

CAMPUS CONNECTIONS

A Newsletter for Burman University

Thursday, 28 October 2021



Burman University's Diversity Week 2021 highlights Indigenous history and culture. Join us for a weekend of presentations, discussions, and workshops on the theme of Christianity and Indigenous People: Past, Present, and Future. Over the weekend we will explore the history of the Christian faith and its relationship with the Indigenous peoples of Canada and seek to chart a holistic path forward. We invite you to listen with empathy and an open heart.

PARTICIPANTS INCLUDE:



Dr. Loren Agrey
President, Burman University



Dr. Kevin Burrell
Assoc. Professor of Religious Studies & Special Asst. to the President for Diversity, Burman University



Campbell Page
Director of Indigenous Relations, Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada



David Plamondon
Co-founder, Pa Metawe Consulting

OTHER GUESTS INCLUDE:
CHIEF RANDY ERMINESKIN & CHEKOTAH BRONSON

For more information and the weekend schedule visit www.burmanu.ca/diversityweekend

WEEKEND SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 29, 2021

Vespers - 7:30 pm

-Mamasai Anishketan students

OCTOBER 30, 2021

1st Service - 9:15 am

- "Indigenous People and the Christian Faith"

IGNITE 2nd Service - 12:00 pm

- Panel Discussion: Christianity and Indigenous People: Past, Present, and Future

All programs above will be at the College Heights Seventh-day Adventist Church and livestreamed at www.livestream.com/burmanu

Breakout Session 3:00-4:30 pm

"It's All About the Land: Understanding Indigenous Issues in Canada"

Campbell Page, Director of Indigenous Relations, Seventh-day Adventist Church in Canada

- ZOOM <https://bit.ly/2B4W5P9>

Breakout Session 4:30-6:00 pm

"Indigenous History and Allyship Basics"

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Our annual Diversity Weekend begins this Friday, Oct 29 @ CAYA! Please make time to join us for an info-packed, spirit-filled weekend. Invite anyone you know, near or far, who may be interested in Indigenous culture, Truth & Reconciliation, and cross-cultural allyship. All programming will [livestreamed](#)

Saturday afternoon sessions will be via [Zoom](#).

Meeting ID: 994 6188 7254
Passcode: 793029

COME AND ENJOY THE FUN!
SATURDAY, OCT 30 from 6:00 - 7:00 pm in the cafeteria: Filipino Cultural Club (FCC) will be having a socials/game night and Filipino food will be served for dinner.

THE SARUK CENTRE FOR LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

CALLING ALL SARUK CENTRE STUDENTS! Don't miss the special session, "How to Get Any Job and Keep It," on Sunday, October 31st. 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the Lacombe Memorial Centre. Breakfast and lunch provided. Shuttles will be loading at 9:15 and 9:30 AM in the Lakeview parking lot. With special guests and interactive opportunities, this session can help you apply for a summer job or your first job after graduation.

Important Academic Dates

- October 25 Last day to drop any second 1/2 term course without entry on permanent record.
 - October 27 \$0 tuition refund in effect for full-term courses
 - November 10 Begin 0% tuition refund for second 1/2 term course
- See [Academic Dates](#) for further information.

Week at a Glance

Sunset: 6:13 pm

Friday, October 15

7:30 pm

CAYA

College Church

SABBATH

FIRST SERVICE 9:15 am

Speaker: Mrs. Fran Ermineskin,
Indigenous People and the Christian Faith

SABBATH SCHOOL

10:30 am

College Heights Church Sabbath School
Ron Schafer

Campus Ministries Sabbath School

11:00 am

Administration Building Chapel

IGNITE 12:00 pm

Speaker: Burman EDI Committee Panel Discussion
*Christianity and Indigenous People:
Past, Present, and Future*

Coming up....

Saturday, October 30

5:00 pm

Musica Poetica

College Heights Church

Filipino Food and Games Social

6:00—7:00 pm

Filipino Cultural Club

Cafeteria

Tuesday, November 2

11 am

PowerUp

Online with Campus Ministries

6:30 pm

The Education Guild Presents: Let's teach in the snow
on Zoom

Wednesdays

11 am -1 pm

Drop-in Counselling with

Tamara van Rensburg



Let's teach in the snow!!!

Please welcome Mr. and Mrs. Wilde and learn about what it's like to teach up North.

Tuesday Nov 2nd at 6:30 log onto zoom to join us.



The Education Guild Presents: Let's teach in the snow. Learn about what kind of teachers are needed up North, advantages and disadvantages of working up North, salary and much more.

Join us at 6:30 on zoom. Watch your Burman email for the link. Don't forget to be on time to ensure you receive a certificate for this seminar (For Education students' portfolios). We can't wait to see you!



November 4, 2021

11 AM – 12:30 PM

Please register by November 2 by emailing Tamara van Bensburg at tamaravansenburg@burman.u.ca

Together, we can make a difference!

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

Join us for this incredible training held at the Sakala Success Centre!

QPR TRAINING ASK A QUESTION... SAVE A LIFE

QPR stands for Question, Persuade, and Refer, three steps anyone can learn to help prevent suicide.

Just like CPR, QPR is an emergency response to someone in crisis and can save lives.

Once you read the dictionary, all the other books are just remixes



FILMS FOR THOUGHT



Mental Health and Men

Men of Burman campus, join us for [this incredible Films](#) for Thought workshop! We are excited to welcome you to join this opportunity for connection and conversation as we delve further into [the topic of mental health and what it means for you.](#)

November 18, 2021 11:00-12:30 PM

Held at the [Sakala Success Centre](#)



We are hiring!

The Campus Grounds Department is looking for part-time student workers for the school year.

Candidates must have:

- a valid driver's license and current abstract.
- background in landscaping and machine operation would be preferred.

Ask for details and apply by Nov. 8, 2021 at Facility Maintenance Ext. # 4130 or facilitysec@burmanu.ca

The Business Club is proud to announce that the stock market simulation game is now up for registration. This game follows the daily stock market and is open for all to play! The registration is open now, so sign up! Actual trading will begin Monday, November 1, and you have until April 1 to grow your portfolio!!! WINNERS who grow the highest \$\$\$ portfolio WILL GET PRIZE MONEY!!! (Anyone and everyone can join, but only currently enrolled Burman students can win the prize money) ALSO ALL WHO PARTICIPATE WILL RECEIVE A CERTIFICATE IF THEY WISH! Who will be Burman's TOP stock trader?? WE SHALL SEE!!!! It's easy to sign up, so sign up!

If you have any questions or difficulty signing up please email us back [here](#) (or contact Pierson Brewster: piersonbrewster@burmanu.ca) and we'll try our best to assist.

How to sign up :

1. Follow the [link](#).
2. Search the group.
"BURMAN CLUB STOCK CHALLENGE"
3. Enter password to enter.
"BURMAN"

Burman's Poet Society is excited to announce that we are taking submissions to be featured in our campus newspaper "Off the Record"! If you've got a poem stashed away somewhere or you're feeling inspired by being back on campus please send us one of your very own! Poems can either be anonymous or feature your name, up to you but none the less we look forward to hearing from you! You can send them directly to poetsociety@burmanu.ca.

SHELLEYAGREY@BURMANU.CA
BROOKEWEBER@BURMANU.CA
DAYSIMORALES@BURMANU.CA

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
1100-1230 1500-1630	1300-1800	1000-1200 1800-2000
Thursday	Friday	Sunday
1000-1200 1300-1700	1300-1500	1000-1200

EMAIL YOUR PAPER FOR AN EDIT
REQUEST A ZOOM OR IN- PERSON MEETING
DROP IN DURING OFFICE HOURS

Writing Centre

IF NO ONE IS IN THE OFFICE. PLEASE EMAIL ONE OF THE STAFF.



Updated Virtual Tutoring Schedule: Fall Term 2021

All Tutoring is Virtual Until Otherwise Posted

Subject	Tutor	Contact Number	New Time
Biology 119	Andre Sanchez	403-554-8691	Contact to Arrange a Time
Chem 111	Andre Sanchez	403-554-8691	Mondays 6:00 - 7:00 pm
Chem111	Isabelle Ison	403-815-3271	Wednesdays 8:00 - 9:00 pm
Chem 241 (Ochem)	Boss Lee	604-445-2835	Thursdays 8:00 - 9:00 pm
Physics 111	Richard Gonzalez	richardgonzalez@burmanu.ca	Contact to Arrange a Time
Accounting 211	Jazzlee Matira	403-913-4797	Contact to Arrange a Time
Business Finance	Pierson Brewster	403-991-5818	Contact to Arrange a Time
Economics	Jazzlee Matira	403-913-4797	Contact to Arrange a Time
Environmental Psyc	Takudzwa Nengomasha	403-352-6005	Contact to Arrange a Time
Math 100	Kayla Whymark	403-352-1049	Wednesdays 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Math 151 Finite	Selena Ly	905-922-4413	Contact to Arrange a Time
Math 161	Sarai Alvir	587-447-3579	Contact to Arrange a Time
Statistics	Diya Chandrasekhar	403-597-3225	Tuesdays 6:30 -7:30 pm
Logic	Alex Choi	587-731-2804	Contact to Arrange a Time
History 115	Alyssa de Gier	403-304-4487	Contact to Arrange a Time
Writing Centre	To book appointment:	shelleyagrey@burmanu.ca	or text 403-506-2111 to arrange - Library
French	Lova Rakotomalala	lovarakotomalala@burmanu.ca	Contact to Arrange a Time
Hebrew	Gesclin Etienne	514-660-7567	Contact to Arrange a Time
Greek	Alberto Sosa	438-935-9066	Contact to Arrange a Time
New Testament Narratives	Alberto Sosa	438-935-9066	Contact to Arrange a Time
Medical Terminology	Diya Chandrasekhar	403-597-3225	Contact to Arrange a Time
Intro to Psyc	Michelle Mitchel	647-937-3623	Contact to Arrange a Time
Research in BHSC	Natalie McDonald	416-803-1472	Contact to Arrange a Time
Exper. Methods	Natalie McDonald	416-803-1472	Contact to Arrange a Time
Marriage & Family	Natalie McDonald	416-803-1472	Contact to Arrange a Time
Music Theory	Zoe McCormick	403-848-0391	Contact to Arrange a Time
Musicianship Skills	Naomi Batiacila	naomibatiancila@burmanu.ca	Contact to Arrange a Time

* If Your Tutor Need is Not on this List Please Contact Crystal at 403-782-3381 ext. 4141 or email: cjohnson@burmanu.ca