ST. ANDREW'S COLLEGE
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2022

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MISSION STATEMENT

St. Andrew's College is the Theological school of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada. The College exists to promote Orthodox spirituality, academic excellence, cultural awareness, and leadership within the Church, the Ukrainian Canadian Community, and Canadian society.

ЦІЛІ ТА ЗАВДАННЯ КОЛЕГІЇ СВ. АНДРЕЯ У ВІННІПЕЗІ

- Провадити програми та курси з Православного Християнського Богослов’я;
- Готувати кандидатів у священики на службу в Українській Православній Церкві в Канаді та інших Православних Церквах;
- Підтримувати факультет в науковій та освітній діяльності;
- Виховувати громадських проповідників;
- Забезпечувати життєдіяльність українського православного християнського гуртожитку на території кампусу Манітобського Університету;
- Підтримувати Центр Українських Канадських Студій, тим самим підтверджувати афіляцію з Манітобським Університетом;
- Заохочувати поширення та підтримку української та українсько-канадської культури в канадському суспільстві;
- Розширювати зв’язки з громадою;
- Впроваджувати Православні свідчення на кампусі Манітобського Університету та за його межами.
PRGRAMA:

1. Відкриття зборів / молитва
2. Перевірка присутності
3. Вибір Президії - Голова
   - Секретар
4. Прийняття програми наради
5. Читання і прийняття протоколу з мінулорічних зборів
6. Представлениня звітів за 2021-2022

   a. За Дирекцією:
      Голова Дирекції Колегії Св. Андрея,
      Петруся Буґера
   b. За Фінанси:
      Аудитор, Craig & Ross (Скот Крейг)
      Скарбник, Павло Луко
   v. Інформаційний звіт про Фундацію
      Колегії Св. Андрея:
      Голова, Петруся Буґера
   г. За Адміністрацію:
     Діючий Ректор, Прот. д-р. Роман Божик
   g. За Богословський Факультет:
     Декан, Прот. д-р. Роман Божик
   d. Інформаційний звіт Центру
      Українських Канадських Студій:
      Координатор ЦУКС, Юлія Іванюк

7. Запити та прийняття звітів
8. Вибір 6-ох членів до Дирекції на 2023
9. Вибір номінаційної комісії на 2023
10. Призначення аудиторів на 2023
11. Нові справи
12. Закриття зборів і молитва

AGENDA:

1. Opening of Meeting and Prayer
2. Attendance
3. Election of - Chair
   - Secretary
4. Approval of Agenda
5. Acceptance of the Minutes of the
   Previous Annual Meeting
6. Presentation of Report for 2021-2022

   a. Board of Directors (pgs. 6-7):
      Chair, Ms. Pat Bugera
   b. Financial:
      Auditor, Craig & Ross (Scott Craig) (pgs.1-14)
      Treasurer, Mr. Paul Lucko
   c. St. Andrew's College Foundation (pg. 19):
      Chair, Ms. Pat Bugera
   d. Administration (pgs. 8-16):
      Acting Principal,
      Very Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk
   e. Faculty of Theology (pgs. 17-18):
      Dean, Very Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk
   f. Information Report for the Centre for
      Ukrainian Canadian Studies (pgs. 20-24):
      Coordinator of CUCS, Yuliia Ivaniuk

7. Question Period and Acceptance of Reports
8. Election of 6 Members to the Board for 2023
9. Election of Nominating Committee for 2023
10. Appointment of Auditors for 2023
11. New Business
12. Adjournment and Closing Prayer
It has been my pleasure to serve on the Board of Directors of St. Andrew’s College since December of 2018 and most recently, to serve as Chair. Each of the members of the Board of Directors contribute their time and expertise to oversee the business of the College and to support the primary function of the College - to prepare candidates for the clergy for service in the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada and other Orthodox churches. The volunteerism of each of the members of the Board is truly appreciated. I would also like to express my sincere gratitude to members who will mark the end of their terms on the Board of Directors at the 2022 Sobor. Your contributions have been most appreciated.

The board of Directors would like to acknowledge and thank the administrative, academic, office and support staff for their diligence and exceptional delivery of service throughout the challenging times of the Pandemic. We look forward to a return to more normal operations in the near future.

We are also grateful to the leaders of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada, His Eminence Metropolitan ILARION, Archbishop of Winnipeg and Metropolitan of all of Canada and Chancellor of St. Andrew’s College, and Very Reverend Taras Udod, Chancellor of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada for their support and guidance. Greetings to Fr. Charles Baxter the newly-elected Chancellor of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada.

Most importantly, the College Board wishes to thank donors and friends for their regular and faithful support of the St. Andrew’s College Fund and the St. Andrew’s Scholarship Fund. Your financial support ensures the vital work of the College is accomplished.
EX-OFFICIO MEMBERS:
- His Eminence ILARION, Metropolitan of the U.O.C.C. and Chancellor of St. Andrew’s College
- Chancellor of the U.O.C.C.
  - V. Rev. Fr. Charles Baxter
- Acting Principal - V. Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk
- Dean of Theology - V. Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk

MEMBERS ELECTED BY THE UOCC SOBOR FOR 2022-2025:
- Dobr. Diana Dumanski, Regina
- Mr. Rick Horocholyn, Winnipeg
- Rev. Fr. Evan Maximiuk, Winnipeg
- Mr. Don Popowich, Rocky View County
- Ms. Mary Ann Pylypchuk, Surrey
- Mr. Keith Swinton, Winnipeg
- Ms. Lydia Talpash-Wacko, Sherwood Park
- Mr. Phil Wiwchar, Winnipeg
- Mr. Michael Zienchuk, Etobicoke

MEMBERS ELECTED BY THE ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. ANDREW’S COLLEGE:
- Ms. Pat Bugera, Winnipeg
- Dr. Denis Hlynka, Winnipeg
- Mr. Paul Lasko, Winnipeg
- Mr. Paul Lucko, Portage la Prairie
- Mr. Bob Tablot, Winnipeg

ST. ANDREW’S COLLEGE ALUMNI:
- Theology Alumni - Rev. Fr. Michael Faryna, Yorkton

EXECUTIVE OF THE BOARD:
- Chair - Ms. Pat Bugera
- Vice Chair - Ms. Mary Ann Pylypchuk
- Secretary - Mr. Keith Swinton
- Treasurer - Mr. Paul Lucko

COMMITTEE CHAIRS:
- Finance - Mr. Paul Lucko
- Academic / Publication - V. Rev. Dr. R. Bozyk
- Scholarship / Bursary - V. Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk
- Building - Mr. Paul Lucko
- Board Development - Mr. Paul Amiot
- Nominating - Mr. Paul Amiot
- Personnel - Mr. Paul Amiot
- Strategic Planning - V. Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk

St. Andrew’s College also has four Ad hoc Committees:
- Fundraising - Mr. Paul Amiot
- Technology - Dr. Denis Hlynka
- Library - Mr. Keith Swinton
- Stadium parking - Mr. Paul Lasko

MEETINGS:
In 2021-2022, the Board of Directors convened five Meetings:
- December 11, 2021
- April 27, 2022
- May 14, 2022
- November 05, 2022
- November 26, 2022
REPORT OF THE ACTING PRINCIPAL

VERY REV. DR. ROMAN BOZYK

This report covers the period of July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022, which is the seventeenth year that I am reporting for the Office of the Principal of St. Andrew's College. I will also refer to the beginning of 2022-2023.

I must again emphasize that the only way I have been able to effectively function as Acting Principal, along with all of the other duties that I have, is that St. Andrew's College is blessed with a very hard-working, competent, and dedicated administrative and support staff, and I sincerely thank them for their commitment.

Bursar:
Maurice Labelle - part-time

Administrative Assistant III:
Genia Bozyk - part-time

Administrative Assistant II:
Tetyana Vytko - full-time

Administrative Assistant III - Technology:
Roman Demchyshyn - full-time

Residence and Property Supervisor:
Genia Bozyk - part-time (Residence)
Mike Kupiak - part-time (Building)
Fr. Bohdan Statkevych (Assistant)

Library:
Alla Busel - full-time

J.G. Janitorial Services continue to provide efficient janitorial services to St. Andrew's College. A visitor to St. Andrew's College recently commented positively on the state of the janitorial work at the College as: “Hospital spotless”. The College engaged Makesmesmile Inc. Catering formerly St. Andrew's Catering for the years 2018-2023. We are very happy with their superior service.

The College is following the University of Manitoba COVID policy. There is no longer a vaccination mandate at the University of Manitoba but masks still must be worn when staff, students and visitors are in public places.

It is hoped everyone at the College and all donors across Canada will remain safe as COVID becomes less prevalent. The College remains vigilant while striving to return closer to normal. St. Andrew’s College has its chapel open and recently began to host student meetings, choir rehearsals and public lectures. May God grant that the COVID situation will continue to improve.

The College has had a good positive financial year due to a good return from the St. Andrew’s Foundation, and the generosity of the donors.

I would like to express my gratitude to the Chair Ms. Pat Bugera and Members of the Board of Directors for their trust and support and for their unwavering commitment to the mission of St. Andrew’s College. Thank you also to the Faculty of Theology, the Library, and the support staff for their hard work, dedication, and professionalism. Thank you to the donors and benefactors who support the College with their gifts and prayers, and to the members of the Order of St. Andrew for their continuing support.
St. Andrew’s College has been able to accommodate in residence up to 24 refugees from Ukraine on a rotating basis as part of the Government of Manitoba Ukrainian Refugee Program.

Greetings and thanks to our Chancellor of St. Andrew’s College, His Eminence Metropolitan ILARION, who was recently (Saturday, Nov. 19, 2022) enthroned at the Metropolitan Holy Trinity Cathedral as Archbishop of Winnipeg and the Central Eparchy and Metropolitan of Canada for the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada. Mnohaya Lita!

Іс полла еті Деспота!

Цей рік для Колегії Св. Андрея був фінансово стабільним. Завдяки доходу від Фундації Колегії та щедрості наших жертводавців, цього року ми дотримуємось позитивної тенденції у виконанні бюджету.

Щиросердечно дякуємо жертводавцям і усім тим, хто матеріально і молитовно підтримує Колегію Святого Андрея.

Ласкаво просимо до Колегії Св. Андрея!

Please come and visit!
All are Welcome!
St. Andrew's College is a Member College of the University of Manitoba and also a residence for Ukrainian and Orthodox and other students on the campus of the University of Manitoba. The residence and student life issues are the purview of our Residence Supervisor, Dobr. Genia Bozyk.

The intimate, friendly, quiet Residence has premium super single, regular single, and double rooms available for 38 residents - men and women. The Residence rooms are furnished with the basic necessities for a comfortable study life, and the numerous College facilities available to the students make for a homey atmosphere catering to a wide variety of needs.

Due to ongoing COVID restrictions, many students are still studying online from home. Thus for 2021-2022 St. Andrew's College residence is only at 40% capacity.

The Resident Student Council, the Theology Student Association, and the University of Manitoba Ukrainian Student Association together with the College administration, usually promote and sponsor numerous sports, social, educational, religious, and cultural activities.
Building maintenance is managed by our Property Supervisor, Mike Kupiak, along with Assistant Property Supervisor, Fr. Bohdan Statkevych.

Many Physical Plant projects were done or are in the works. Some are planned and included in the budget - others are unexpected and have to be taken care of immediately.

Following is a list of MAJOR PROJECTS completed in 2022:

- With the replacement of a very large window in the North East stairwell:
  - asbestos abatement was conducted
  - a new drop ceiling was installed
  - the walls were patched and painted
  - four new energy efficient LED light fixtures were installed

- Lighting fixtures:
  - 11 upgrades were done in suite 200
  - 9 in the South West stairwell
  - 11 in residence rooms
  - new dimmers were installed in 38 residence rooms
  - repairs were completed to outside light posts

- Electrical:
  - replaced motor for heater in the South East stairwell
  - upgrade / repairs to fire alarm wiring
  - replaced compressor and air dryer in mechanical room
  - conducted asbestos abatement as needed and installed new air return fan
  - upgraded electrical for the sump pump in crawlspace

- Replaced North East entrance door

- Replaced broken sealed window unit in the lounge by the Chapel

- Repairs were done to the steam pressure regulator
St. Andrew’s College Library is a vital source of knowledge, not only for the students of Theology, but also all those interested in Orthodox and Eastern Christianity studies as well as Ukrainian Canadian Studies, Ukrainian history, culture and arts.

In this year, we ordered and received Ukrainian books that introduce us to the events of the modern history of Ukraine and reflect the events of the Maidan and Russian’s aggression in the brutal war against Ukraine.

In addition to the regular day-to-day work with the students and library patrons and routine processing of the books and brochures, ordering and cataloguing acquisitions, the library staff undertook the following very important projects:

- Library staff members are continuing the ongoing review, correction and verification of all author and title cards of the pamphlets collection. They are sorting and organizing boxes of brochures to make them more accessible for our patrons.
- We are proceeding with an ongoing project - a compilation and cataloguing of our duplicates holdings.

We are very grateful for the donation of books received from:
1. Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies
2. Dr. Oleh & Bonnie Gerus
3. George Kotelko Memorial Fund

Each gift to the Library represents an investment in students and ultimately, an investment in the future. We are very proud of our Library. Please visit us.
ST. ANDREW’S COLLEGE LIBRARY
ACQUISITIONS POLICY FOR DONATIONS

St. Andrew’s College is extremely fortunate to have the support of our generous donors. One department which benefits from such donations is our St. Andrew’s College Library. Members of our community donate journals, periodicals, music, newspapers, books, etc. to the Library. The St. Andrew’s College Library specializes in:

- **Ukrainian Studies**, which include Language, Literature, Culture, History, Geography, Religion, Music, Art;
- **Ukrainian Canadian Studies**, which encompass Ukrainian Canadiana, History, Literature, Music, Culture, Political Studies, Geography, Fine Art, Folklore.

We are very grateful for all donors’ assistance, including those who choose to donate books and materials to our Library. We especially welcome materials which can be accommodated with our aforementioned main areas of interest.

St. Andrew’s College **does not** destroy or discard Library Books.

St. Andrew’s College Library Acquisitions Policy for donations is as follows:

- books and materials received are sorted and reviewed by the Librarian;
- if they are needed or deemed useful, they are catalogued and included in our Library holdings and placed on the Library shelves or into our Duplicates Room;
- those not accepted into our Library are managed under the following priorities:
  - they are returned to the Donor (if so required);
  - they are offered gratis to Faculty of Theology students and staff;
  - they are offered gratis to our general student population and members of our St. Andrew’s College Library community.

For further information regarding Library Donation and/or other matters, please contact:
St. Andrew’s College, 29 Dysart Road, Winnipeg, Manitoba, R3T 2M7
Phone: (204)474-8895 Fax: (204)474-7624 29 E-mail: st_andrews@umanitoba.ca

DONATIONS NOTICE-
MSBI MATCHING GRANT

The Manitoba Government is continuing the **Manitoba Scholarship and Bursary Initiative** (MSBI.)
The Scholarship and Bursary Initiative was set up to promote donations for academic awards at Manitoba’s post-secondary institutions.
The provincial government will now match gifts-donations for annual awards or spending allocations of existing trust and endowment funds in a 2 to 1 ratio (50% match) up to a maximum of total allocated for St. Andrew's College.
If you would like to make a bursary or scholarship award donation at St. Andrew's College, your gift will be matched 50% by the Manitoba government.
If you wish to do so, please contact the St. Andrew’s College office by telephone at (204) 474-8895 or e-mail st_andrews@umanitoba.ca for further information.
St. Andrew's College
Public Support Revenue (General Fund)
For The Year Ended June 30, 2022

Collections Includes:
- Carolling
- March Month of Vocations

Contribution ($15,697)
16.42%

Order of St. Andrew ($13,090)
13.96%

Collections ($13,926)
14.85%

Estates ($51,362)
54.77%
У 2021-2022 академічному році, склад Богословського Факультету був такий:

Повноштатні професори:
- Прот. д-р Роман Божик
  Прот. Роман Божик виконує обов’язки Декана, Реєстратора, Капеляна студентів і настоятеля Каплиці Святого Андрея і Діючого Ректора.

Неповноштатні професори:
- Д-р Роман Єринюк - редактор журналу "Віра й Культура".
- Прот. д-р Ігор Куташ
- О. д-р Тимофій Храпко

На Богословському факультеті в 2021-2022 академічному році було 8 студентів Богослов'я, більшість з яких були з Української Православної Церкви.

Українська Православна Церква - 5.
САСКАЧЕВАН - 2
АЛЬБЕРТА - 2
БРИТАНСЬКА КОЛУМБІЯ - 1
Румунська Православна Церква - 2
Сербська Православна Церква - 1.

У цьому 2022-2023 академічному році є 8 студентів студентів Богослов'я, більшість з яких є з Української Православної Церкви з Канади.

Українська Православна Церква - 5.
САСКАЧЕВАН - 3
АЛЬБЕРТА - 1
ОНТАРІО - 1
Румунська Православна Церква - 1 (Альберта)
Сербська Православна Церква - 1 (Британська Колумбія).
Українська Католицька Церква - 1 (Манітоба)

Маємо також одну вільну слухачку з нашої Церкви (Британська Колумбія).

Якщо Ви знаєте когось, хто би був кандидатом на священика, надайте їм інформацію про Колегію та заохочуйте їх прийти вчитися на Богословський Факультет Колегії Св. Андрея.

У суботу, 16 липня 2022 року, Преосвященний Владика ІЛАРІОН, теперішній Його Високопреосвященство Митрополит ІЛАРІОН, Архиєпископ Вінніпегу і Середньої Єпархії, Митрополит всієї Канади, Канцлер Колегії Святого Андрея, рукоположив випускника Колегії Св. Андрея, Іподияконка Івана Панчука в сан Диякона в Українській Православній Церкві Святого Іллі (Едмонтон, Альберта).

У цьому році я зміг "відвідати" Єпархіальні Асамблії та відзвітувати про діяльність Колегії. Асамблея Західної Єпархії відбулася очно в Катедрі (Едмонтон), а Асамблея Середньої Єпархії була проведена онлайн (Zoom).

Також щиро дякую Голові Дирекції пані Петрусі Буґері, усім членам Дирекції Колегії Св. Андрея, академічному та адміністративному персоналу та усім жертвовавцям Колегії Святого Андрея.

Вітання і подяка нашому Канцлеру, Високопреосвященству ІЛАРІОНУ, Архиєпископу Вінніпегу і Митрополитові всієї Канади.

Іс полла еті Деспота!
During the 2021-2022 academic years, the teaching staff of the Faculty of Theology was:

**Full-time:**
- **V. Rev. Dr. Roman Bozyk**
  Fr. Roman Bozyk also served the College as Dean, Registrar, Chaplain of students, Parish Priest of the Chapel, and Acting Principal.

**Part-time:**
- **Dr. Roman Yereniuk**
  Dr. Roman Yereniuk also served as editor of "Faith and Culture"
- **Rt. Rev. Fr. Dr. Ihor Kutash**
- **Rev. Dr. Timothy Chrapko**

Most classes in 2021-2022 were taught online by Zoom. In the 2021-2022 Academic Year there are 8 Theology students, of whom most are from the Ukrainian Orthodox Church.

- **Ukraine Orthodox Church - 5**
- **Saskatchewan - 2**
- **Alberta - 2**
- **British Columbia - 1**

Romanian Orthodox Church -1 (Alberta)
Serbian Orthodox Church -1 (British Columbia)
Ukrainian Catholic Church -1 (Manitoba)

There is one auditor from the U.O.C.C. in British Columbia

If you know someone who would be a good candidate for service in the Church, please encourage them to study Theology at St. Andrew's College.

On Saturday, July 16, 2022, His Grace Bishop ILARION, now His Eminence Metropolitan ILARION, Archbishop of Winnipeg and the Central Eparchy, Metropolitan of all of Canada, Chancellor of St. Andrew’s College, ordained Subdeacon Evan Panchuk, a St. Andrew’s College graduate, to the Holy Diaconate at the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of St. Elia, Edmonton, AB.

This year I was able to attend two Eparchial Assemblies and to give a report about St. Andrew’s College. The Assembly of the Western Eparchy was held in person at the Cathedral in Edmonton and the Central Eparchy Assembly was held on Zoom.

Sincere thank you to the Chair of the Board of Directors, Ms. Pat Bugera, all the Members of the Board of Directors of St. Andrew’s College, the academic and administrative staff, and, of course, to the many supporters and donors of St. Andrew’s College.

Greetings and thanks to the Chancellor of St. Andrew’s College, His Eminence ILARION Archbishop of Winnipeg and the Central Eparchy, Metropolitan of All of Canada.

Is polla eti Despota!
The St. Andrew’s College Foundation, Inc. exists to financially support St. Andrew’s College. The Foundation was incorporated on May 20, 1986. The Board of Directors of the Foundation must consist of three appointees from St. Andrew’s College and two from the Consistory of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada, and for 2021-2022 they were:

**St. Andrew’s College:**
- Pat Bugera
- Keith Swinton
- V. Rev. Fr. Roman Bozyk

**Consistory of the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of Canada:**
- V. Rev. Fr. Charles Baxter
- TBD

The major Foundation account is managed by the Taras Shevchenko Foundation. They report quarterly to the College. That report is summarized below. In addition, the St. Andrew’s College Foundation holds one account at Carpathia Credit Union ($285,000).

- Payables .................................................................$113,720
- Endowments Fund .................................................$1,522,868
- Scholarship and other Designated funds ..........$3,621,270
- Interest on investments.............................................$582,276

**Disbursements:**
- Administration ......................................................$68,910
- Scholarships and grants .............................................$124,316
- Other designated funds .............................................$0
- Transferred to the College .....................................389,050

Average Annual Yield on Investment 10.8%

The St. Andrew’s College Foundation expresses its gratitude to all donors for their continued support.
Staffing Updates:

We’re pleased to welcome Dr. Nataliia Stepaniuk as the CUCS 2022-23 Petro Jacyk Post Doctoral Fellow. Ms. Rina Orlov continued providing administrative support to the Centre and Mr. Ivan Zhovnych is continuing to help the Centre with video and audio support. Thank you to Rina and Ivan for your impeccable work and support. Thank you to the members of the CUCS Policy Council and the St. Andrew’s Board of Directors for all of your hard work, as well as to the Faculty of Arts leadership and staff for supporting the Centre’s activities and programming.

Facilitation of the Centre’s Events, Lectures

- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Moderator for the Lecture: “Civilian Volunteering During the Donbas War in Ukraine” by Dr. Nataliia Stepaniuk, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (13 December, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Moderator for the Lecture: “Gender and Violence in Ukraine: Changing How We Bear Witness to War” by Dr. Orysia Kulick, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (13 October, 2022), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Moderator for the book presentation and discussion: “Talking to Ukrainians: An Outsider’s Perspective” by Mr. Alexandre Fontaine, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (14 September, 2022), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Moderator for the Lecture: “Sharing Stories and Envisioning Peace with Young People in Ukraine: A PAR Project in Lviv, Ukraine” by Ms. Alexandra Kozelko, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (17 June, 2022), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Moderator for the lecture “Internationalization of Higher Education in Ukraine” by Dr. Yuliya Zayachuk, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (January 27, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as co-moderator for the panel discussion “Implications of the Armenia-Azerbaijan War in Nagorno-Karabakh” by MGen (Ret’d) Denis Thompson, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies and Centre for Defence and Security Studies (14 December, 2021), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Moderator for the lecture “The Impact of Ukraine’s Informal Economy on Women: Mobilising Transnational Communities for Growth and Opportunity During Crisis” by Dr. Milana Nikolko, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (1 December, 2021), Online.
Facilitation of the Centre’s Reading Club Meetings

- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Facilitator of the reading club meeting discussing “Good Citizens Need Not Fear” by Maria Reva, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (15-16 December, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Facilitator of the reading club meeting discussing “A Loss: The Story of a Dead Soldier Told by His Sister” by Olesya Khromeychuk, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (20-21 October, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Facilitator of the reading club meeting discussing “A Loss: The Story of a Dead Soldier Told by His Sister” by Olesya Khromeychuk, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (20-21 October, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Facilitator of the reading club meeting discussing “Voices from Chornobyl” by Svitlana Alexievich, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (14 April, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Facilitator of the reading club meeting discussing “Detachment: An Adoption Memoir” by Maurice Mireau, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (10 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. Served as Facilitator of the reading club meeting discussing “Voroshilovgrad” by Serhiy Zhadan, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies (9 December, 2021).

Participation in Panel Discussions/Public Presentations

- Ivaniuk, Yuliia and Krawetz, Nick. “Russia’s War in Ukraine: Historic Background and Canada’s Response”. Presentation for the Morris School Grade 9-12 students, Organised by the Oseredok for Ukrainian Culture and Education (19 May, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Crisis in Ukraine”. Served as Keynote Speaker, Brandon University Department of Political Science (21 March, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Talking Peace: the Russia-Ukraine Crisis”. Served as a Panelist, Centre for Ukrainian Canadian Studies and Peace and Conflict Studies Program (17 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Russia’s Buildup Near Ukraine: What are Canada’s Interests and Options?”. Panel Discussion. Institute for Peace and Diplomacy, NATO Association of Canada (14 January, 2022), Online.

Conferences

The Centre was identified as one of the points of contact for the local and national media outlets at the UM to comment on Russia’s invasion of Ukraine:

- Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “U of M Stands With Ukrainian Community”, provided comments to Dimitar Tomovski, The Manitoban (March 8, 2022), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine”, gave Live Radio Interview to Portia Clark, Information Morning, CBC Radio Syndication, Halifax (28 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine”, gave Live Radio Interview to Julia Caron, Quebec AM, CBC Radio Syndication, Quebec City (28 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine”, gave Live Radio Interview to Steve Sutherland, Information Morning, CBC Radio Syndication, Cape Breton (Sydney)(28 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine”, gave Live Radio Interview to Marcus Schwabe, Morning North, CBC Radio Syndication, Sudbury (28 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Russia’s Invasion of Ukraine”, gave Live Radio Interview to Shelley Joyce, Daybreak Kamloops, CBC Radio Syndication, Kamloops (28 February, 2022).
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Disbelief and shock: Manitoba’s Ukrainian community to hold rally after Russian invasion”, provided comments to Josh Crabb, CTV News Winnipeg (22 February, 2022), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Ukrainians in Winnipeg pray for peace in homeland”, provided comments to Brenda Suderman and Erik Pindera, the Free Press (24 February, 2022), Online.
- Ivaniuk, Yuliia “Ukrainian Manitobans brace for worst as Russian troops move into eastern Ukraine”, gave an interview to Josh Crabb, CTV News Winnipeg (22 February, 2022), Online.
• Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Ukraine War Fears”, an interview to CTV News, Winnipeg (22 February, 2022), Online.
• Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Ukrainian Diaspora in Canada and Their Reaction to the Current Situation in Ukraine”, an interview to Jeffrey Mo, Global Journalism Fellow at the University of Toronto (3 February, 2022).
• Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Full-scale Invasion of Ukraine by Russia Unlikely”, contributed to Glen Hallick’s column, Manitoba Cooperator (January 27, 2022), Online.
• Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Canada’s Response to Russian Escalation of Its Aggression Against Ukraine”, an interview to Dennis Kovynt, a reporter with the Carleton University journalism program (24 January, 2022).
• Ivaniuk, Yuliia. “Canada Deploying Special Forces to Ukraine as Tensions with Russia Escalate”, interview to the Global News - National (January 17, 2022), Online.

Publications

Ukrainian Canadian Heritage Studies Courses
2022/2023:
• POLS 3720- Politics, Government and Society in Ukraine (Winter 2023);
• HIST 3910- Ukrainians in Canada (Winter 2023);
• ECON 2510- Economy of Ukraine (Winter 2023).

Letter of Participation in Ukrainian Canadian Heritage Studies
The centre was the first unit within the Faculty of Arts to get approval and successfully launch a letter of participation program.

Participants are required to attend a combination of lectures and (or) reading club meetings in order to be eligible to obtain the letter of participation. The lecture series take place from September until May and cover a wide range of Ukrainian and Ukrainian Canadians topics. Reading club meetings take place on bimonthly basis and involve a discussion of a new Ukrainian/Ukrainian Canadian book at each session. Due to public demand we now run two discussion sessions for each book (in the noon and in the evening time). An average of five participants attend reading club sessions. An average of thirty participants attend each lecture.

Research:
Dr. Maureen Flaherty and myself have transferred the audio recordings from our study related to the experiences, hopes and dreams of Ukrainian newcomers in Canada to the UM Libraries. We have presented our findings at the conferences in Canada, Ukraine and Germany. Thank you to Dr. Flaherty for allowing myself and the Centre to be a part of this important community project.
Petro Jacyk Post Doctoral Fellowship
We’re pleased to welcome Dr. Nataliia Stepaniuk as the 2022-23 Petro Jacyk Post-Doctoral Fellow to the CUCS.

Nataliia Stepaniuk did her doctoral studies in Political Science at the University of Ottawa, Canada. Her research focuses on the rise of civilian volunteer networks amidst war in Donbas, Ukraine. Nataliia’s broader research interests include postcommunist politics, civil society, gender politics, citizenship studies, and (de)militarization. Nataliia also holds an MA from the University of Ottawa’s Graduate School of Public and International Affairs, and an MA from the National Academy of Ostroh University. Outside academic work, Nataliia is actively involved in community work, volunteering for the Ukrainian Canadian Congress - Ottawa Branch, and participating in various community-led initiatives.

Scholars at Risk
Due to Russia’s full-scale invasion of Ukraine, the University of Manitoba is hosting twenty Ukrainian scholars within the Faculty of Arts, Faculty of Sciences, Faculty of Law, College of the Medicine and other units.

The Centre has organised a welcome event for the scholars in collaboration with the St. Andrew’s College that took place on December 1, 2022. Welcoming remarks were extended by the university administration and community leaders. The scholars were given an opportunity to introduce themselves and share their stories. Several community organisations were invited to set up informational booths to inform the attendees of their offerings and various volunteering opportunities.

We hope that this event has helped enhance opportunities for interdisciplinary research and collaboration between the academia and the community.

Community Engagement:
The centre has been represented at the following boards and committees:

- Ukrainian Canadian Congress- Manitoba Provincial Council;
- Full Department of German and Slavic Studies Faculty Council;
- Rudnytskyj Lecture Planning Committee;
- St. Andrew’s College Board and Senate.

Social Media and Outreach:
With assistance from the Faculty of Arts we are looking to continue working on transferring the Centre’s website to a new format. Follow the CUCS on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, and YouTube to stay tuned for future events. Email us at CUCS@umanitoba.ca to sign up for the CUCS mailing list.

On behalf of the CUCS team we would like to wish you a wonderful holiday season and peaceful New Year.
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