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With infinite sadness, we record that our beloved fellow Trustee, W. Robert Wyman, passed away in June. A few weeks before his death, Dr. Indira Samarasekera, President and Vice Chancellor of the University of Alberta and Dr. Mark Dale, Dean of the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research, journeyed to Vancouver to confer an honorary LLD degree on Bob at his home. At the U of A Special Convocation held in Edmonton later in the year, Bob’s wife Donna and daughter Robin told us of his deep satisfaction at having received this honour from the university of his birthplace and childhood, the city of Edmonton. Please see page 17 for a more detailed tribute to this remarkable Canadian and his inestimable contribution to higher education in Canada.

Moncton, New Brunswick is a medium-sized but up and coming city. Its recent growth rests on three promising features: its location at the transportation hub of the Maritime Provinces; its highly entrepreneurial citizenry; and a thriving cultural life. Of the three, Moncton’s culture gives the real spark to the town’s success. It rests ultimately on a happy 50/50 mixture of French speakers of ancient Acadian stock (early 1600’s) on the one hand, and more recently arrived English speakers on the other, comprising in the main New England Planters (1755), United Empire Loyalists (1783), and large numbers of mainly Scots and Irish immigrants (18th to 20th centuries).
As evidence to support this proposition, one might point to three Moncton based institutions. First is the Université de Moncton, the centre of cultural and intellectual life for Acadians in all three Maritime Provinces, and host of this year’s Annual Conference of the Canadian Association for Graduate Studies (CAGS). Second is the Atlantic Ballet Theatre of Canada; how many other cities of less than 120,000 in Canada – or anywhere else, for that matter – can boast a professional ballet company? Third is Moncton’s Capitol Theatre, an exuberant masterpiece in the Pantages style of typical Vaudeville theatres lovingly restored in 1993 to its early 20th century glory, one of only eight such theatres in Canada.

Following a pattern now well established, this year’s Killam Annual Conference and Lecture was held in conjunction with the CAGS Conference in Moncton. The Capitol Theatre was the spectacular setting for the Lecture, which was indeed fitting since the Lecture itself was a spectacular intellectual tour de force. Dr. Peter J.M. Nicholson, CM, President and CEO of the Council of Canadian Academies, spoke compellingly of “the new imperative of quantitative literacy” – a concept similar but not identical to “numeracy” – and did so in a way that even the least numerate among us could understand. At the reception and dinner following, the buzz was electric; it seems Dr. Nicholson has hit a “hot button” among Canadian academics and, we suspect, the Canadian public at large.

We publish the Killam Lectures and mail them out to our list of over 6,000 members of the “Killam family” of scholars across the country. If you would like a copy, please contact the Administrative Officer of the Killam Trusts at the address on the outside back cover of this Report, or visit our website: www.killamtrusts.ca.
Next year (2008) the University of Alberta will host the Annual Killam Conference and Lecture. More about the U of A later; but a year after that these events will come to Halifax, home of The Izaak Walton Killam Health Centre. The “IWK”, as it is familiarly known in Killam’s home province of Nova Scotia, will be celebrating its centenary in 2009, and the organizers are working with the Killam Trustees to ensure a lecture worthy of the IWK’s role as a leading Canadian tertiary care hospital and medical research facility for children. It was Dorothy Johnston Killam, wife of the famous industrialist, whose generous lifetime and testamentary gifts made possible the magnificent IWK Hospital, erected to her architectural design criteria in the late 1960’s.

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In September we announced the appointment of a new Trustee, John S. Montalbano, of Vancouver. John is President of Phillips, Hager & North, one of Canada’s leading independent financial management firms. He brings investment acumen and fresh ideas to the Trustees’ tasks, which under Mrs. Killam’s Will include overseeing both the financial and operational aspects of the Killam programs at all six “Killam institutions”: The University of British Columbia, University of Alberta, The University of Calgary, Montreal Neurological Institute at McGill University, Dalhousie University and The Canada Council for the Arts.

Welcome, John, to the Killam family of scholars!

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Dr. Eric P. Newell, OC, Chancellor of the U of A, conferred honorary Doctor of Laws degrees on Trustees John H. Matthews, M. Ann McCaig, and George T. H. Cooper at a glittering ceremony at the U of A this autumn. Naturally we were thrilled, as individuals, to
receive these. But we recognize of course that it is Mr. and Mrs. Killam’s vision for higher education in Canada, and the success of the Killam program across Canada over the past 40 years that are the true objects of this, the highest honour it is in the power of a university to bestow. As noted above, our fellow Trustee Bob Wyman also received the LLD degree at a special ceremony in Vancouver shortly before his passing.

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On the “home front”, Sarah Pace (the Administrative Officer of the Killam Trusts) has been busy. In her half-time position, working out of a small office on the Dalhousie campus in Halifax, Sarah’s day-to-day duties call for her to keep the “Killam family of scholars” data bank up-to-date – no mean task, involving as it does continuous communications with her counterparts at all six Killam institutions and with Killam scholars past and present. She also organizes the Trustees’ meetings with the institutions, the Annual Conference and Lecture, the publication of this Report and Lecture and its distribution to over 6,000 names in our database – and a myriad other important details.

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Each year, it seems, there are new projects for Sarah to tackle. A year ago it was organizing all the Killam files from the beginning, in 1965, for permanent deposit in the archives housed at Dalhousie’s Killam Library. This year Sarah has reorganized our website, and has also prepared a “slide show” consisting of still photos of Izaak Walton Killam and Dorothy Johnston Killam in various settings, as well as shots from the campuses of all the Killam universities. These slides are available to any of the Killam institutions, where they might be suitable for showing at gatherings such as the annual dinner honouring new Killam Scholars.
Another project was to install a new grave marker near the monuments to the Killams in the Fairview Cemetery in Halifax. Since the Killams’ final resting place is only a few meters from the mass gravesite of the victims of the Titanic disaster – including the now famous Jack Dawson – the cemetery receives a multitude of new visitors each year. “Mystery Man of High Finance” he may have been in his lifetime, but Izaak Walton Killam and his wife Dorothy are now becoming better known, in the half century after his death, as a result of their extraordinarily generous support for higher education in Canada. May their good works shine forth as an example for others.

Now we turn to a brief review of the Killam program at each of our six Killam institutions.

**UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA**

It had been hoped that the U of A’s new Killam Centre for Advanced Studies would be finished in time for the Special Convocation held on October 4 (see commentary earlier in this Report). But, as the whole world knows, the Alberta economy is frenetic these days, and the inevitable construction delays have postponed the “Grand Opening” until May of 2008.

The new Centre is actually the former “South Lab”, an important heritage building on the U of A grounds, now being completely refurbished and renewed. We Trustees had a tour this fall; suffice to say that this spectacular “new” space is the envy of the whole campus. It will house the office of the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research, the Graduate Students’ Association, the Postdoctor-
al Fellows’ Office and the Postdoctoral Fellows’ Association. It will also house thesis defence rooms and lab and classroom facilities for the U of A’s award-winning Outreach Program, where graduate students will host visitors — especially high school students — who come to the U of A to learn what scientific research is all about.

The market value of the Killam endowments at the U of A reached $108.3 million as at March 31, 2007. Of this, $30.8 million is devoted to Killam Scholarships, which at Alberta (as at all the other Killam institutions) lies at the heart of the Killam program.

Killam Predoctoral Scholarships are awarded for two years, with a stipend of $27,000 per year plus tuition fees and a $2,000 research allowance, amounting in all to $34,000. The Graduate Scholarship Committee, chaired by Dr. Jerry Varsava, Associate Dean in the Faculty of Graduate Studies and Research, reviewed 156 applications for Doctoral Scholarships, awarding 28 new Doctoral Scholarships for 2007-2008; with 26 renewal Scholarships, a total of 54 Predoctoral Scholars are on stipend this year. Of these, 33 were “honorary”, meaning that the Scholar has received an external grant, often from the Natural Sciences Engineering and Research Council of Canada (NSERC), the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada (SSHRC) or other national granting agencies. The Killam Scholarships, which aim (with isolated exceptions) to be at the highest level (and therefore the most prestigious) among university scholarships, then tops up the external award to the Killam level.

The U of A also has 12 Killam Postdoctoral Fellows on stipend, valued at $44,000 per year for two years, plus a research allowance of $4,000.

The U of A supports two Killam Memorial Chairs, which continue to be held (as they have for a number of years) by Dr. Valeri P. Fro-
lov, of the Department of Physics, and Dr. David W. Schindler, of the Department of Biological Sciences, both pre-eminent scholars in their fields.

The list at the end of this Report gives the names of all Killam Scholars and award winners at the U of A, to whom we Trustees are indebted (as we are to Killam Scholars at each one of the Killam institutions) for the honour they bring to the Killam name by accepting these Awards.

THE CANADA COUNCIL FOR THE ARTS

The Canada Council is 50 years old this year!

Today, it is impossible to imagine what Canada would be like if there had never been a Canada Council. To say that we would have remained a country without culture might be stretching things, but it is certainly true that our place among the nations has been utterly transformed in the last half century. Whereas before 1957 few Canadian writers – at least English Canadian ones – had even been heard of outside Canada, let alone read, today Canada’s authors are at the forefront throughout the English and French speaking worlds.

In theatre and music, Canada now has few equals in the quality and breadth of her offerings; certainly this is so among comparably sized nations. In film, there has been a quantum leap in the quality of Canadian films in the past few decades. In dance, Canada is known around the world as a vibrant centre for both classical and modern ballet. And in painting and architecture, the country has changed beyond recognition.
What is the explanation for this flowering of the Arts? Lots of reasons, including the growth and maturation of Canada as “its own country”. But chief among them, it is clear, is the extraordinary contribution that the Council has made to the development of the Arts from one end of this country to the other over the last half century.

The story of the founding of the Canada Council is little known, but it has an important Killam connection. When Izaak Walton Killam died in 1955, he left an estate of some $100 million, and the government of Canada took $50 million of this for estate duties. It so happened that about the same time, another wealthy Maritime industrialist, Sir James Dunn, also died leaving a similar amount in duties. The government of the day took the $100 million windfall from these two estates, and with it established the Canada Council along the lines that had been recommended by the Right Honourable Vincent Massey, the first Canadian-born Governor General of Canada, in his famous “Massey Report on the Arts” published in 1951.

Congratulations and thank you, Canada Council!

The indefatigable Majordomo of the Killam program at the Canada Council, Carol Bream, has now been confirmed in her new position as Director, Public Affairs, Research and Communications at the Council. However, Carol retains overall responsibility for the Killam program, with Janet Riedel Pigott serving as Acting Director, Endowments and Prizes.

Both the Council’s Killam Research Fellowship program and its Killam Prize program remain at the forefront of awards available to senior academics across Canada. To promote these, Carol visited no less than 13 universities across Canada during 2007 (and the same number in 2006), encouraging prominent professors in mid-career
to apply for the two years of release time provided by the KRF's and cajoling them to nominate Canada’s pre-eminent scholars for Killam Prizes. These Prizes, worth $100,000 each, are given for lifetime achievement to Canada’s leading scholars in Health Sciences, Natural Sciences, Engineering, Humanities and Social Sciences; as a group, they are the country’s leading prizes for Canadian citizens.

This year's Killam Prize Winners are –

Dr. Robert E. Hancock, University of British Columbia
  – Health Sciences

Dr. J. Richard Bond, University of Toronto
  – Natural Sciences

Dr. A.P.S. Selvadurai, McGill University
  – Engineering

Dr. Shana Poplack, The University of Ottawa
  – Humanities

Dr. Roderick A. Macdonald, McGill University
  – Social Sciences

The 2007 Killam Prizes were awarded at a dinner and ceremony at the Chateau Laurier Hotel in Ottawa on April 23. As in prior years, Scotiabank Group sponsored the dinner and congratulatory advertising, which both relieved the Killam Program of the cost of the dinner and spread public knowledge and awareness of the Killam program. We are grateful to Scotiabank Group for their sponsorship of this dinner over many years.

One unique feature of this year's dinner was the speech given by Dr. Roderick Macdonald in accepting his Killam Prize. Described
by Dr. Heather Munroe-Blum, Principal and Vice-Chancellor of McGill, as “the legal conscience of a nation in transition”, the eminent F.R. Scott Professor of Constitutional and Public Law at McGill interrupted his speech, picked up his guitar and sang a familiar song: “There but for fortune go you and go I”. It was a poignant and entirely apt reflection on the simple fact that “the luck of the draw” shapes us all, in both our accomplishments and our failures. For a man with the ability to conceptualize the law in all of its social and theoretical applications and inter-disciplinary dimensions, and one who has helped guide Canada’s national debates on issues ranging from constitutional realignments to Aboriginal rights to institutional child abuse, Dr. Macdonald certainly has the gift of bringing his point home with touching simplicity.

Ten new KRF’s were awarded this year, and ten Fellows appointed in 2006 received renewals.

By referring to the full list at the back of this Report, you can read the names and affiliations of all the Canada Council’s Killam Award Winners for 2007.

DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY

Dalhousie is unique in having the largest proportion of graduate and professional students among Canadian universities. The Killam endowment plays an outsized role in this configuration. At $125 million, it is a third of Dal’s total endowment – which in turn is the eighth largest endowment among Canadian universities, though based on student enrolment Dalhousie ranks only twenty-sixth. You could thus conclude that Dalhousie “punches above its weight class” in graduate and post-graduate research, and that the Killam endowment is largely responsible for this.
Dalhousie's newly-established Killam Trusts Committee, embracing all aspects of the Killam program at Dalhousie from Scholarships to Chairs to Killam Professors to Killam Lectures and all the rest, appears to be working as intended. By sharing information on each of the Killam programs from one administrator to another, the aim is to increase the visibility and the heft of the program as a whole, both among those within the University community as well as those outside. We Trustees very much encourage this, as we believe that wealthy individuals would be more likely to emulate the Killam example by endowing Canadian universities, if only they knew more about how well the Killam program works across the country.

Dalhousie is back up to five Killam Chair holders, with a considerable turnover in the last couple of years. In fact, Dr. Zhizhang (David) Chen is now the longest serving, having been appointed Killam Chair in Electrical and Computer Engineering in February of 2005.

Joining him are Dr. John Cullen, Oceanography (January 2006); Dr. Evangelos Milios, Computer Science (April 2006); Dr. Axel Becke, Chemistry (July 2006); and Dr. Martin Alda, Mood Disorders (July 2007). Dr. Alda’s return to Dalhousie from McGill, where he was a Canada Research Chair, is something of a coup for the Neuroscience Institute interdisciplinary program at Dalhousie, and without question the Killam Chair opportunity contributed to his return.

With 94 Killam Predoctoral Scholarship holders on stipend, Dalhousie’s program is somewhat larger than that of the other universities. It is different, also, in that unlike the others, Masters students are eligible. Finally, 57 of the 94 Scholars are women and, though we have not looked closely into the figures, this must be the highest proportion of women Killam Scholars ever – or, if not, then close to it.
The list of all Dalhousie’s Killam Award winners for 2007 can be seen at the back of this Report.

**MONTREAL NEUROLOGICAL INSTITUTE OF MCGILL UNIVERSITY**

Dr. Brenda Milner must be one of the most remarkable scholars ever to grace the halls of academe in this country. A 1983 Killam Prize winner in Health Sciences now in her late 80’s, she continues to stride purposefully into the Institute every day, where she keeps up a hectic pace as Dorothy J. Killam Professor of Psychology at the Neuro and Professor in the Department of Neurology and Neurosurgery in the Faculty of Medicine at McGill.

Dr. Milner has had an extraordinary influence on the shape of neuroscience and on the work of scientists around the world. The origins of modern cognitive neuroscience of memory can be traced directly to her rigorous and imaginative studies. Her research focuses on cognitive functions in the frontal and temporal lobes of humans. She uses Positron Emission Tomography (PET) and functional Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) to identify the brain regions involved in language processing in both unilingual and bilingual volunteer control subjects, as well as in patients with brain lesions that are in close proximity to areas critical for language. She has published extensively, from 74 papers and a range of prestigious scientific journals to an impressive 35 book chapters. She continues to be a sought after lecturer, and in the past year was invited to speak at various academic symposia across Canada and the US. She has been the recipient of countless accolades throughout her almost six decade long career.

Dr. Milner is a prestigious foreign associate of the National Academy of Sciences (USA), one of only 16 from Canada. She was elected to
the Academy in 1976, and was also elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences in 2005. She has been awarded honorary degrees from an astounding 90 different universities across Canada, the US and Europe. She is the recipient of numerous academic awards including both the Gairdner and Penfield Awards in 2005. Dr. Milner is a Fellow of the Royal Society in the UK, and the Royal Society of Canada. She was promoted to Companion of the Order of Canada in 2004.

And what did Brenda Milner do with her Prize money? She is giving it back to the Neuro. Over the years, Dr. Milner saved and invested her awards, and has now pledged $1 million for neuropsychological research and fellowships, an integral part of MNI’s $40 million capital campaign now underway.

We note with regret the departure of Dr. John Robson from his position as Associate Director of Scientific Affairs at the Neuro. Dr. Robson will be taking up the position of Associate Dean within the Faculty of Medicine at McGill. We wish him all the best and thank him for his service on behalf of the Killam Program at the Neuro over many years.

The complete list of the MNI’s exceptionally fine Killam Scholars appears at the end of the Report.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALGARY

At the U of C, a six person “Killam Scholarship Subcommittee” of the Graduate Scholarship Committee approves the Killam Scholars from among all applicants to the central university committee for scholarship funding. (This Subcommittee is joined by the four Killam Trustees, as required by the Will, to make up the “Killam
Scholarship Selection Committee”; in practice the Trustees concern themselves only with matters of procedure, and do not enter into the merits of the particular candidates.) Those selected to win the Killam Scholarships at the U of C, as at all the other Killam institutions, are the top few among all the candidates for PhD scholarships.

Unlike the Killam Scholarship programs at most other universities, the U of C does not pay the tuition fees for its Killam Scholars. It is however giving consideration to doing so in future. As it stands, the predoctoral scholarships are worth $25,000 per year plus a research allowance of $3,000. A total of 18 Scholars are now on stipend, of which 13 are honorary. In addition Dr. Paola Pacifici is the U of C’s Postdoctoral Fellow for 2007-2008.

Under Mrs. Killam’s Will, income from the “Killam General Endowment” (unlike income from the Scholarship Fund, the Chairs Fund and the Salary Fund) can be used for any university-related purpose; and this is the case at each of the five Killam institutions. At the U of C, income from the General Endowment Fund is used for the Killam Visiting Scholars program. One award is offered annually, at a stipend of $50,000 plus a research allowance of $3,000. It is offered to distinguished scholars who will make a significant contribution to the academic life of the University by their presence and participation in research and teaching. This year’s Killam Visiting Scholar is Dr. Peter Kaulicke, a senior professor of archaeology at the Pontificia Universidad Católica del Peru. He is a highly regarded scholar, both among his colleagues in Peru and internationally. His research is focused on Peruvian prehistory, and his early research on animal domestication in the Andes is seminal work. More recent studies focus on the beginnings and development of complex societies on the north coast of Peru.

As one of the leading world scholars on Andean civilization, Dr.
Kaulicke will co-teach a graduate seminar and give three public talks while in Calgary where he will be associated with the Department of Archaeology, the Faculty of Social Sciences and the Latin American Research Centre. He plans to be in residence at the U of C from September to December 2008.

Please refer to the list at the end of this report to read the names of all the U of C’s Killam award winners.

**THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA**

This year saw the inaugural “UBC Killam Lecture in Honour of Robert Wyman” (see tribute to Bob later in this Report). Dr. Leonie Sandercock, Professor in Urban Planning and Social Policy and Director of School of Community and Regional Planning (SCARP) presented her documentary entitled “Where Strangers Become Neighbours: The Story of the Collingwood Neighbourhood House and the Integration of Immigrants in Vancouver”. This fascinating film has been widely shown in many countries as an example of “best practices” on how to bring immigrants into the mainstream of the host country by working with them to find jobs, good schools, a stable social network and the like. Mrs. Donna Wyman and other members of the Wyman family were present, and spoke movingly of how much Bob would have enjoyed the presentation.

UBC, like all the Killam institutions, tenders a dinner each fall in honour of the newly-elected Killam Predoctoral and Postdoctoral Scholars. This year’s dinner was held in the beautiful precincts of Green College Dining Hall, reminiscent of an Oxbridge college hall and eminently suitable to a collegial evening of good food, great fun and high praise. One unique feature of this year’s dinner was the presentation by Mr. Ralph Killam, first cousin once removed of
Izaak Walton Killam, of a beautiful pair of sterling silver vases once owned by Dorothy Johnston Killam. The vases will go on display at the College and put into use on special occasions.

UBC of course elects Predoctoral and Postdoctoral Scholars, as do the other Killam institutions, and 12 new Predoctoral Scholarships were awarded this year, with 14 second year renewals. Eight new Postdoctoral Scholarships were awarded to scholars hailing from universities as diverse as Stanford, the Australian National University and Dalhousie, along with eight renewal Postdoctoral Fellowships.

In addition to the Scholarships, UBC awards Killam Faculty Research Fellowships, which provide Faculty members with an approved study leave and a stipend of $15,000 a year, topped up with a travel and research grant of $3,000. A total of 10 Fellowships are available each year, with preference given to relatively junior Faculty (i.e., not more than 14 years post doctorate).

The University also awards 10 Killam Research Prizes each year, five in the Humanities and Social Sciences and five in the Natural, Applied and Health Sciences with emphasis on senior Faculty. The prize is $5,000.

The list of UBC’s Killam Scholars and other Killam Award winners is to be found at the end of this Report.
We record with deepest regret the passing last June of our Fellow Trustee, W. Robert Wyman of Vancouver. Bob Wyman was one of nature’s gentlemen. All who knew him will remember his warm smile, his sense of fun, and most of all his devotion to his beloved University of British Columbia, capped by his stellar term as Chancellor during the 1980’s. He was a prodigious fundraiser for UBC, and at the same time greatly interested in its academic mission.

But, closely tied as Bob was to UBC, we as his fellow Killam Trustees have had the privilege of seeing first hand his many contributions to higher education right across Canada.

Bob was not just a proud British Columbian, but a Canadian nationalist. He loved Canadian history, especially about the Second World War, in which his father was a genuine hero. There wasn’t a corner of this land he didn’t relate to, embrace, play golf in, tell great stories about. His Wyman forbears were from the east, one branch in Nova Scotia and the other in the eastern townships of Quebec; and, yes, he loved salmon fishing in the East as much as in British Columbia – different fish, same thrill. He went to high school in Ontario, and was born and raised in Edmonton. Perhaps for that reason he always had a soft spot for the University of
Alberta, which conferred on Bob an honorary Doctor of Laws degree shortly before he died.

Bob would never put it this way, but we are bold enough to say that he and Izaak Walton Killam were kindred spirits: both supremely talented business people; each a bold visionary in many fields; two Canadian patriots, dedicated to a better country through higher education.

All that said, nothing was more important to Bob than his family, to whom he was devoted.

Canada, British Columbia, and all who knew Bob have all been immensely privileged. We shall not see his like again.

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In closing, the Killam Trustees extend to the whole “Killam family of Scholars” all best wishes for the coming holiday season and for 2008.

John H. Matthews, LLD

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   Chancellor Emeritus, The University of Calgary

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KILLAM AWARD WINNERS 2007

Listed by Institution

◆ THE UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA ◆

Killam Predoctoral Scholars

New Scholars
Benning, Sheri-Lynne; Languages & Literature: English*
Chai, Jinan; Engineering & Architecture*
Dean, Amber; Languages & Literature: English*
Dokis, Carly; Sociology & Anthropology*
Gorman, Gayle; Education*
Hroch, Petra; Sociology & Anthropology*
Hua, Yujuan; Chemistry
Kedarisetti, Kanaka; Engineering & Architecture*
Kelland, Jennifer; Education*
Keuling, Angela; Medical & Health Sciences*
Kumbamu, Ashok; Sociology & Anthropology
Lehnherr, Dan; Chemistry*
MacDonald, Shannon; Nursing*
Moriartey, Stephanie; Biological Sciences*
Myers-Smith, Isla; Biological Sciences*
Neufeld, Susan; Medical & Health Sciences*
Pakan, Janelle; Neurological Sciences*
Parks, Scott; Biological Sciences*
Pohler, Dionne; Management Studies*
Shuai, Zhisheng; Management Studies
Singh, Meghna; Engineering & Architecture
Sopcak, Paul; Languages & Literature: Comp.
Squires, Janet; Medical & Health Sciences
Stormer, Flora; Business PhD
Tanner, Brian; Computing Science*
Tran, Anh; Biological Sciences*
Tucker, Brian; Biological Sciences
Zeng, Tao; Chemistry*
Zewail, Rami; Engineering & Architecture

* Honourary Killam Scholar – A designation given to scholars who have received an external award and whose qualifications entitle them to a Killam Scholarship and to all the benefits accorded to Killam Scholars.
Renewal Scholars
Bai, Baochun; Computer Science
Couturier, Marc; Medical Microbiology and Immunology
Cowan, Theresa; English and Film Studies
Crawford, Laura; English and Film Studies*
Dastfan, Mehdi; Civil and Environmental Engineering*
El-Yazbi, Ahmed; Pharmacology*
Fan, Chengye; Mechanical Engineering
Gammon, Don; Medical Microbiology and Immunology*
Georgiou, George; Educational Psychology
Groft, Jean; Nursing*
Isakava, Volha; Modern Languages and Cultural Studies
Martin, Andrew; Mechanical Engineering*
Musselman, Kristin; Rehabilitation Medicine*
Nadworny, Patricia; Chemical and Materials Engineering*
Pappa, Eleni; Music
Reid, Darlene; Music*
Reyes, Alberto; Earth and Atmospheric Science*
Ruan Haibo; Mathematical and Statistical Sciences
Schmid, Christian; Business - PhD
Summers, Mark; Electrical and Computer Engineering*
Thompson, Terrie Lynn; Educational Policy Studies*
Trites, Marsha; Biological Sciences*
Vanegas, Jose; Civil and Environmental Engineering
Wallin, Jason; Secondary Education*
Watt-Malcolm, Bonita; Educational Policy Studies
Zhira, Maxwell; History and Classics

Dorothy J. Killam Memorial Graduate Prize Winners
Dean, Amber; English & Film Studies*
MacDonald, Shannon; *
Pakan, Janelle; Neuroscience*
Tanner, Brian; Computing Science*

Killam Postdoctoral Fellows

New Fellows
Bochkarev, Sergey; Physics & Space Sciences
Faulkner, Joanne; Philosophy  
Hurley, Natasha; Languages & Literature: English  
Rider, David; Chemistry  
Thiemann, Gregory; Biological Sciences*  
Zolkos-Kavalski, Magdalena; Political Sciences

**Renewal Fellows**
Brigandt, Ingo; Philosophy  
Hilker, Frank; Mathematical and Statistical Sciences*  
Hirotaka, Yoshino; Physics  
Long, Chengnian; Electrical and Computer Engineering  
MacCormack, Tyson; Biological Sciences*  
Pham, Hung Le; Mathematical and Statistical Sciences

**Dorothy J. Killam Memorial Postdoctoral Fellow Prize**
Rider, David; Chemistry

**Killam Annual Professors**
Couture, Claude; Campus Saint-Jean  
Greiner, Russell; Computing Science  
Keating, Norah; Human Ecology  
MacDonald, Ellen; Renewable Resources  
Pavlich, George; Sociology  
Plotnikoff, Ronald; Physical Education & Recreation  
Steier, Lloyd; Strategic Management & Organization  
Wasylishen, Roderick; Chemistry

**Killam Chairs**
Frolov, Valeri; Physics  
Schindler, David; Biological Sciences

**Killam Award for Excellence in Mentoring Winners**
Befus, Dean; Medicine  
James, Michael; Biochemistry
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Killam Predoctoral Fellows

New Scholars
Al, Natour; Sameh; Commerce*
Buchtel, Emma; Psychology
Chin; Jason; Psychology
Cockle, Kristina; Forestry
Goodvin, Glen; Physics
Hanson, Margaret; Psychology
He, Jian-Qing; Medicine*
Jefferies, Lisa; Psychology*
Olsen, Leif; Asian Studies
Sivkoff; Simona; European Studies
Skourtes, Stephanie; Education

Renewal Scholars
Boyle, Ellexis; Human Kinetics
Chan, Colleen; Civil Engineering
Harker, Christopher; Geography
Hepperle, Steven Scott; Chemistry*
Huang, Kun; Neuroscience
Kirby, Kathryn R; Forestry*
Louidor, Erez; Mathematics
Ngo, Hanh Minh; Electrical and Computer Engineering
Phillion, André; Materials Engineering*
Salant, Nira Liat; Geography
Scott, Graham; Zoology
Stumm, Bettina Marie; English*
Tan, Chee Wee; Business Administration
Thompson, Lara; Physics

Killam – Donald N. Byers Prize Winner
Goodvin, Glen; Physics

Killam Postdoctoral Research Fellows

New Fellows
Andrew, Rose; Botany
Bullock, John; Political Science
Cable, Seth; Linguistics
Clark, Timothy; Land and Food Systems
Hazlitt, Stephanie; Forestry
Obradovic, Jelena; Human Early Learning Partnership
Summerscales, Owen; Chemistry
Walsh, David; Microbiology and Immunology

Renewal Fellows
Barrie, Michael; Linguistics
Baumgartner, Michael; Music
Glass, Aaron; Anthropology
MacKenzie, Niall; English
Maughan, Heather; Zoology
Ortiz-Barrientos, Daniel; Botany
Slim, Anja Catharina; Mathematics
Tscherbul, Timur; Chemistry

Killam Faculty Research Fellows
Chen, Jinhua; Asian Studies
Dillabough, Jo-Anne; Educational Studies
Fernandez, Rachel; Microbiology & Immunology
Franz, Marcel; Physics & Astronomy
Heine, Steven; Psychology
MacLean, Karon; Computer Science
McIntosh, Lawrence; Biochemistry
Nicol, Cynthia; Curriculum Studies
Sandercock, Leonie; Community & Regional Planning
Srivastava, Diane; Zoology

Killam Faculty Research Prize Winners
Anderson, Siwan; Economics
Galea, Liisa; Psychology
MacVicar, Brian; Psychiatry
McClung, Dave; Geography
Montaner, Julio; Medicine
Mostow, Joshua; Asian Studies
Peters, Michael; Economics
Schaller, Mark; Psychology
Schober, Robert; Electrical & Computer Engineering
Xu, Fei; Psychology
Killam Award for Excellence in Mentoring Winner
Black, Andrew; Land & Food Systems

Killam Teaching Prize Winners
Berciu, Mona; Physics & Astronomy
Clark, D. Christopher; Dentistry
Coop, Jane; Music
Crawford, Robert; Arts
Currie, Dawn; Sociology
Daniels, Lori; Geography
Duff, Patricia; Language & Literacy Education
Feldman, Joel; Mathematics
Gold, Michael; Microbiology & Immunology
Henderson, Angela; Nursing
Kehl, Steven; Cellular & Physiological Sciences
Lo, Kin; Business
Martin, Greg; Mathematics
Mauzy, Diane; Political Science
McIntosh, Lawrence; Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Millar, Robert; Civil Engineering
Price, Ingrid; Pharmaceutical Sciences
Robinson, Wendy; Medical Genetics
Rohling, Robert; Electrical & Computer Engineering
Russell, Paul; Philosophy
Schonert-Reichl, Kimberly; Educational & Counselling Psychology
Tenzer, Michael; Music
Wolfman, Steven; Computer Science
Wong, Roger; Geriatric Medicine

University Killam Professors
Affleck, Ian; Physics & Astronomy
Dolphin, David; Chemistry
Evans, Robert; Health Services
Hayden, Michael; Molecular Medicine
Jones, David; Zoology
Killam Predoctoral Scholars

New Scholars
Coleman, Joanne; Biological Sciences
Fan, Lida; Social Work
Fitzsimmons, Scott; Military Effectiveness
Halepovic, Emir; Computer Science*
Manske, Sarah; Biological Sciences*
Mantle, Craig; Centre for Military & Strategic Studies
Mattar, Pierre; Neuroscience*
McFeetors, Gregory; Mechanical Systems*
Moorman, Lynn; Education*
Moss, Erin; Health Sciences*
Spanswick, Emma; Physics & Space Sciences*
Zarrillo, Sonia; Sociology*

Renewal Scholars
Cimenti, Massimiliano; Chemical and Petroleum Engineering*
Doering, Clinton John; Neuroscience
Ritch, Jamie Steven; Chemistry*
Turner, Sarah Elizabeth; Anthropology
Urbaniak, Rafal; Philosophy
Wahid, Khan Arif; Electrical and Computer Engineering*
Waldie, Angela Ray; English*

Killam Postdoctoral Fellow
New Scholar
Pacifici, Paola; French, Italian, and Spanish

The Donald N. Byers Memorial Killam Prize Winner
Moss, Erin; Health Sciences
Killam Visiting Scholar
Kaulicke, Peter; Archeology

Killam Resident Fellows
Atkins, Chloe; Communications & Culture
Bland, Brian; Psychology
Cooper, Barry; Political Science
deVisscher, Alex; Chemical Engineering
Fantl, Jeremy; Philosophy*
Frank, Arthur; Sociology
Hiller, Harry; Sociology
Hughes, Aaron; Religious Studies
Ismael, Tareq; Political Science
Khoury, Malek; Communication & Culture
Lamoureux, Michael; Mathematics and Statistics
Panayotidis, Lisa; Education Research
Perron, Dominique; French, Italian, & Spanish
Rangayyan, Rangaraj; Electrical & Computer Engineering
Ritter, Elizabeth; Linguistics
Schneider, Barbara; Communication & Culture*
Tsenkova, Sasha; Environmental Design

Killam Chairs
Gravel, Roy; Medicine & Kinesiology
Shrive, Nigel; Civil Engineering

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Killam Research Fellows
New Fellows
Gaulin, Bruce D.; Physics – McMaster
Harris, William E.; Physics - McMaster
Hébert, Michel; History - UQAM
Lipkowski, Jacek; Chemistry - Guelph
Lyon, Douglas; Sociology - Queen's
Magnusson, Lynne; English Literature - Toronto
Meinertzhagen, Ian A.; Psychology - Dalhousie
Moggach, Douglas; Political Science - Ottawa
Perkins, Edwin A.; Mathematics - UBC
Turner, Nancy J.; Environmental Studies - Victoria

Renewal Fellows
Brown, R. Stan; Chemistry – Queen’s University
Darnell, Regna; Anthropology – University of Western Ontario
Fryzuk, Michael D.; Chemistry – University of British Columbia
Hillaire-Marcel, Claude; Sciences de la Terre et de l’Atmosphère - Université du Québec à Montréal
Kamran, Niky; Mathematics and Statistics – McGill University
Kyser, Kurt; Geological Sciences and Geological Engineering – Queen’s University
McNeil, C. Kent; Law – York University
Oakley, Richard T.; Chemistry – University of Waterloo
Sangster, Joan I.; Canadian and Native Studies – Trent University
Speicher, Roland; Mathematics and Statistics – Queen’s University

Killam Prize Winners
Bond, J. Richard; (Natural Sciences); University of Toronto
MacDonald, Roderick A.; (Social Sciences); Law – McGill University
Hancock, Robert E. W.; (Health Sciences); University of British Columbia
Selvadurai, A. P. S.; (Engineering); Civil Engineering – McGill University
Poplack, Shana; (Humanities); Linguistics – University of Ottawa

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Killam Predoctoral Scholars

New Scholars
Abouzied, Azza; Computer Science*
Allen, Meghan; Mathematics & Statistics*
Braid, James; Earth Sciences
Filliter, Jillian; Psychology*
Gawryluk, Ryan; Biological Sciences
Gero, Shane; Biological Sciences*
Glıster, Jacqueline; Physics
Goossen, Jonathan; Languages & Literature - English*
Green, Anthony; Engineering
Hamilton, Christopher; Computer Science
Harbin, Ami; Philosophy*
Harding, Robert; History*
Heffernan, Porter; Law
Hoefel, Andrew; Mathematics & Statistics
Ibrahim, Walid; Engineering
Kepkay, Rosemarie; Medicine*
Kern, Robert; Chemistry*
Leon, Jenny; Sociology & Social Anthropology*
Lys, Candice; Health Sciences*
MacDonald, Frank; Chemistry*
Mazerolle, Erin; Psychology*
McKay, Neil, Mathematics & Statistics*
Pelletier, Nathaniel; Interdisciplinary PhD*
Pinder, Jordan; Biological Sciences*
Riggs, Timothy; Classics*
Rioux, James; Physics*
Rodd, Mary; Languages & Literature - English
Rutherford, Derek; Engineering*
Saunders, Meghan; Biological Sciences*
Scantlebury, Jordan; Psychology
Stanley, David; History
Staple, Douglas; Physics*
Takam, Alain; Languages & Literature - French
Tamblyn, Isaac; Physics*
ten Brinke, Leanne; Psychology*
Thompson, Katherine; Architecture & Planning
VanderZaag, Andrew; Engineering*
Vautour, Bart; Languages & Literature - English*
Wilson, Emily; Health Sciences
Wilson, Jeffrey; Interdisciplinary PhD*
Yorke, Alana; Biological Sciences*
Zemlak, Tyler; Biological Sciences*
Zhang, Ji; Computer Science

Renewal Scholars
Adsett, Constance; Computer Science
Algar, Christopher; Oceanography*
Bandstra, Nancy; Psychology*
Barresi, Tony; Earth Sciences
Bashforth, Arden; Earth Sciences
Beare, Nicole; English*
Behme, Christina; Philosophy
Belluccini, Federica; Interdisciplinary PhD
Blanchard, Wade; Statistics*
Brewer, Kimberly; Physics*
Calvert, Anna; Biology
Campagna-Slater, Valerie; Chemistry
Carpenter, Yuen-ying; Chemistry*
Chevrier, Vincent; Physics*
Chikowero, Moses; History
Croft, Betty; Physics*
Dore, Anne; History
Dukewich, Kristie; Psychology
Fawcett, Jonathan; Psychology
Fulton, Heather; Psychology
Gibbons, Meaghan; Civil Engineering*
Gradmann, Sofie; Earth Sciences
Heiti, Warren; Philosophy
Hochreiner, Hannes; Chemistry
Hudson, Brian; Pharmacology*
Huybers, Sherry; Interdisciplinary PhD*
Ishigami, Yoko; Psychology
Jakubinek, Michael; Physics
Junek, Adrienne; Anatomy and Neurobiology
Kristjánsdottir, Ólöf; Interdisciplinary PhD Program
Lewis, Kelley; English
Lichodzijewski, Peter; Computer Science*
Long, Aaron; Engineering Mathematics*
Lyons, Devin; Biology*
Macklem, Mason; Computer Science
Mukhida, Karim; Anatomy and Neurobiology*
Noble, Robert; Mathematics and Statistics*
O’Brien, Heather; Interdisciplinary PhD Program*
Patterson, Steven; Physics
Renault, Nisa; Pathology*
Rockwell, Gregory; Chemistry*
Ryan, Gillian; Physics*
Schwartz, Meredith; Philosophy*
Tait, William; History
Taylor, Alexis; Chemistry*
Terashima, Mikiko; Interdisciplinary PhD Program
Thorton, Paul; Chemistry
Tougas, Jane; Computer Science*
Uribe, Elke; Biochemistry & Molecular Biology
Weir, Laura; Biology
Wilband, Marie; Classics

Killam Postdoctoral Fellows

New Fellows
Borgerson, Kirstin; Philosophy
Kelly, Clint; Zoology
LeGlaunec, Jean-Pierre; History
Papadopoulos, Georgios; Natural Sciences
Verma, Mausam; Water Sciences
Veinotte, Linnea; Microbiology

Renewal Fellows
Azaron, Amir; Systems Engineering
Bredeson, Kate; Drama
Edwardson, Ryan; History
Greiner, Birgit; Zoology
Liu, Geniva; Psychology
Lusseau, David; Zoology
Yang, Jun; Biology

Faculty of Science Killam Professors
Burnell, Jean; Chemistry
Gibling, Martin; Earth Sciences
Lewis, Marlon; Oceanography
MacRae, Tom; Biology
Moore, Chris; Psychology
Phillips, Dennis; Psychology
Pincock, James; Chemistry
Scott; David; Earth Sciences
Stewart, Sherry; Psychology
Faculty of Science Killam Prize Winner
Thompson, Alison; Chemistry

Killam Chairs
Alda, Martin; Mood Disorders
Becke, Axel; Chemistry
Chen, David; Engineering
Cullen, John; Oceanography
Milios, Evangelos; Computer Science

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Bar-Or, Amit
Bedell, Barry
Bernasconi, Andrea
Cloutier, Jean-François
Fellows, Lesley
Fon, Edward
Fournier, Alyson
Genge, Angela
Kennedy, Timothy
Pack, Christopher
Ruthazer, Edward
Sinnreich, Michael
Zatorre, Richard

Killam Prize Winner
Herbert-Blouin, Marie Noelle

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Pike, Bruce

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Milner, Brenda

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Karpati, George