

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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# AUGUST

**August 18**

Applied Industrial Technology 'Careers Info Night'  
7 pm, Main Building Rm B



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## Williams Lake Campus Director

UCC has named **LYNDA WILSON** as the new Campus Director for Williams Lake. Reporting directly to the VP-Instruction, Ms. Wilson will officially join Cariboo at the end of August to take up the new position as director of the campus.

A native of Montreal, Lynda Wilson is a highly experienced educator and administrator, and has spent the majority of her career in the North West Territories.

Currently the Dean of Community Programs, Arctic College - Thebacka Campus in Fort Smith, Ms. Wilson first went to the NWT as a teacher, following graduation from McGill. Over a dozen years, she taught in Inuvik, Tuktoyaktuk and Hay River, before joining the faculty of Arctic College in Fort Smith in 1980. She served as Chair of the Department of Applied Studies for five years before taking the job as Dean in 1990.

Along the way, Lynda also found time to complete a Bachelors degree at the University of Alberta and her Master of Education degree at UBC.

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## Literacy Projects

Jim Bray (College Access) and forty-one others in B.C. will receive a total of \$1.4 million this year for literacy projects.

As part of a joint federal/provincial program to upgrade literacy skills

throughout the province, a Regional Professional development and Needs Assessment project, submitted by Bray and the ABE Association of B.C., was approved with a grant of \$55,000.

Other projects to be financed include a speech-assisted reading and writing program led by Capilano College, and Project Literacy Abbotsford-Matsqui, which upgrades the skills of spouses and partners of inmates.

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## Forestry Continuing Studies

UCC recently welcomed the arrival of **TOM RANKIN** as the Central Interior Coordinator for the B.C. Forestry Continuing Studies Network. Working out of the Sciences and Health Sciences Division, he will cover the central interior north to McBride and south to the border, to provide adult education in sustainable forest resource management.

Funded through federal and provincial government forestry initiatives, the B.C. Forestry Continuing Studies Network began development in 1990 and opened the first network office last year. The provincial office is housed in UBC's Faculty of Forestry and regional delivery centres are now operating at UCC (Central Interior), UNBC in Prince George (North), Selkirk College (Kooteney) and Malaspina College (Island).

The FCS Network is working with various agencies involved in forestry continuing studies to develop and

deliver programs for professionals, technical staff, forestry workers, and small scale forest interests. For more details, contact Tom Rankin at 5540, in the Science Building.

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## What's New

Congratulations to Dr. Clay Mosher (Sociology) who successfully defended his Ph.D. dissertation at the University of Toronto on June 30.

Dr. Richard Sigurdson (Ph.D. Toronto), who has taught at the universities of Victoria and Saskatchewan, joins the Political Studies department.

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## New Sister

UCC has a new 'Sisterhood' relationship with Kyoto Bunkyo Junior College in Uji, Japan. The agreement signed recently in Kamloops follows up on the twinning relationship established between Kamloops and Uji City in 1990, and will see the two institutions launch a student exchange program.

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## 'Capital' Ideas

The specifics on various capital projects around the post-secondary

system are being announced. A total of \$305 million has been allocated to capital construction this year. To date, some of the projects include:

- \$6.35 million for a new Visual Arts Building at the University of Victoria, scheduled to open for the summer of 1993.

- \$750,000 planning funds to North Island College, to construct a new \$7.5 million campus in Port Alberni. Occupancy is expected in September, 1994.

- \$11 million expansion of the Emily Carr College of Art and Design, located on Granville Island. The 6,500 square metre addition will include a theatre, library and space for programs currently offered in satellite locations, and is scheduled for completion by Fall 1993.

- Planning funds for a new \$25 million Student Services Building at SFU, to be opened in 1995.

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## Science Council Chief

The Science Council of B.C. has announced the appointment of Ron Woodward as the new President. He is currently the Assistant Deputy Minister for Science and Technology at the Ministry (MAETT) in Victoria.

Located in Burnaby, the Science Council has a mandate to promote economic development and enhance the quality of life through innovative applications of science and technology.