Order of Ceremony

Morning: Thursday, June 14th, 2012

Chancellor J. Thompson
President & Vice-Chancellor A. Chakma

God Save the Queen
The audience will rise.

Procession
The audience remains standing when the Academic Procession enters the Hall.

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Conferring of the Honorary Degree
Dr. I. Holloway, Dean, Faculty of Law, will present the citation and request the Chancellor to confer the degree Doctor of Laws, honoris causa upon:

Dr. Barry Pless
who will be hooded by Dr. J. White, Faculty of Social Science. Dr. Pless will address Convocation.

Presentation of The Edward G. Pleva Award for Excellence in Teaching
Professor L.G. Smith, Faculty of Social Science, will be presented to the Chancellor by the President & Vice-Chancellor as the recipient of The Edward G. Pleva Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Presentation of The Angela Armit Award for Excellence in Teaching
Professor M. Wolf, Faculty of Social Science, will be presented to the Chancellor by the President & Vice-Chancellor as the recipient of the Angela Armit Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Presentation of The Marilyn Robinson Award for Excellence in Teaching
Professor B. Lester, Faculty of Social Science, will be presented to the Chancellor by the President & Vice-Chancellor as the recipient of The Marilyn Robinson Award for Excellence in Teaching.

Presentation of Professors Emeritus/a
Professor R. Beaujot, J. Palmer and G. Perry will be presented by the President & Vice-Chancellor to the Chancellor who will confer the status of Professor Emeritus/a.

Presentation of Candidates
The members of the Graduating Classes will be presented to the Chancellor by the President & Vice-Chancellor who will extend greetings and congratulations to them on behalf of the University.

Conferring of Degrees and Awarding of Diplomas
The Graduating Classes will be presented to the Chancellor in groups according to the degree awarded. As a courtesy to all graduates, it is requested that graduates, after collecting their diplomas, return to their seats in the Hall until the Chancellor dismisses Convocation.

Ceremonial Occasion
The audience will rise when the Academic Procession exits the Hall.

Following Convocation, a reception hosted by the Alumni Association to honor the new alumni will be held in the atrium in the University Community Centre.
Honorary Degree Recipient

Dr. Barry Pless

Dr. Barry Pless is internationally renowned as an innovator, investigator, pioneer and advocate. He is one of the leaders in the field of child health and played a pivotal role in the evolution of injury prevention. He was one of the founders of the Canadian Institute of Child Health and was chair of its Board of Directors. In that capacity, he initiated the first Child Health Profile, a landmark document that identified injury as the leading child health problem, and prompted him to originate Canada’s injury surveillance system: the much acclaimed Canadian Hospitals Injury Reporting and Prevention Program. His contributions extend beyond injuries, however. He pioneered the non-categorical approach to the care of children with chronic physical disorders and remained a leader in that arena for most of his career. Dr. Pless was a co-founder of Safe Kids Canada and of the International Society for Child and Adolescent Injury Prevention and served on the governing board of each. He assembled the first paediatric epidemiology research group in Canada.

After graduating from Western in 1958 and completing paediatrics at University of Montreal, Dr. Pless spent four-and-a-half years as a research fellow at Harvard University and at the University of London. This was followed by seven years on the faculty at the University of Rochester before returning to Montreal in 1975. He is now Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics, Epidemiology and Biostatistics at McGill University.

Dr. Pless has been a British Council Scholar, recipient of a Milbank Faculty Fellowship, and of a Research Scientist Career Development Award from the U.S. National Centre for Health Services Research. He was a National Health Scientist from 1976 until 1998 and is the only non-American to be elected President of the Academic Pediatric Association. He is the recipient of that Association’s Armstrong Award and Research Award. He served two terms on the national board of MADD and was a member of the Population Health Program of the Canadian Institute for Advanced Research. He also served on the Scientific Advisory Council of the Alberta Heritage Foundation and is an Honorary Director of the Child Accident Prevention Trust in the U.K. He is the recipient of the highest award of the Canadian Pediatric Society, the Alan Ross Award, and also received the Prix Bombardier Aerospace Award for research excellence, as well as the International Distinguished Career Award from the American Public Health Association. More recently he was named Chercheur Emerite of the Réseau de recherché en santé des populations du Québec. He is a fellow of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences and an honorary fellow of the Royal College of Paediatrics and Child Health.

The author of 180 peer-reviewed publications, Dr. Pless has also written seven books and more than 60 book chapters. In 1995, he became the founding editor of Injury Prevention, the pre-eminent scientific journal in the field and is now editor emeritus. In recognition of his leadership in research training, advocacy and injury prevention activities he was appointed a Member of the Order of Canada in 1993 and received the Commemorative Medal at the 125th Anniversary of the Confederation of Canada. In 2002 he also received the Queens Golden Jubilee Medal. He regards his most important accomplishment, however, as passing the Grade 2 clarinet examination of the Royal Conservatory of Music.
Awards to the Graduating Class

Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry and Faculty of Science

Governor General Gold Medal
JOHNSON CHEUNG

Dr. D.S.M. Haines Gold Medal and Book Prize
AHMAD ALMAWI

J.A.F. Stevenson Gold Medal
JONATHAN TAESUNG PARK

Susan Vitali-Lovell Gold Medal and Award
LYNN JEAN GIERSZEWSKI

Raymond Compton Dearle Gold Medal
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Strik Couprie Inch Cancer Research Course Prize
TAE SUN YOO

The University of Western Ontario Gold Medals

Honors Specialization in Actuarial Science
SIMON XU

Honors Specialization in Biochemistry
HART ADAM GOLDHAR

Honors Specialization in Biochemistry and Cell Biology
BRODY WHEELER

Honors Specialization in Biochemistry of Infection and Immunity
NOAH MANCZYK

Honors Specialization in Medical Biophysics (Medical Science Concentration)
ZACHARY ZYTNER

Honors Specialization in Medical Cell Biology
ZUHAIB MANZOOR MIR

Honors Specialization in Medical Physics
LOJAN SIVAKUMARAN

Honors Specialization in Microbiology and Immunology
RICHARD KENJI ONIZUKA

Honors Specialization in Pathology and Toxicology
DEELAN PATEL

Honors Specialization in Physiology and Pharmacology
PAXTON MOON

Honors Major in Biochemistry
SHAWN CHANDARETH THENG

Honors Major in Medical Biophysics
LAURA ELLEN WADE

Honors Major in Medical Cell Biology
WAN CHONG KIM
The University of Western Ontario Gold Medals

Honors Major in Physiology
SHAWN CHANDARETH

Four Year Specialization
HYUNOOK FRED CHO
SCHOOL OF GRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDIES
Doctor of Philosophy

CAROLINE DIANE ALBION +
Anatomy and Cell Biology
Fetal Growth Restriction: Molecular Mechanisms and Long-Term Outcomes

CHRISTINE BELL
Physiology
Developmental and Adaptive Role of MAPK During Preimplantation Development

DARAH ANN CHRISTIE
Microbiology and Immunology
Characterization of SLP-2 function in T lymphocytes

BENJAMIN WARREN COOK +
Biochemistry
Structural Characterization of HIP2 Enzyme Interactions in Ubiquitination

SARAH ANNE DETOMBE
Medical Biophysics
Applications of Rapid Cardiac Micro-CT

JESSICA LYNN ESSELTINE
Physiology
GPCR Intracellular Trafficking and Signal Transduction

GRAHAM MATHEW FRASER
Medical Biophysics
Modeling Oxygen Transport in Three-Dimensional Capillary Networks

KARLA STEPHANIE FROHMADER +
Anatomy and Cell Biology
Effects of methamphetamine on sexual behavior

CEZAR NICOLAE GAVRILOVICI +
Physiology
Kindling induced alterations in piriform cortex

ALISTER D. GOULD
Biochemistry
ATPase Regulation in the Maltose Transporter

CHRISTOPHER STEPHEN HUGHES
Biochemistry
Proteomics of Human Stem Cell Derived Matrices

CRYSTAL ROSE MCLELLAN
Biochemistry
Regulation of the bacterial transposon Tn5

MATTHEW MILLER +
Microbiology and Immunology
Critical Stages in Viral Replication - Entry, Gene Regulation and Egress

NGAN NGUYEN
Anatomy and Cell Biology

KINNARI PATEL +
Microbiology and Immunology
Structure-Function Analysis of PHPT proteins

KIERAN RITCHIE +
Biochemistry
The Regulation of Cell Division and Neurogenesis by ATRX

MAXIM D SEFEROVIC
Biochemistry
Maternal and Fetal Plasma Protein Changes in Fetal Growth Restriction

BRADLEY BRIAN STOCKS
Biochemistry
Folding Studied by Oxidative Labeling and ESI-MS

SIEW KIAN TAI +
Neuroscience
Septal Modulation of the Hippocampus

MATTHEW GLENN TEETER
Medical Biophysics
Imaging of Wear in Total Knee Arthroplasty

JENNIFER ANNE THOMPSON +
Physiology
Hypoxia and Vascular Development

CIRIC CHI WING TO
Pharmacology and Toxicology
Molecular Mechanisms of Cell Migration Inhibition by the Synthetic Triterpenoids

JENNIFER SARAH TOLMAN +
Microbiology and Immunology
The intracellular behaviour of Burkholderia cenocepacia in murine macrophages

Master of Arts

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Geography

Master of Clinical Science

MICHAEL FRANK LEE-POY
Family Medicine

JANE MELEK UYGUR
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AWATIF ABUZGAIA +
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JAMIE BELO
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CHELSEA CLARKE +
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MARK DALEY +
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RODERICK MACPHEE +
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AJAY MANJOO +
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SAMAH MANSOUR ASSAAD MANSOUR +
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