

# St John's College

## Annual Report 2010



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I am very pleased to present this report of the activities of St John's College for 2010. As in past years, this report is a rich compendium of quantitative data, along with a description of significant events and achievements. While there is certainly a narrative which tells the story of this past year at St John's College, there is no way in which the full extent of the activities and life of the college can be captured by such a document. St John's College is a scholarly community which takes pride in the contributions that its members make to the teaching, research and scholarship mandate of the University of Manitoba. But it is more than that. It is a spiritual haven on a busy secular campus and a place where faculty, students and administrative staff find a supportive home.

My term as Warden ends on June 30 of this year and so this will be the last time that I will be writing in this capacity. I would like to take this opportunity to say what a privilege it has been to lead this wonderful institution. My admiration for the accomplishments of our faculty and students is enormous and my gratitude for the dedication of all of the college faculty and staff to the academic mission and to the creation of a caring community is boundless.

St John's College will always hold a very special place in my heart. I have every confidence that it will continue to thrive and will look forward in the future to reading reports of the activities and accomplishments of St John's College.

Janet A. Hoskins, Ph.D.  
Warden and Vice-Chancellor

## **1. Introduction**

The Annual Report of St John's College is a document that endeavors to provide an official record of the relevant statistics and changes of the College for the year. However, it is also written in an effort to capture the growth, achievements, events, and unique character of St John's. The officer or staff member responsible for an activity has prepared each section and, as such, some of the personalities of these individuals are present. In the belief that a great deal of the success of the College is attributable to the personal commitment of these people to St John's, every effort has been made to maintain this personal perspective while, at the same time, presenting a cohesive chronicle of our activities.

## **2. Students**

### ***a) Enrolment as of December 2009***

#### **i) U of M Students**

	<b><u>Dec. 2009</u></b>	<b><u>Dec. 2010</u></b>
Agriculture and Food Science (degree)	7	8
Architecture	10	10
Arts	117	110
Asper School of Business	48	43
Dental Hygiene	0	1
Dentistry	8	13
Education	24	17
Engineering	45	51
Environment, Earth, and Resources	20	24
Extended Education	12	11
Fine Arts	9	7
Graduate Studies	79	83
Human Ecology	12	13
Kinesiology and Recreation Management	6	11
Law	15	13
Medical Rehabilitation	3	4
Medicine	21	23
Music	10	9
Nursing	26	25
Pharmacy	9	11
Science	151	149
Social Work	5	6
University 1	156	144
<b>Total</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>782</b>

**(ii) Intensive English Program Students (IEP)**

IEP students living in the Residence that are not accounted for under U of M students above

	<u>Dec. 2009</u>	<u>Dec. 2010</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>25</b>

**(iii) International College of Manitoba (ICM)**

ICM students living in the Residence that are not accounted for under U of M Students above.

	<u>Dec. 2009</u>	<u>Dec. 2010</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>20</b>

**(iv) SJC Theology Students**

	<u>Dec. 2009</u>	<u>Dec. 2010</u>
Diploma in Applied Theology - first year not offered		0
Diploma in Applied Theology - second year not offered		0
Advanced Certificate	4	3
<u>Special Students (in various courses)</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>7</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>

***b) Scholarships, Bursaries, Prizes and Awards***

Thanks to the generous support of donors and the Manitoba Scholarships and Bursaries Initiative, St John's College has been able to assist College members and graduates in meeting their education costs through a variety of scholarships, bursaries, and prizes. Just to name a few; The Revd. Canon and Mrs. Thomas D. Conlin Bursary awarded to Nicole Wruth; The Arthur Uniacke Chipman Graduate Scholarship awarded to Shoshannah Bryn Jones Square; The Colin Inkster Memorial Award to Breanne Reinfort; The Laurence Frank Wilmot Entrance Scholarship to Troy Woods; The Henry Irvine Graham Entrance Scholarship awarded to Alireza Almaleki.

Award certificates were presented at the College's Convocation on November 7, 2010. Many of the donors of the awards attended Convocation, where they had the opportunity to meet the recipients.

We are delighted to announce the establishment of three new awards: the **Erin Palamar Bursary in Nursing**, the **C.A.E. Jensen Scholarship**, and the **Beverley & Bishop James Allan Bursary**. The first award was made this year for both the Erin Palamar Bursary in Nursing and the C.A.E. Jensen Scholarship.

We are grateful to the many generous individuals and organizations who have established or supported awards at St John's College. The awards program has also benefited from the support of the provincial government's Manitoba Scholarships and Bursaries Incentive Fund.

***c) General Recruitment***

The College was present at the following recruiting events: the University of Manitoba Info Days, the University of Manitoba Parents' Program and the University of Manitoba's Evening of Excellence. We revised our College information booklet and ordered promotional pens.

***d) Orientation***

The College offered a 24-hour orientation event called "JumpStart". The event was planned and run by College students in consultation with the Dean of Residence and the Registrar. The cost of JumpStart was \$45.00 per person and included one night in Residence, meals and snacks. The students participated in icebreaker sessions, bowling, a bonfire, a photo safari (scavenger hunt) and an information session. Sixteen students registered for JumpStart this year. Our Dons' team and the ten student leaders who offered their time and commitment to the new students contributed greatly to the success of JumpStart, which has become the flagship of student-driven events at the College. Many thanks must go to Natalie Ira-Gold, and Kieran Moolchan, Jumpstart Student Coordinators, Senior Stick Jessica Persson, Vice-Stick Mitchell Darr and the team of leaders for a job very well done.

***e) Student Life***

Following elections held in March 2010, the St John's College Students' Association for 2010-2011 had the following membership: Senior Stick - Jessica Persson, Vice-Stick - Mitchell Darr, Treasurer - Nicole Friesen, Chair Person - Dustin Hoft, UMSU Rep - Michael Henain, Co-Programmer - Melissa Hoft, Co-Programmer - Natalie Ira-Gould, Executive Assistant - Mark Xu, Student Services Rep - Dustin Reimer, Religious Affairs Rep - Lynn Van De Spiegle, Communications Director - David Persson, Literary Co-Director - Stephanie George, Literary Co-Director - Andrew Prest, Yearbook Director - Sarah Mitchell, Co-President of Rez - Nicolas Santacruz, Co-President of Rez - Richard Moller, Assembly Rep - Pooja Patel, First Year Rep (Rez) - Amanda Wee

Again this year the annual "End-of-Term" and "Opening-of-Term" barbeques were well attended by both day and Residence students, faculty, and staff. Various events were held during the year. These included a trip to AMazeInCorn, where students sported their Halloween costumes and wandered through the Haunted Forest. Some of the more brave students went paintballing and Operation Christmas Child saw the College engaged in generous gift-giving, with shoeboxes donated to children in Haiti. The "Share What You Can Spare" Coffee House was held again in the new Robert B. Schultz Lecture Theatre, all food and money that was collected by those attending was donated in support of the University of Manitoba Food Bank. The third Annual Rip the Strip raised \$2164 in support of Cancer Care Manitoba Foundation. Three fearless St John's men participated, Dr. Chris Trott, Mr Bernie Beare, and first year residence student, Nik Akkerman. Between them, 6 legs were waxed and two eyebrows.

The 2011 graduation dinner and dance was held at Bergman's on Lombard on March 26th, where Harley Shepherd gave the Valedictory Address. The Student Council did a great job of planning and promoting the event and the food was fantastic, as always.

The St John's College Students' Association established the SJCSA Fellow of the Year award in the spring of 2003 as an expression of their gratitude for all the work the Fellows do on their behalf. The Award is given to a Fellow of the College who demonstrates excellence in teaching and research, and who makes a demonstrable commitment to bettering the welfare of students of the College. The SJCSA maintains a plaque that lists the names of the award recipients. The seventh annual award was presented to Dr Gerry Friesen (History).

### *f) Residence*

#### Facilities

The residence facilities, while slightly shabby, are quite functional and are generally appreciated by the residents. The second floor washrooms are in dire shape; however, a quote is being sought from a reputable contractor and the development office is beginning efforts to raise funds for renovations.

Minor improvements have taken place, such as repairs to a few beds, light fixtures, smoke detectors, and a new faucet for the buttery sink.

Major improvements, initiated by the Resident Students Association, have taken place in the Small TV Room (a new TV, paint job, curtains, an entertainment unit, and proper mounting of the surround system speakers) and the Study Room (new curtains).

#### Finances

The residence budget appears to be in order. I am not aware of any losses, despite the rather large burden of paying for large-scale treatment of bed bugs.

#### Residents

The residence has been at 90-95% capacity for most of the academic year. 25 rooms were contracted to the Intensive English Program, and the remainder have been occupied by a scattering of regular and ICM students. Residence life has been smooth and largely problem-free; aside from the usual scattering of noise and party-related issues, the residence has been quiet and harmonious. The bed bug issue has been significantly reduced in scope, though it has not been entirely eliminated; there are still a couple of minor outbreaks here and there. The main problem is compliance with necessary prevention and treatment steps; I have no way to compel students to do their laundry or to avoid having large groups visiting their rooms, so treatment efforts can

vary in efficacy by virtue of the fact that not all residents are doing what is necessary. Regardless, I am confident that the worst is past and that we will have it completely under control sooner than later.

With regards to the Leadership Team, I am pleased to report that next year's Dons Team will consist of Kenzie Nemez (senior don), Sarah Mitchell, Hamed Samarghandi, and Nicole Wruth. The co-presidents will be Janhvi Pandit and Athea Fernandes. The ISR is TBA, but we have a very strong candidate who has expressed interest in the position. Our Summer Dons will be Janhvi Pandit and Sarah Mitchell, with help from the IEP Student Assistant who lives in the residence.

### Closing

In conclusion, I am pleased with the state of the residence. There is always room for improvement, but I have some ideas for what our most immediate priorities are, including replacing a portion of the beds in residence with more modern frames that will stand up to wear and make treatment of bed bugs and other potential pests much simpler.

## **3. Conferences**

In early September the College hosted Dr. Geoffrey Brennan, the Distinguished Knight Lecturer, as a guest. Dr. Brennan gave a Soup and Bread Lecture to the Fellows and the College co-sponsored his evening lecture on the economics of climate change.

"Place and Replace: A Joint Meeting of Western Canadian Studies and the St John's Prairies Conference": met from 16-18 September. It combined the historical strength of the Prairies conference with a wider scholarly mandate and community of the newly-reformed Western Canadian Studies Group. The heart of the conference was more than sixty papers presented by scholars from as far away as France, Australia, and Germany, dealing with history, literature, women's studies, Native Studies, sociology and city planning. Attendance was excellent: there were over 120 delegates registered. The conference features book displays from UBC Press, the University of Manitoba Press, The University of Alberta Press, and Athabasca University Press and two tours of local history and culture.

Although the College did not sponsor the University of Manitoba/Umea University Partnership Conference in October, we were happy that the Conference took advantage of the excellent acoustics in our Chapel for an evening of Swedish and Canadian Music on northern themes on October 5.




#### **4. Academic Staff**

In 2010, there were 38 Fellows, including the Warden, Dean of Studies, Dean of Theology, an Associate Dean of the Faculty of Arts, an Associate Dean of the Faculty of Environment, the Executive Director for International Relations at the U of M, and the Chairs of three Centres associated with the Faculty of Arts.

Fellows are situated in the St John's College Faculty of Theology (1) and seven faculties and schools of the University of Manitoba: Architecture (1), Art (1), Arts (25), Education (2), Music (1), Clayton H. Riddell Faculty of Environment, Earth and Resources (3), and Science (4). Within the faculties, a number of departments are represented by the SJC Fellows: Architecture – Interior Design, Arts – Anthropology (1), Economics (3), English (7), History (7), Icelandic (1), Native Studies (2), Political Studies (1), Religion (3) and Sociology (1); Clayton H. Riddell Faculty of Environment – Geography; Science – Botany, Computer Science and Mathematics.

Assembly elected David Watt (English), Ernie Keenes (Political Studies), Egil Grislis (Retired Professor Emeritus of Religion), David Punter (Retired Professor Emeritus of Botany), Anthony Waterman (Retired Professor Emeritus of Economics) as Visiting Fellows; Dennis Cooley (Retired Professor of English) as Visiting Fellow/Writer-In-Residence; Sheila Simonson (English), Leah Morton (History), Erin Millions (History) and Agnes Pawlowska (Native Studies) as Research Fellows.

A brief survey of the Academic Awards and Publications of the College Fellows demonstrates the lively intellectual atmosphere that the College provides, as well as the variety of issues and subjects under scholarly scrutiny. The following lists present only a portion of the Fellows' work, largely in the area of publishing (both creative and academic) and reflect little of the ongoing teaching responsibilities in which Fellows continue to be recognized for their outstanding contributions to student learning. Of the current College Fellows, 21 have maintained an active presence in Canadian Studies, as evidenced by their participation in conferences and publications, marked in the following partial list of their published record by the symbol .

#### **Fellows' Recognition**

SSHRC = Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada

MCRI = Major Collaborative Research Issues

CIHR = Canadian Institute of Health Research

NSERC = Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada

CSSE = Canadian Society for Studies in Education

**a) Awards**

**Close, Susan.** Carl Nelson, Jr. Teaching Award from Faculty of Architecture, November.

**Friesen, Gerry and Esyllt Jones.** Carol Shields Award, for *Prairie Metropolis: New Essays on Winnipeg Social History* (University of Manitoba Press).

\_\_\_\_\_ Clio Prize, Canadian Historical Association, for *Immigrants in Prairie Cities* (University of Toronto Press 2009), co-author.

\_\_\_\_\_ Outstanding Achievement Award, Faculty of Arts.

**Norton, Bill.** Teaching Award recipient.

**Roberts, Lance.** Schoolhouse, Educational Leadership, San Diego State University. (Renewal)

\_\_\_\_\_ Outstanding Achievement Award, Faculty of Arts.

\_\_\_\_\_ Recipient of Highly Commended Special Issue Award, Literati Network Awards for Excellence, for 2009 contribution to *Journal of Educational Administration*.

**Trott, Christopher.** Faculty of Arts Outstanding Achievement Award.


**b) Conferences Organized**

**Brydon, Diana.** Organized a one-day graduate conference, "National and Global Imaginaries: Culture, Community, Mobility," University of Winnipeg, July 29.


**McCance, Dawne.** Organized and hosted an international, interdisciplinary conference, "Freud After Derrida", which was held at the University of Manitoba October 6-9. The conference featured over 100 presenters from 17 countries; keynote presentations from 5 leading scholars; and participation by graduate students as well as established academics.

**Perry, Adele.** Organized the "Place and Replace" Conference. St. John's College, September 16-18.

**c) Books Published**

 **Arnason, David.** *Baldur's Song: A Saga*. Winnipeg: Turnstone Press.


**Brydon, Diana.** guest co-edited with James Meffan and Mark Williams. *Culturalisms*. Special double issue of *New Literatures Review (Australia)*. 45/46. (2009). 183 pp.

 **Friesen, Gerry and Doug Owram eds.** *Thinkers and Dreamers: Essays in Honour of Carl Berger*. Toronto: University of Toronto Press.


**Hallman, Bonnie.** *Family Geographies: The Spatiality of Families and Family Life*. Toronto: Oxford University Press.

**Norton, Bill.** *Human Geography*. Toronto: Oxford University Press, seventh edition, 658pp.

**Roberts, Lance.** *The Statistics Coach: Learning Through Practice*. (with K. Kampen & T. Peter) Toronto: Oxford University Press.

 **Trott, Christopher.** *From Felixstowe to Pangnirtung: A Gift of Memories* (with Carol Charles). Lavenham, Suffolk: Lavenham Press.


#### d) Articles Published

 **Arnason, David.** "Dogs in Cars," "The Arms of my Father," "The Winter Garden." Poems. *Prairie Fire Magazine*. 35th Anniversary Special Editions: The Early Years.



\_\_\_\_\_ "Homecoming," *H2O Magazine*, April.



\_\_\_\_\_ "Return of the Frogs," short story reprint in  *Canadian Readings for Composition*. Nelson Education Ltd.



\_\_\_\_\_ "Berry Picking," reprint of article from *H2O magazine*, Logberg Heimskringla, June.

**Brydon, Diana.** "Critical Literacies for Globalizing Times." *Critical Literacy, Special Issue: Theories and Practices*. 4(2): 16-28. [www.criticalliteracyjournal.org](http://www.criticalliteracyjournal.org)

\_\_\_\_\_ "Canadian Multiculturalism and Contemporary Citizenship Debates." *Culturalisms*. Special double issue of *New Literatures Review*. 45/46: 113-132.

\_\_\_\_\_ "Earth, World, Planet: Where does the Postcolonial Literary Critic Stand?" In *Cultural Transformations: Perspectives on Translocation in a Global Age*, ed. Chris Prentice, Henry Johnson, and Vijay Devadas. Rodopi, pp. 3-29.



\_\_\_\_\_ "Global Friction, Alberta Fictions." *English Quarterly. Special Issue: The Prairies in 3-D: Disorientations, Diversities, Dispersals*. 40 (1/2): 3-9.

**Brydon, Diana,** James Meffan and Mark Williams. "Introduction." *Culturalisms*. Special double issue of *New Literatures Review*. 45/46: 1-21.

**Brydon, Diana,** Walkyria Monte Mor and Lynn Mario Menezes T. de Souza, "Developing New Literacies in Cross-Cultural Contexts: Future Directions for Teaching English in Brazilian and Global Contexts," In *Diálogos nas Américas - Brasil / Canadá: Culturas e Literaturas / Dialogues in the Americas - Brazil / Canada: Cultures and Literatures*. [N. 2 ], ed. Monteiro, Maria Conceição, Carlinda Fragale Pate Nunez, and Neil Besner, Rio de Janeiro: Editora Caetés, pp. 13-30. Co-authored equally.

🍁 **Friesen, Gerry.** "Variations on the Theme of Remembering: A National Survey of How Canadians Use the Past" *Journal of the Canadian Historical Association*, 20(1): 221-47 (co-authored with Del Muise and David Northrup).

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "Critical History in Western Canada 1900-2000" In *The West and Beyond: New Perspectives on an Imagined Region*, ed. Alvin Finkel et.al. Edmonton: Athabasca University Press, pp. 3-12.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "The Manitoba Political Tradition" In *Manitoba Politics and Government: Issues, Institutions, Traditions*, ed. **Paul G. Thomas** and Curtis Brown. Winnipeg: University of Manitoba Press, pp. 21-42 .

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "John Norquay, 1878-1887". In *Manitoba Premiers of the 19th and 20th Centuries*, ed. **Barry Ferguson** and Robert Wardhaugh. Regina: Canadian Plains Research Centre, pp. 47-67.

**Hallman, B.C.** 'Introduction: Placing families, placing this book'. In *Family Geographies: The Spatiality of Families and Family Life*. Oxford University Press: Toronto, pp 1-9.

\_\_\_\_\_ 'Conclusion: Not really a conclusion but a beginning'. In *Family Geographies: The Spatiality of Families and Family Life*. Oxford University Press: Toronto, pp 221-229.

**Hallman, Bonnie C. and S. Mary P. Benbow.** "'Seeing if you can catch the one picture that just makes it': Placing Family Life Through Family Zoo Photography". In *Family Geographies: The Spatiality of Families and Family Life* ed. **Hallman, B. C.** Toronto: Oxford University Press.

🍁 **Kuffert, Len.** "Tempest in the Tea Leaves: Broadcasting the esoteric arts and mystic sciences, 1937-53," *Canadian Historical Review* 91(1): 1-26.

**McCance, Dawne.** "The Wild Child." In *The Problem Body: Projecting Disability on Film*. Eds. Nicole Markotic and Sally Chivers. Ohio State University Press, pp. 83-94.

🍁 **Roberts, Lance.** "Welfare Regimes and Educational Inequality: A Cross-National Exploration." (with T. Peter & J. Edgerton) *International Studies in the Sociology of Education*, 20 (3): 241-264.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "'Bad' Boys and 'Sad' Girls? Examining Internalizing and Externalizing Effects on Parasuicides among Youth." (with T. Peter) *Journal of Youth and Adolescence*, 39(5): 495-503.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "Social Cohesion in Canada" (with S. Langlois & **B. Ferguson**) *The Tocqueville Review* 30(2): 69-101.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "Unanticipated Consequences of Conventional School Renewal" *S.P.O.S.A.* (Fall) Pp. 13-15.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ "Mission-Relevant School Facility Renewal: Canada's First Case". *Educational Business Administrator*. (Spring). Pp. 12-15.


**Thomas, Robert.** 'Isonemal Prefabrics with no Axes of Symmetry', *Discrete Mathematics*, 310: 1307--1324. doi:10.1016/j.disc.2009.12.015. Online: <http://arxiv.org/abs/abs/0911.1467v2> [mathCO] and the journal site.

\_\_\_\_\_ 'Isonemal Prefabrics with Perpendicular Axes of Symmetry', *Utilitas Mathematica* 82: 33--70. Online: <http://arxiv.org/abs/0805.3791v1>.

**Waterman, Anthony.** 'Paul Anthony Samuelson: Historian of Economic Thought' (with Steven Medema), *History of Economic Ideas* 18 (3).

#### **e) Exhibitions/Performances**

**Cantelo, Brenda.** Post production of five videos for use in teaching:  
Tunnel Beach: New Site Specific Choreography(in post production)  
An Interview with Shona Duncan MacTavish(completed)  
Healing Dances in Mexico(completed)  
Healing Rituals on the streets of Mexico City (completed)  
Maori dances at Waitangi (completed)

 **Trott, Christopher.** Released film, "Qapirangajuq: Inuit Knowledge and Climate Change". I worked on the editing and cutting as well as providing translation for the subtitles.

#### **f) Grants**

**Brydon, Diana.** Visiting Fellowship (with grant), Research School of Humanities, Australian National University, for Feb–April, (\$25,000.)

\_\_\_\_\_ Visiting Speaker. Universities of Sao Paulo, Aquidauana, University of Anhanguera (UNIDERP), Campo Grande; State University of Mato Gross do Sul (UEMS) in partnership with Federal University of Grande Dourados (UFGD), Mato Grosso Do Sul: and Federal University of Sergipe, Campus Prof. Jose Aloisio de Campos, Aracaju. Funded by DFAIT through Ruberval Maciel, UNIDERP, Mato Grosso do Sul.

**Close, Susan M.** (Principal Investigator), "Gender, Space and Architecture: An Interdisciplinary Analysis of the Photographic Interiors of Lady Clementina Hawarden", University of Manitoba, Social Science and Humanities Research Grant (UM/SSHRC), \$3,330.31

**Friesen, Gerry.** SSHRC: CURA program: Canadians and Their Pasts group: \$990,000 for five-year project, 2006-2011 (seven co-investigators, twelve community partners)

**Hallman, Bonnie.** Canadian Institutes of Health Research (CIHR) – Emerging Team Grant - \$385,000 (2008-2011) - Co-applicant / co-investigator. Changing Geographies of Care: Using therapeutic landscapes as a Framework to Understand how Families with Medically Complex Children Participate in Communities. Co-applicant: Dr. Roberta Woodgate (lead); Dr. Marie

Edwards; Dr. Gina Rempel; Prof. Jacquie Ripat; Barbara Bolton (Rehabilitation Centre for Children-Winnipeg).

\_\_\_\_SSHRC-CURA – 1,000,000 (2007-2012) - Co-applicant/co-investigator. Building Age-friendly Communities, Promoting Active Aging. Successful LOI submitted in July 2006. Other applicants/investigators: Dr. Verena Menec, Dr. John Everitt, Dr. Frances Racher, Dr. Jim Hamilton, Dr. Frances Kuo, Dr. Judith Chipperfield, Dr. Richard Milgrom, Dr. Barbara Payne, Dr. Elizabeth Ready, Dr. Alexander Segall and Dr. Laura Taylor.

**McCance, Dawne.** SSHRC Aid to Research Workshops and Conferences in Canada, sole applicant, \$22,895


\_\_\_\_SSHRC, Standard Research Grant, sole applicant, \$45,287

\_\_\_\_SSHRC, Aid to Research and Transfer Journals, sole applicant, \$90,000

**Trott, Christopher.** “Culture and ecology in Cumberland Sound: community adaptations to global warming”. SSHRC Research Grants - Northern Communities: Towards Social and Economic Prosperity, \$243,950 over 3 years. Christopher Trott, Principle Investigator with Peter Kulchyski and Ian Mauro.

**g) Conference Presentations**

 **Arnason, David.** “Literary life and the Fort Garry Public Library,” Paper delivered at the 50th anniversary celebration of the Fort Garry Public Library, Friday February 12.

 \_\_\_\_\_ “Manitoba in Literature,” Rock and a Hard Place: a conference of the Manitoba. Writers' Guild, October 30, Burns Family Classroom 218-100 Arthur Street.

**Brydon, Diana.** “Literacies for a Knowledge Society.” Fourth International Colloquium on Contemporary Education, 22-24 September, 2010, Campus Prof. Jose Aloisio dem Campos—Federal University of Sergipe (UFS) and Sao Cristovao (SE).

\_\_\_\_Invited workshop paper, “Transnational literacies, global English, and mobile imaginaries,” for a panel, “Regionalization 1: Region, Nation, Transnation” for a conference, “Migration, Regionalization, Citizenship: Canada and Europe in Comparative Perspective.” Augsburg, Germany, Dec 8-11, 2010.

 \_\_\_\_\_Invited Lecture: “Cross-Cultural Learning in Global Times: Brazil/Canada Knowledge Exchange. Advanced Institute for Globalization and Culture, Lakehead University, Nov. 17, 2010.

\_\_\_\_Opening Keynote. “Knowledge Work in the Era of the Global Turn.” Umea-Manitoba Partnership Conference: From Cultural Capital to Culture Capital: Understanding the impact of changes to our cultural climate. University of Manitoba. Oct 4, 2010.

\_\_\_\_Invited Keynote. “Globalization and Higher Education: Implications for Postcolonial Research.” CACLALS, Congress, Montreal, May 2010.

\_\_\_\_Invited 2 Day Workshop, “The Task of the English Teacher in the Era of Globalization,” and Panel Presentation, “New Literacies in Cross-Cultural Contexts.” University of Sao Paulo, September 14, 15, & 16, 2010 (funded by the Canadian Consulate in Sao Paulo).

\_\_\_\_Short Panel Talk. “Globalization and Open Access.” Open Access Forum. University of Manitoba. Fall 2010.




\_\_\_\_\_. Invited Lectures. "Local Needs, Global Contexts: Learning New Literacies." UEMS, UNIDERP, UFGD (Aquiduaana, Campo Grande, Dourados in Mato Grosso do Sul, Brazil, (lecture tour funded by the Canadian Consulate in Sao Paulo.)


\_\_\_\_\_. Invited Talk. "Globalization, Literary/Cultural Studies, and Higher Education: Working Toward Cognitive Justice." University of Western Sydney, April 16, 2010.


\_\_\_\_\_. Invited Talk. "Shifting Identities of Postcolonialism: Modes and Models of Cross-Disciplinarity." University of Sydney, Gender and Cultural Studies March 26, 2010.


\_\_\_\_\_. Invited Talk. "Shifting Identities of Postcolonialism: Modes and Models of Cross-Disciplinarity." Australian National University, Humanities Research Centre, March 19, 2010.


**Cantelo, Brenda.** "Re-telling the Buddhist Nativity Narrative as a Subversive Act." Engaging India Symposium. Sponsored by the Shastri Indo-Canadian Institute and the University of Saskatchewan. Saskatoon, SK. Oct 28-29

 **Friesen, Gerry.** "How Canadians Use and Relate to the Past" invited paper to Manitoba Historical Society, Annual General Meeting, 29 May

 \_\_\_\_\_ "Immigrants and Canadian Cultural Diversity" to Peel Heritage Centre workshop, 12 February

 \_\_\_\_\_ "Residential Schools and Saskatchewan Cree Collective Memory" to Truth and Reconciliation Commission Learning Tent, 17 June -- co-author

 \_\_\_\_\_ "The Saskatchewan Aboriginal Survey: Canadians and Their Pasts" co-author, to Western Canadian Studies Conference, U of Manitoba 17 September

 \_\_\_\_\_ "Teaching Immigrant History" ACS and OHASSTA conference, 5 November

**Hallman, Bonnie.** Atmospheres Conference, Faculty of Architecture, University of Manitoba. Invited Presentation. 'atmosphere – place – family', February.

\_\_\_\_\_ Working with Emotions Symposium. St John's College, University of Manitoba. Invited Presentation. 'Placing the emotional work of family life, or...a day at the zoo and pictures too!.' March.

\_\_\_\_\_. Cultural Landscapes Field School in NE Italy. Involved in all aspects of course preparation, organization, delivery and student assessment. Instructor for the first week of the course in Venice and the Belluno Valley, May.

\_\_\_\_\_ Canadian Association of Geographers Annual Meeting, Regina SK. Panel Discussion: 'Family Geographies.' Organized panel to coincide with book launch. Organized the session and gave one presentation, June.

\_\_\_\_\_ IFI Design Futures: The Interiors Entity University of Manitoba Think Tank. One of 20 invited participants. Session part of an international set of think tanks on the future of the interior design profession and its links to other disciplines, September.

 **Kuffert, Len.** "the life of the underworld": Canada and American radio programming," Canadian Communication Association Annual Meeting, Montreal, QC, 1 June.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ “Going begging: building tasteful programming in Canada during and after the bigger downturn,” Broadcasting in the 1930s: New Media in a Time of Crisis, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, 6 July.

**McCance, Dawne.** “Listening.” Paper presented to The Audience and the Auditory panel with Professor Horens Spillers, Warhaft Lecturer, October 28.

🍁 **Punter, David.** Nature Manitoba Fungus Foray, Bel Air Forest, 4 September.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ Nature Manitoba Workshop, 'Mushroom Identification', 11 May.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ Manitoba Model Forest Workshop, 'Morels and False Morels', Pine Falls, 1 May.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ Woodlot Assoc. of Manitoba Lecture, 'Fungi in the Forest', 27 March.

🍁 **Roberts, Lance.** Using P.A.S.S. to Determine Mission-Relevant School Renewal. Educational Research and Development Institute Conference. Collingwood, Ontario, October.

**Thomas, Robert,** Contributed 'Why a mathematician might be (a bit) interested in Theodosios's Spherics', at the thirty-sixth annual meeting of the Canadian Society for History and Philosophy of Mathematics, Concordia University, May 30.

\_\_\_\_\_ Invited address, 'Assimilation: Not only indiscernibles are identified', delivered at the conference Logic and Knowledge, University of Rome 'La Sapienza', June 18, and to be published in proceedings.

\_\_\_\_\_ Invited address, 'The dramatis personae of the Spherics of Theodosios', at winter meeting of the Canadian Mathematical Society, Vancouver, December 5.

🍁 **Trott, Christopher.** “Missions and Political Struggles among Inuit.” Paper present at the Native Studies Department Colloquia Series, University of Manitoba, February 3.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ “Colonization and Decolonization.” Workshop presented at the Church's Council on Theological Education Conference “Doing Theology in a Fair Country”, University of Winnipeg, May 5.

🍁 \_\_\_\_\_ “Dangerous Knowledges: Inuit Perspectives on Climate Change Challenges Scientific Orthodoxy” (with Ian Mauro and Peter Kulchyski). Inuit Studies Conference, UQAT, Val-d'Or, October 28-30.

## **5. Administrative Staff**

The administrative team saw a number of changes in 2010. Amy Craddock joined as our new Receptionist, and Sean Taubner was hired as our new Dean of Residence, replacing Paul Lampman who moved on to be the rector of St Luke's Anglican Church. Sherry Peters also joined the staff as our new Registrar, when the College lost its long time staff member Erin



Palamar, after a long and courageous fight with cancer. Erin is certainly missed. We are grateful, however to once again have a full cohort of staff, and for all the hard work and dedication they bring to the College. It is a great team to be a part of.

## **6. Academic Programs**

### **Undergraduate Courses**

Beginning in 2004, the College has attempted to develop a cohort of undergraduate students who make the College their academic home, and take the majority of their courses with College Fellows. The College remains committed to promoting a variety of Arts and Science courses for students within the College because, over time, this will promote the intimacy and collegiality among students that is core to our mission as a small college in the larger institutional university.

The University 1 program allows students undertaking their first 30 credit hours to explore a wide range of courses and programs across the University. The Robert B. Schultz Lecture Theatre at St John's College allows us to provide enough University 1 courses within the College that our students can do their entire first year programs "at home". Not only can we offer courses in the more traditional Arts and Science fields, but we now offer courses from the Faculties of Environment, Architecture and Kinesiology and Recreation Management. With the additional resource of our older 100-seat lecture theatre (Room 118) we can also offer courses from the Music faculty.

The College has worked hard in cooperation with the Faculties to arrange that each of the College Fellows can offer their upper year courses within the College buildings. For the most part, this now means that we cover the disciplines of all the Fellows providing our students with an extraordinary range of possible courses.

### **Centre for Canadian Studies**

In the 1970 agreement between the University and the Colleges, St John's was to select an area of emphasis in its academic programme: the College chose Canadian Studies. Since then, as far as possible, the College has sought to elect Fellows with an interest in the area. Of the current College Fellows, 21 have maintained an active presence in the area, as evidenced by their participation in conferences and publications, a partial list of which was included previously in this report.

As the 1970 agreement is currently interpreted, the College cannot on its own teach Canadian Studies: the undergraduate program must be housed and coordinated through a Faculty of the University. Canadian Studies is therefore a program of the Faculty of Arts. Despite this, the College continues to use its Canadian Studies endowments to promote events such as the "Place and Replace Conference" and the Marjorie Ward Lecture by Thomson Highway.

The College has developed an extensive art collection, primarily through donations from the artists. The primary commitment is to collect contemporary Manitoba, Prairie Region, and Aboriginal art as well as works of quality from the Canadian historic period. The art collection at St John's College is a visible collection, hung in offices, classrooms, and public areas. Most of the works in the College have been permanently installed. The College also provides a gallery space, the Quiet Room Gallery, and often holds exhibitions during the academic year.

The library holdings of the College have a focus on Canadian literature, history and politics in both English and French. The major collection of French-Canadian literature at the University of Manitoba is centered at St John's College.

## **7. Faculty of Theology**

The Faculty of Theology continues its work of academic development and ministry support.

The main work of the Faculty of Theology is support and development of the Diploma in Applied Theology, and the Advanced Certificate. At this time, we have been unable to mount either the Diploma or the Advanced Certificate. The 2010–2011 academic year began with a total of four Special Students variously enrolled in Anglican History and Introduction to New Testament Greek. Special Students are those who enrol either through our links with the University of Winnipeg, by letter of permission from another institution, or through special interest. The Dean of Theology taught the courses offered in the Faculty of Theology.

At November 2010 Convocation, three students graduated with the Advanced Certificate. This happy occasion represents an important contribution to the life and ministry of the Diocese of Rupert's Land and elsewhere as all our graduates are actively engaged in the life and ministry of their parishes.

The Faculty of Theology web page is found at:

[http://umanitoba.ca/colleges/st\\_johns/programs/theology/index.html](http://umanitoba.ca/colleges/st_johns/programs/theology/index.html)

The Dean of Theology presented a paper at the *Sixteenth Century Studies Conference* titled *Richard Hooker the Pelagian: Is There a Case?* held in Montreal in October. He also published a paper in *Perichoresis* titled *Sitting Among Richard Hooker's Sermons: Notes on the Three Fragments* in addition to fifteen articles in the forthcoming *Dictionary of the Bible and Western Culture* published by Sheffield Phoenix Press.

Our participation in the Winnipeg Theological Cooperative (W.T.C.) provides a broader academic platform where the College can be active in the wider theological community. We represent the Anglican Home College for students in the University of Winnipeg M.Div. programme. In addition, a parallel arrangement is now available for M.Div. students at Providence College and Seminary who wish to take Anglican Studies courses at St John's College.

A modest initiative beginning in spring of 2010 called *Bible & Breakfast* has been well-received and continues into 2011. The aim has been to enhance Anglicans' confidence in the Scriptures by way of regular and consistent exposition in a relaxed and welcoming atmosphere.

## **8. College Events**

### **Marjorie Ward Lecture**

Well-known Manitoba Cree writer, Thomson Highway, presented the 26<sup>th</sup> Marjorie Ward Lecture on October 21. The Lecture was entitled "Comparing Mythologies" and 100 people came to hear our first Ward Lecture in the Robert B. Schultz Lecture theatre.

### **Soup and Bread Lectures**

Dr. David Punter has organized the Soup and Bread Lectures for the past year. On February 24 Drs. John Stafford and Francis Carroll lectured on "Mesopotamian Discoveries or, Guess What We Found in the Attic". They examined a cuneiform tablet that had come in Dr. Carroll's possession. College guest, Dr. Roger Wilson of the Department of Psychology presented a paper on "Zebra's don't get ulcers: so what?" on April 21. Dr. Geoffrey Brennan delivered a talk on September 14 about the economics of academic job satisfaction.

### **Social Events**

The thirteenth annual Robbie Burns Dinner was held on January 29. A Fellows and Staff Family Christmas Party, which included games, hot cocoa and cookies and a visit from St Nicholas (with presents!) was held on December 11.

The annual End-of-Term and Opening-of-Term Barbeques for students, Fellows, and staff were held in April and in September. Closing and opening-of-term receptions for Fellows and staff were also held in the Faculty Lounge (now the Senior Common Room). A luncheon was held on November 9 for the Faculty to meet all the new members of the College Staff.

The College hosted a reception to say farewell to the Rev. Paul Lampman on May 18.

The first ever College Baby Shower was held on December 5 to celebrate the birth of J. J. Nashalik-Suvissak, son of Karen Nashalik. Karen is a long-time friend from Pangnirtung of the Dean of Studies and the entire College faculty and staff enthusiastically supplied her with all the necessities for a new baby.

## **Rip the Strip**

On March 18, the second annual Rip the Strip fundraiser was held to support CancerCare Manitoba. Chair of Council, Mr. Bernie Beare joined the Dean of Studies and Harley Sheppard to sacrifice their leg hair and Harley's eyebrows for charity. The event raised approximately \$2200.

## **Matriculation**

New members of the College are welcomed at our annual Matriculation ceremony, receive a College pin and sign the College membership book which dates back to 1866. The ceremony was held on September 28, 2010. Dr. Lance Roberts was the Speaker.

## **Convocation**

The 144<sup>th</sup> Annual Convocation was held on November 7, 2010 in the College Chapel of St John the Evangelist. The Warden, Dr Janet Hoskins, opened the proceedings. The Right Reverend Barbara Andrews was given the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity (*jure dignitatis*), The Most Reverend James Weisgerber was given the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity (*honoris causa*), and Dr. Robert Kroetsch was given the degree of Doctor of Canon Law (*honoris causa*) in absentia. Dr. Robert Kroetsch presented the Convocation address, read by Dr. Dennis Cooley.

Two hundred and fifty seven College members were acknowledged as graduates of the University of Manitoba. In addition, from the Faculty of Theology, Lisa Pacarynuk, Bryan Rivers, and Steven Scribner graduated with an Advanced Certificate in Applied Theology.

The afternoon Convocation was preceded by the Commemoration of Founders and Benefactors chapel service and the Friends of St John's College Luncheon. At the luncheon, Cicely Bartolo (1960), Eric Calrow (1970), Jon Singleton (1970), and Ralph Toupe (1970), were presented with an anniversary J-Pin.

At the luncheon, Laurie-Anne Vermette gave the "What St John's College means to me" speech, saying, "Together, you have inspired me, more than you can ever know." Laurie graduated with her Masters degree in Education and will be returning to the University of Manitoba in September to start on her Ph.D.

## **9. Chapel**

The Dean of Theology is also the Acting College Chaplain until 2012. A significant gathering was held on November 27<sup>th</sup> 2010 to discuss practical matters regarding directions and priorities for chaplaincy at St John's College. The congregation is small but consistent. At this time, the chaplain leads Sunday worship at 10:30 am and works with the UM campus Chaplaincy

Association in its various initiatives. In addition, the chaplain participates with *All the King's Men* in the monthly choral Evensong held in the College Chapel. See: [www.ee.umanitoba.ca/~derek/atkm.html](http://www.ee.umanitoba.ca/~derek/atkm.html)

The Chaplain also maintains the chapel booking list.

## **10. College Facilities**

Over the past year, there have been a number of improvements made to the College facilities:

### **Residence/Food Services**

- The large student lounge, the games room, and the student study room were renovated – new flooring, and re-painted walls
- The smaller student lounge received a new television
- The large, primary oven in the Residence kitchen was replaced by a 2 bank steamer, and 2 convection ovens – both more efficient, and provides the kitchen with more flexibility
- Suite 100 in the residence was completely renovated, in preparation for the new Dean of Residence
- Numerous mattresses in the Residence rooms were replaced

### **College**

- The networking infrastructure in the College was completely replaced. A project to introduce wireless capabilities was started, with an anticipated implementation of fall 2011.
- Patio furniture was purchased by the Faculty Association for the Senior Common Room patio

## **11. Food Services**

Food Services is comprised of 1 manager, 7 full time staff and 8 part time staff. We operate 7 days a week and have staff working from 6 am until 10 pm every day.

Food services generated revenues of **over one million dollars** this year!

The heart of the operation is the **residence kitchen** where all the cooking for our **residence students**, Daily Bread Café and Catering takes place.

Last summer the residence kitchen had an unexpected update in that several pieces of equipment needed to be replaced. Ovens, steamers as well as many other items gave way from age and increased wear. We felt fortunate that our summer business was strong which helped offset some of the unexpected expenses.

Our summer business in **The Daily Bread Café** was particularly busy with **summer conference groups**, International students as well as a large number of university staff and faculty as some of the larger campus eateries closed for renovations.

**The espresso 101 café** in **The Robert B Shultz lecture theatre** is a lively and popular spot, with the window seating area always packed. We experimented with many Canadian coffee roasters, all of which are fair trade certified. We also bought pesticide free organic green beans. This was a great experience and gave our clients a chance to taste a wide variety of coffee profiles.

We now have an **online Catering site** which our customers report they are happy with. Catering has been strong and we see this as an area for growth.

## **12. College Library**

The Annual Report for the St. John's College Library (SJCL) draws upon the previous year's Annual Report, a succession report and related files left by the previous Head, Richard Ellis, and conversations with the Acting Head, Lyle Ford, and Library staff members Cathy Mudry and Amrit Chhina.

The most significant events for the St. John's College Library over the past year were the retirement of Richard Ellis who was Head of the Library since 2001 and his replacement on an interim basis by Lyle Ford, Distance Education Librarian. In spite of these changes, the Library continued to operate without major problems pending the appointment of a new Head as of April 1, 2010.

In spite of the changes, the Library has made progress toward realizing several of the strategic directions in the Libraries Action Plan. This is especially the case for the goals of creating inspired workspace and encouraging a culture of weeding. The fact that the Library is short-staffed and struggles to meet its contractual and professional development obligations makes its achievements all the more notable. The position of librarian is half-time, making it unrealistic for the incumbent to meet all of the expectations of the liaison librarian model. In addition to carrying professional responsibilities, the librarian is called upon to compensate for staff shortages. Nevertheless, it appears that the previous Head worked very hard to create a strong relationship with the College and to promote the Library and its services.

The Library is an attractive place, but there have been problems with water leaks over the years. These seem to have been resolved and the painting project which was carried out this year has improved things immensely. However, there are problems. Some, such as the multi-level space which requires that staff carry books from one level to another, cannot be resolved as long as the Library occupies its current position. Other problems, including security and the privacy of the librarian's office will be reviewed to find possible solutions.

### **Achievements in support of Libraries Strategic Plan**

Richard Ellis, Head of St. John's College Library since 2001, retired in August, 2009. He was replaced on an interim basis by Lyle Ford, Distance Education Librarian. Richard left a legacy of service and commitment to the faculty and students of St. John's College as well as to the broader community of Library users. Lyle Ford made a valuable contribution in ensuring that the Library's services and collections were maintained pending the appointment of a long-term Head. He was replaced by Georgina Lewis as of April 2010.

In addition to the Head of the Library, which is a half-time academic position, there are two full time support staff, Cathy Mudry, Circulation Supervisor and Amrit Chhina, LA2. Two sessional staff, John Yang and Maya Uprety have provided evening service for a number of years. During term casual staff may be brought in on a project basis.

### **Fund raising and development**

The St. John's College Library does not actively engage in fund raising, and there are no endowment monies available to the Library from the College. On special occasions, the College will collect funds to place a volume in the Library. The College does fund subscriptions to *The Globe and Mail* and the *Winnipeg Free Press*.

### **Statistical summary**

Like many other libraries, St. John's experienced a decline in circulation and reference transactions and an increase in turnstile traffic. It is not unusual for libraries to continue to show either a steady state or increase in turnstile statistics since study space is a highly desirable commodity. What is notable is that even without wireless service, the Library is still an important place for its patrons.

We had no base figure for the number of volumes in the St. John's Library collection. The increase in the number of discards over the previous year (an increase of 51%) emphasizes that the Library is committed to improving its collection and space through weeding.

## **13. Financial Overview**

2010 was a very busy year at St John's College, with a very high volume of students, staff, and other groups using our facilities. Total revenues of \$2,173,556 were up over previous years, but increased volumes also meant higher labour costs, wear and tear on equipment, and other maintenance projects in the Residence. Total expenses were \$2,238,905.

The resulting deficit was represented by Theology (23,724), and Other Operations (41,625).

**14. Development**

It was a year to lay a foundation for the Development Office at St John's College. A 3 year Development Plan was drafted and approved by the Development Committee with the plan being implemented in April 2010. The main focus of the plan is to grow the annual giving component of the Development Office.

Jackie Markstrom, Development Officer, has provided details for this annual report. The total funds raised for the year are \$413,441.82. This breaks down as follows:-

Academic Fund	\$ 1,250.00
Bursary/Scholarship	\$110,293.92
Canadian Studies	\$ 1,550.00
Chapel	\$ 494.00
Chaplaincy	\$ 5,791.95
In-Kind	\$ 1,778.49
Library	\$ 395.00
MSBI	\$ 30,000.00
Marjorie Ward Lecture	\$ 4,800.00
Operating	\$ 5,200.00
Residence Improvements	\$ 13,260.19
Theology Endowment	\$ 5,565.83
Theatre	\$ 194.36
Unrestricted	\$ 16,679.70
Unrestricted Endowed Fund	\$ 8,295.00

In addition to the above, \$207,893.38 in pledge payments was received and administered by the University of Manitoba's Development and Advancement Office for the Robert B. Schultz Lecture Theatre.

**Staffing**

A grant from Services Canada allowed us to hire a summer student, Jarett Myskiw, for a period of 8 weeks. Jarett's summer project was to investigate free photo database software and select the most appropriate for use in the Development Office. The photo database has been set up and volunteers continue to work on inputting the photos.

Maureen Kolodie and Jackie Markstrom attended several continuing education sessions over the course of the year.



### **Scholarship Award**

Two new awards were established and disbursed in 2010 - the CAE Jensen Scholarship and the Erin Palamar Bursary in Nursing.

Once again, the College was fortunate to received matching funds from Manitoba Scholarship and Bursary Initiative in the amount of \$30,000.

### ***In Lumine* Newsletter**

The Newsletter was mailed out in June 2010. Packed with information on the happenings of the College, *In Lumine* continues to be an important connection to our Alumni.

### **Bequests**

Over the past year we were sad to say farewell to several Johnians many of whom had left a bequest to the College. Four bequests were received in 2010, one for an established bursary, one to set up a bursary and two into the Endowment Fund. A total of \$51,379 was received through bequests in 2010.

### **The Development Committee**

The Development Committee met once in February 2010. The focus of the meeting was to approve the Development Plan. The Committee reviewed the Terms of Reference for Awards and Gift Acceptance Policy.

Members of the Committee are: Louise Carson '70, Chair, John Deacon '63, Janet Hoskins, Fellow Len Kuffert, Bill Regehr, Heather Richards '76, Bernie Beare '57, Fellow Gerry Friesen, Jim Ripley and Fellow Anthony Waterman, '62. In September 2010 Louise Carson stepped down as Chair of the Committee.

### **Stewardship**

In early December a trip to Ottawa, Perth, Kingston, and Toronto was made by Jackie Markstrom and Warden, Janet Hoskins. The main focus of the trip was stewardship of donors and individuals with planned gifts. However, we were fortunate to secure a donation for the Galleria Artwork Project.

Over the past year several personal visits were made by Janet Hoskins, Maureen Kolodie, Jackie Markstrom to many of the donors who have contributed to St John's College.

### **Friends of St John's College Convocation Luncheon**

An annual event held prior to the Convocation ceremony is the Friends of St John's College luncheon. The luncheon is a time for graduates, scholarship winners, honorary degree recipients and alumni to share St John's College stories and memories.

With close to 100 Johnians in attendance Laurie Anne Vermette gave the "What St John's College Means to Me" speech. J-pins were handed out to three Johnians celebrating 30 years.



"Together you have inspired me more than you can ever know?"

Thank you to all our donors – Individuals, Corporate and Foundations – who have helped to make St John's College the smaller, caring, and kinder community it is.

A special "thank you" to the Staff of St John's College who have helped us in our endeavours over the past year, and to our Volunteers Sandra Anderson, Chris Friesen, Madeleine Hoskins and Mika Kato.

We truly could not have done this without you all!

## **15. Governance**

### ***Assembly***

Chaired by Rod Clifton (January to April) and Susan Close (May to December). Assembly met five times from January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010.

Actions of Assembly in 2010:

- Approved a 4.9% increase in residence rates for 2010-2011.
- Forwarded recommendations of honorary degree recipients to Council.
- Approved a policy regarding private office space for Retired Fellows and Guests.
- Approved a course name change from SJM 220 "Critical Ecclesiology" to "Anglican Ecclesiology".
- Approved the creation of Crouse SJM 151 "Anglican Experience" to meet the needs of the Providence College M. Div. Anglican Studies track students.

- Held a special meeting of Assembly to discuss and provide feedback on the Planning and Visioning Process.
- Formed a committee to discuss the relationship between St John's College and Providence College.
- Nominated Brenda Cantelo as Assembly representative for the Dean of Residence Hiring Committee.
- Nominated Bill Norton as Assembly representative for the Registrar's Hiring Committee.
- Amended the terms of the James Cross Memorial Trophy.
- Approved the terms of the C.A.E. Jensen Scholarship.
- Authorized the scholarship Committee to approve the terms of the Erin Palamar Award
- Approved the structure of the Warden Search Committee.
- Requested Council to establish the terms of reference for the Warden's search committee.
- Established a committee to govern the use of the Faculty Lounge.
- Approved the terms of the Beverley and Bishop James Allan Bursary.
- Approved the 2010-2011 operating budget.
- Elected Susan Close as the Chair of Assembly for the 2010-2011 year.
- Approved the draft of 2010-2011 Assembly meeting dates.
- Approved the following Fellowships:
  - Junior Fellow: Ernie Keenes (for 1 year)
  - Research Fellows: Sheila Simonson (renewed for 1 year).
  - Visiting Fellows: Sherry Farrell-Racette and David Watt (for 1 year, in consideration for Senior Fellowship); Egil Grisli, David Punter, and Anthony Waterman (for 1 year).
  - Visiting Fellow/Writer in Residence: Dennis Cooley (for 1 year).
- Approved a list of nominations to fill the vacancies on committees of Assembly.
- Approved the appointment of Georgina Lewis as SJC Librarian.
- Received budget summaries.
- Received a report from the Awards Clerk of St John's College re: award recipients.

*Council*

Chaired by Bernie Beare, College Council met five times from January 1, 2010 to December 31, 2010.

Actions of Council in 2010:

- Approved the Budget Parameters.
- Approved awarding Robert Kroetsch the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity (honoris causa), at the 2010 Convocation.
- Approved awarding Barbara Andrews the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity (jure dignitatis), at the 2010 Convocation.
- Approved awarding James Weisgerber the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity (honoris causa), at the 2010 Convocation.
- Assigned the undesignated bequest from the estate of Kathleen Teape to the General Endowment Fund.
- Approved the Endowment Fund Agreement Policy.
- Approved the Gift Acceptance and Processing Policy.
- Approved appointment of Sean Taubner as Dean of Residence.
- Approved the 2009-2010 audited financial statements.
- Retained the firm of BDO Dunwoody as SJC auditors for the 2009 – 2010 fiscal year.
- Approved amended Cahpel Guidelines and Policies.
- Approved the awarding of the Advanced Certificate in Theology to Lisa Pacarynuk, Byan Rivers, and Steven Scribner.
- Established an ad hoc committee to develop the terms of reference for the Warden's search committee.
- Approved appointment of Sherry Peters as Registrar and Confidential Assistant to the Warden.

**16. APPENDIX A**

**St John's College Administrative and Support Staff - 2010**

**1. *Supported entirely from University grant sources:***

- a) Warden, Janet Hoskins
- b) Registrar and Confidential Secretary to the Warden, Ms. Erin Palamar (to May 2010)  
Ms. Tammy Boutet (July 2010 to October 2010)  
Mr. Tom Suffield (October 2010 to November 2010)  
Ms. Sherry Peters (from November 2010)
- c) Bursar and Executive Assistant to the Warden, Ivan Froese
- d) Faculty Assistant/Awards Clerk, Diana DeFoort
- e) Receptionist, Shelly Tomchuk
- f) Dean of Studies, Chris Trott

**2. *Supported entirely from College sources:***

- a) Dean of Theology and Chaplain, John Stafford
- b) Dean of Residence, Paul Lampman (to September 2010), Sean Taubner (from September 2010)
- c) Food Services Manager, Ian Park
- d) Development Officer, Jackie Markstrom
- e) Assistant to the Development Officer, Maureen Kolodie
- f) Assistant Bursar, Elnora Wiebe
- g) Residence Housekeeping, Shirley Mooyman, Idalia Aalle
- h) Food Services Staff, 7 full time staff and 8 part time staff

**3. *Supported entirely by the University of Manitoba libraries system:***

- a) Head Librarian, Georgina Lewis
- b) Library Supervisor, Cathy Mudry
- c) Library Assistant, Amrit Chhina

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**17. APPENDIX B College Fellows - As of September 2010*****Senior Fellows***

Sharon Alward	(School of Art)
David Arnason	(English/Icelandic)
Mary Benbow	(Environment and Geography)
Diana Brydon	(English)
Brenda Cantelo	(Religion)
Warren Cariou	(English)
Rodney Clifton	(Education)
Susan Close	(Interior Design)
Dennis Cooley	(English)
James Dean	(Economics/International Relations)
Barry Ferguson	(History)
Gerald Friesen	(History)
Bonnie Hallman	(Environment and Geography)
Janet Hoskins	(Computer Science)
Derek Hum	(Economics)
Esyllt Jones	(History)
Sandra Kouritzin	(Education)
Len Kuffert	(History)
Gábor Lukács	(Mathematics)
Kurt Markstrom	(Music)
Dawne McCance	(Religion)
William Norton	(Environment and Geography)
Adele Perry	(History)
Lance Roberts	(Sociology)
Struan Sinclair	(English)
John Stafford	(Theology)
Robert Thomas	(Mathematics)
Christopher Trott	(Native Studies)

***Junior, Research, Visiting Fellows***

Kent Fowler	(Junior Fellow, Anthropology)
Ryan Eyford	(Research Fellow, History)
Sheila Simonson	(Research Fellow, English)
Egil Grislis	(Visiting Fellow, Religion)
David Punter	(Visiting Fellow, Botany)
Anthony Waterman	(Visiting Fellow, Economics)

***Retired Fellows***

W. George Baldwin	(Chemistry)
Francis Carroll	(History)
Tom Helens	(Mathematics)
John Kendle	(History)
Mary Kinnear	(History)
Anthony Waterman	(Economics)
Kathryn Young	(History)

**18. APPENDIX C**

**Members-at-Large on College Committees**

**1. The Development Committee**

Dr. Len Kuffert  
Mr. Bill Regehr  
Mrs. Heather Richardson  
Mr. Jim Ripley

**2. The Friends of St John's College Committee**

Ms. Joan McConnell  
Ms. Heather Richardson  
Mr. James Ripley

## **19. APPENDIX D**

### **Members of St John's College Council – As of December 2010**

#### **The Archbishop of Rupert's Land**

The Most Rev. David Ashdown

#### **The Bishop of the Diocese of Rupert's Land and Chancellor of St John's College**

The Rt. Rev. Donald Phillips

#### **The Warden and Vice-Chancellor of St John's College**

Dr. Janet Hoskins

#### **The Bishop's Designate**

There was no Bishop's Designate

#### **The Chancellor of the Diocese**

Prof. Art Braid

#### **The Chair of Assembly**

Dr. Susan Close

#### **Dean of Studies**

Dr. Chris Trott

#### **The Dean of Theology/Chaplain**

The Rev. Dr. John Stafford

#### **Diocesan Representatives**

Mr. Bernie Beare (Chair)

Rev. Simon Blaikie

Ms. Louise Carson

Mr. Paul Cloutier (to June 2009)

Dr. Bill Pope

Mr. Jeff Powell

Mr. William Regehr

#### **Assembly Representatives**

Dr. Sharon Alward

Dr. Gerald Friesen

Dr. Lance Roberts

#### **Student Representative**

Ms. Jessica Persson, Senior Stick

#### **Members from amongst: graduates, former members and members of the community who are interested in SJC**

Ms. Joan McConnell

Mrs. Heather Richardson

Mr. James Ripley

#### **College Officers (non-voting)**

##### **Bursar**

Mr. Ivan Froese

##### **Registrar/Council Secretary**

Ms. Erin Palamar (to May 2010)



Ms. Tammy Boutet (July 2010 to October 2010)

Mr. Tom Suffield (October 2010 to November 2010)

Ms. Sherry Peters (from November 2010)

**Development Officer**

Mrs. Jackie Markstrom

**Dean of Residence**

The Rev. Paul Lampman (to September 2010)

Mr. Sean Taubner (from September 2010)

**20. St John's College Administration as of December 2009**



**Chancellor/Bishop of  
Rupert's Land**



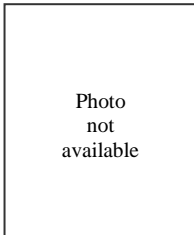
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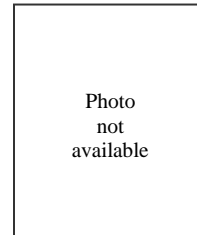
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**Assistant Bursar**  
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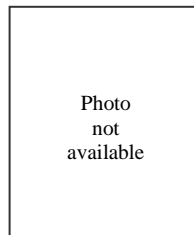
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Secretary to the Warden**  
Sherry Peters



**Development Officer**  
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Maureen Kolodie



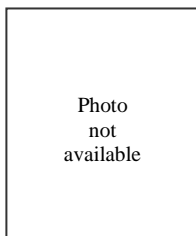
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Amy Craddock



**Faculty Assistant/  
Awards Clerk**  
Diana DeFoort



**Food Services Manager**  
Ian Park



**Librarian**  
Georgina Lewis



**Library Supervisor**  
Cathy Mudry



**Library Assistant**  
Amrit Chhina

**21. Academic Officers and Senior Fellows as of December 2009**



**Warden/Vice-Chancellor  
Janet Hoskins**



**Dean of Studies  
Chris Trott**



**Dean of Theology  
John Stafford**



**Professor  
Sharon Alward**



**Professor  
David Arnason**



**Assoc. Professor  
Mary Benbow**



**Professor  
Diana Brydon**



**Instructor  
Brenda Cantelo**



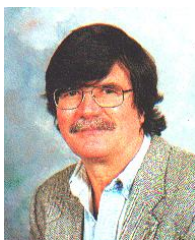
**Assoc. Professor  
Warren Cariou**



**Professor  
Rod Clifton**



**Asst. Professor  
Susan Close**



**Professor  
Dennis Cooley**



**Professor  
James (Jim) Dean**



**Professor  
Barry Ferguson**



**Distinguished Prof.  
Gerald Friesen**



**Assoc. Professor  
Bonnie Hallman**



**Professor  
Derek Hum**



**Asst. Professor  
Eshyllt Jones**



**Assoc. Professor  
Sandra Kouritzin**



**Asst. Professor  
Len Kuffert**



**Asst. Professor  
Gábor Lukács**



**Asst. Professor  
Kurt Markstrom**



**Distinguished Prof  
Dawne McCance**



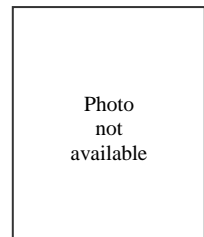
**Professor William  
(Bill) Norton**



**Assoc. Professor  
Adele Perry**



**Professor  
Lance Roberts**



**Asst. Professor  
Struan Sinclair**



**Professor  
Robert Thomas**

**22. Junior, Research, and Visiting Fellows as of December 2009**



**Research Fellow  
Ryan Eyford**



**Junior Fellow  
Kent Fowler**



**Senior Scholar  
Egil Grisli**



**Senior Scholar  
David Punter**



**Research Fellow  
Sheila Simonson**

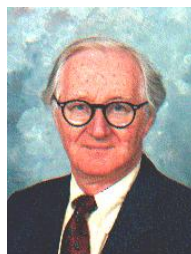
**23. Retired Fellows as of September 2009**



**Dr  
George Baldwin**



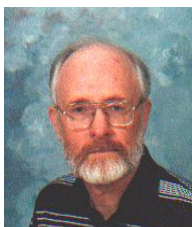
**Dr  
Jack Bumsted**



**Prof. Emeritus  
Francis Carroll**



**Senior Scholar  
Tom Holens**



**Dr  
John Kendle**



**Senior Scholar  
Mary Kinnear**



**Professor Emeritus  
Anthony Waterman**



**Dr  
Kathryn Young**