10 Saturday, October 29, 2005 3:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 11 Sunday, October 30, 2005 3:00 PM	U de Moncton	Saint Mary's	
★ Friday, November 04, 2005 (Time TBA)	•	•	AUS Championship - AUS
★ Thursday, November 10, 2005 (Time TBA)	•	•	CIS Championship - (UPEI)

WOMENS SOCCER

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Saturday, September 10, 2005 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 2 Sunday, September 11, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Acadia	
Game 3 Sunday, September 18, 2005 1:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 4 Saturday, September 24, 2005 2:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Cape Breton	
Game 5 Sunday, September 25, 2005 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Game 6 Saturday, October 01, 2005 1:30 PM	Saint Mary's	Mount Allison	
Game 7 Sunday, October 02, 2005 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UPEI	
Game 8 Wednesday, October 05, 2005 5:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 9 Saturday, October 15, 2005 2:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
Game 10 Sunday, October 16, 2005 1:00 PM	Cape Breton	Saint Mary's	
Game 11 Saturday, October 22, 2005 2:00 PM	Dalhousie	Saint Mary's	
Game 12 Saturday, October 29, 2005 1:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	
Game 13 Sunday, October 30, 2005 1:00 PM	U de Moncton	Saint Mary's	
★ Friday, November 04, 2005 (Time TBA)	•	•	AUS Championships - AUS
★ Thursday, November 10, 2005 (Time TBA)	•	•	CIS Championships - Alberta

WOMENS VOLLEYBALL

When	Away	Home	Notes
Game 1 Friday, September 30, 2005 6:00pm	St.FX	Saint Mary's	Husky Cup
Game 2 Saturday, October 01, 2005 7:00 PM	UNB	Saint Mary's	Husky Cup
Game 3 Sunday, October 02, 2005 1:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	Husky Cup
Friday, October 14, 2005 (Time TBA)	Tournament	McGill	
Game 4 Saturday, October 22, 2005 3:00 PM	Memorial	Saint Mary's	
Game 5 Saturday, November 05, 2005 12:00 PM	Saint Mary's	U de Moncton	
Game 6 Sunday, November 06, 2005 1:00 PM	Saint Mary's	UNB	
Game 7 Saturday, November 12, 2005 6:00 PM	UPEI	Saint Mary's	
Game 8 Sunday, November 13, 2005 1:00 PM	U de Moncton	Saint Mary's	
Game 9 Thursday, November 17, 2005 7:00 PM	Acadia	Saint Mary's	
Game 10 Friday, November 25, 2005 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Cape Breton	
Game 11 Saturday, November 26, 2005 3:00 PM	Saint Mary's	St.FX	
Friday, January 06, 2006 (Time TBA)	•	•	Tournament-Ottawa
Game 12 Friday, January 13, 2006 6:00 PM	Saint Mary's	Dalhousie	
Game 13 Saturday, January 14, 2006 3:00 PM	St.FX	Saint Mary's	
Game 14 Friday, January 20, 2006 2:00 PM	UQTR	Saint Mary's	in Sherbrooke
Game 15 Saturday, January 21, 2006 12:00 PM	McGill	Saint Mary's	in Sherbrooke
Game 16 Saturday, January 21, 2006 6:00 PM	Laval	Saint Mary's	in Sherbrooke
Game 17 Sunday, January 22, 2006 2:00 PM	Montreal	Saint Mary's	in Sherbrooke
Game 18 Saturday, January 28, 2006 3:00 PM	Cape Breton	Saint Mary's	
Game 1			