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STUDENT NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 11TH, 2011

2012 Globe and Mail Canadian University Report

Voice your thoughts and opinions about your experience at Concordia by taking part in the annual national survey for the 2012 Globe and Mail Canadian University Report (CUR).

Complete the survey and enter into a national draw to win one of three 16GB iPads!

Visit the following link until February 18, 2011 to complete the survey:

<http://canadianuniversityreport.ca/?email&Institution=013>

You will be asked to enter your Concordia email address to begin the survey and to enter the prize draw, but your email address will not be linked to the survey data and will only be used for the purposes of the survey. The information you provide is confidential. Should you have any questions, please contact Edyta Kaznowska at HESA at ekaznowska@higheredstrategy.com.



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Quote of the Week:

Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow.

Anthony J. D'Angelo



Equity Through Education Student Awards and Holly Bartlett Memorial Bursary

The National Educational Association of Disabled Students (NEADS) is now accepting applications for the NEADS Equity through Education Student Awards Program and the Holly Bartlett Memorial Bursary. These awards are being offered to encourage full access to post-secondary education for persons with disabilities enrolled in undergraduate, graduate or professional degree programs at recognized Canadian universities, or in certified diploma programs at Canadian colleges. Up to 12 outstanding applicants, who meet the criteria of the Equity Through Education Student Awards Program, will be receiving an award in the amount of \$3,000 to support the costs of their tuition and student fees. One deserving applicant will receive the new Holly Bartlett Memorial Bursary in the amount of \$1,000.

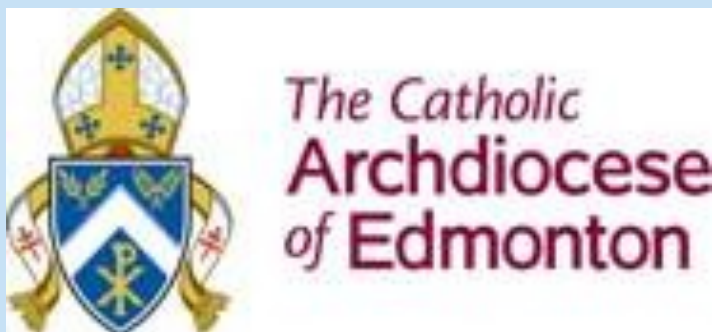
Funding for the Equity Through Education Student Awards is provided by BMO Capital Markets' Equity Through Education Program, a charitable initiative aimed at creating a more diverse workplace by offering educational opportunities to people who are most in need of support. In May 2006 NEADS became one of four Canadian recipients of donations from the second Equity Through Education trading day. At that time, NEADS announced the Equity Through Education Student Awards program.

"We at NEADS are very proud of the Equity Through Education Student Awards Program, and our 33 recipients over its first four years," said Mahadeo Sukhai, NEADS' Senior Advisor. "This program is the first of its kind in Canada, and was created to celebrate overall excellence among students with disabilities in all aspects of post-secondary education. Our winners to date all embody the very best qualities of academic and community involvement. We hope that the program continues to grow, and we look forward to this year's crop of outstanding applicants."

"Holly Bartlett was loved by all who knew her", said Frank Smith, NEADS' National Coordinator. "It was my privilege and pleasure to work with Holly while she served on our Board of Directors. Holly's accomplishments, in a life that was way too short, were phenomenal. We believe that she should be honoured and the Holly Bartlett Memorial Bursary is a fitting tribute because it will help other students with disabilities realize success in post-secondary education."

For more information, please contact the NEADS office: National Educational Association of Disabled Students (NEADS), Rm. 426 Unicentre, Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario, K1S 5B6, tel. (613) 380-8065, or go directly to our Equity Through Education Student Awards website:

<http://www.neads.ca/en/about/projects/ete2/scholarship/>



Pastor Garry Dombrosky has been in discussion with the Archdiocese of Edmonton and has invited Rev. Bittman, Chancellor and Judicial Vicar, to come and visit our campus.

The purpose of the is to give the members of our community an opportunity to share with him how they are involved in the life of Concordia.

Rev. Bittman will be here on Feb. 15 (Tues.) from 12:00 p.m. until 1:30 p.m. in the Chaplaincy Center.

If you would like to meet him or know of RC students who might like to make contact with him, please let them know the time and place.

CUCA Food Bank

The 5 W's of the CUCA food bank

Who: Open for all CUCA students

What: Short term needs

Where: The CSA Conference Room across from the CSA offices in Alumni Hall

When: Monday to Friday from 7:30 a.m. - 6:30p.m.

Why: We want to provide food for those that truly need it on a short term basis



How to get involved



- Drop food off in the food bank
- Drop gift cards off at the CSA Offices
- Use your free points from various programs to make purchases for the food bank
- Organize a food drive
- Raid your parent's pantry for food that you will never eat

***If you require long term assistance please contact Barb van Ingen.
barbara.vaningen@concordia.ab.ca***

Please do not abuse the food bank. The food bank is a privilege, not a right.

We're excited to announce that

Student Affairs

is now called

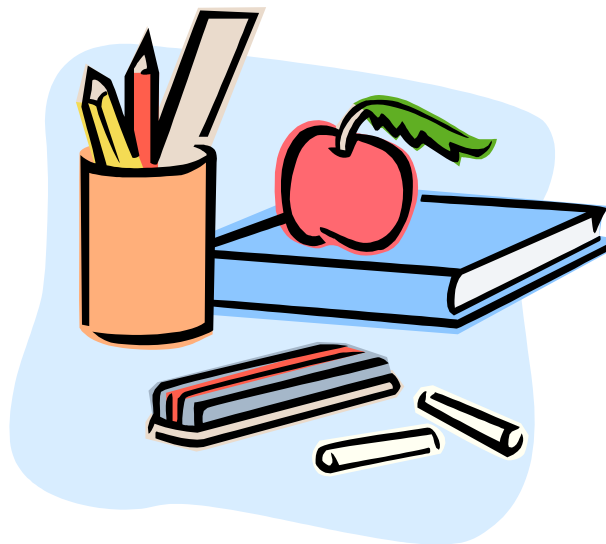
Student Life & Learning

Our staff and services remain the same, only our name has changed.
If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Student Life & Learning.

Located in Schiemann Centre (HA 114)

studentlife@concordia.ab.ca

780 479-9241



Career Services News

Resume critiques (one-on-one) are available on Tuesday and Thursday from 1 -3 p.m. in Career Services (L265), main floor of the Library .

CAMP (Concordia Alumni Mentoring Program) matches you with alumni who share similar career fields, geographic locations, and interests. Discuss your career path with someone who has been there! Please see Career Services for more information or to find a mentor!

International Opportunities: See Career Services soon for opportunities working or studying abroad!

**CAREER FAIR
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 2
10 A.M. TO 2 P.M in TEGLER CENTRE**

Graduating this year?

Career, graduate studies, internship, or work search— Career Services can help you with your plans. Explore the many opportunities and options!

Graduation Seminar – ‘Now What? – Options and Opportunities’

Thursday, March 10 from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. in the Peter Schiemann Centre (HA 114).

READING WEEK: February 21-25th ,2011

**Wondering what may be available for summer work?
Drop in to Career Services and see what’s new in the job market.**

*For more information or to schedule an appointment, call Doreen Kooy
Career Services Coordinator at 780-378-8461, or e-mail her at
doreen.kooy@concordia.ab.ca or careerservices@concordia.ab.ca.*

Employer Connections: NONPROFIT SUMMER STUDENT JOB FAIR

Bring your updated resume and meet face-to-face with up to 20 nonprofit employers who are hiring summer students.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Some of the available positions:

- Child Care Staff for Children 0-12 y.o.
- Administration Staff
- Marketing
- Special Events Administrative Assistant
- Summer Camp Assistant Director, Summer Fun Camp Leader
- Historic Interpreters, Food Service Providers,
- Admissions/Gift Shop Sales Representatives,
- Research Assistants
- Seniors Environment: Kitchen Aides, Housekeepers, Dining Room Attendants, Maintenance Workers, & Administrative
- Family Support Worker
- Accounting Clerk/Administration Support Staff
- Full Time Summer Program Coordinator
- Program Coordinator for Seniors 55 +

.....and more positions not included in this notice!

Thursday February 17, 2011
10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Stanley A. Milner Library
7 Sir Winston Churchill Square
Lower Level, Edmonton Room
Edmonton, Alberta

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Library News Reading Week is Coming!

The Library will be closed February 19-21 and we have reduced hours during Reading Week. Make sure to come visit the book displays for some great reading material for Reading Week!

Check out **Hot Books for a Cold Night** - the display closest to the front doors. Was it blasphemy? Profanity? Sexuality? Political? What made these books so dangerous? Read one and find out.

Award Winning Fiction is on the display shelf closest to the Info Desk. From the Governor Generals to Canada Reads, check out a winner tonight.

On the shelves just past the Circ Desk you'll find **The Best and the Banned** - a wide variety of award winning children's books alongside those that have been challenged or banned. Can you tell which is which?

Freedom to Read on the Library Website

<http://library.concordia.ab.ca/services/freedomtoread2011.php>



Student Discount Card (SDC)

Enjoy year round discounts at over 100 places in Edmonton, including:

- **Marble Slab - 2 for 1**
- **Domino's Pizza - 50% off**
- **O'Byrnes - 10% off on all purchases**
- **Julios Barrio - 20% off food**



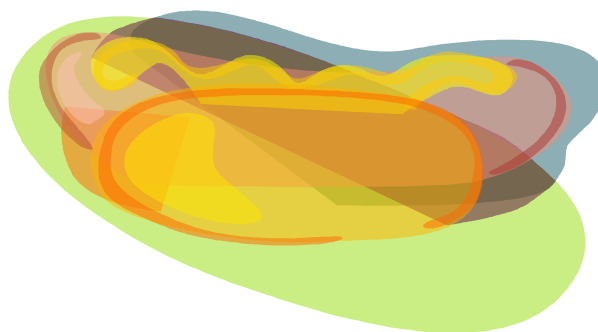
Please stop by the CBA office A202 or email the CBA cba@student.concordia.ab.ca to make an appointment.

Spring Thaw

THE CONCORDIA BUSINESS ASSOCIATION IS CELEBRATING
SPRING EARLY.

Join us for Virgin Cocktails and Hotdogs

10:30 AM - FEBRUARY 16TH & 17TH IN TEGLER CENTRE



Brought to you by the
Concordia Business Association
CBA



All proceeds will go to WIN House Womens Shelter

Daily Specials: Week of February 14th 2011

MONDAY

Lunch: Hot Roasted Turkey Sandwich served with Gravy & Cranberry Sauce.

Supper: Broiled Buffalo Chicken Burger served with Traditional Blue Cheese Mayo.

TUESDAY

Lunch: Chunky Chicken Sloppy Joe Dogs & Sweet Potato Fries

Supper: Plenty O' Cheese Pizza with Sundried Tomatoes & Hot Italian Sausage

WEDNESDAY

Lunch: Broiled Organic Hamburger Steaks Sandwich served with Roasted Onions & Gravy

Supper: German Style Pork Cutlet topped with Whole Mushrooms & Apple Sauce

THURSDAY

Lunch: Fish & Chips served with Tartar Sauce, Cole Slaw & Lemon Wedge

Supper: Baked Chicken Meat Balls in Ginger Garlic Sauce

FRIDAY

Lunch: Creamy Boneless Chicken Breasts with Asparagus & Peas on Toast

Supper: Organic Boeuf Bourguignon (French red wine) with Bacon & Mushrooms



SATURDAY

Lunch: Breakfast Mixed Grill of Eggs, Bacon, Ham & Sausage with Toast & Hash Browns

Supper: Organic Beef Lasagna topped with Low Fat Mozzarella

SUNDAY

Lunch: Breakfast Mixed Grill of Eggs, Bacon, Ham & Sausage with Toast & Hash Browns

Supper: Baked Chicken & Swiss Burger with Mushrooms

Please note that "Choices" will typically offer three specials and a variety of sides in their daily menu. Choices also offer an extensive short order menu. Prices are based on portion size and the number of side orders.