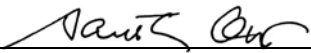


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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

UBC Scholars profiled at this meeting and on the Board of Governors website:

- Dr. Patricia Duff (Service category)
Professor, Department of Language and Literacy Education
Faculty of Education
- Dr. Bryan Gick (Research category)
Professor and Head, Department of Linguistics
Faculty of Arts
- Dr. Graham Reynolds (Teaching category)
Assistant Professor
Allard School of Law

ATTACHMENTS

- Profiles of the above scholars
- List of Notable Distinctions: *Research *Teaching *Service



Patricia Duff

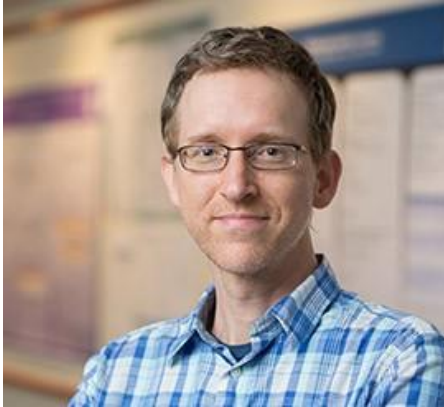
Professor and Distinguished University Scholar
Language and Literacy Education
Faculty of Education

Distinguished Scholarship and Service Award
American Association for Applied Linguistics

Patricia Duff earned a PhD in Applied Linguistics from UCLA and taught English and applied linguistics in many different international contexts before joining UBC's Department of Language and Literacy Education, where she is currently serving a two-year term as Deputy Head. She works in the graduate programs, primarily, in Teaching English as a Second Language and Modern Language Education. In addition, she is the Co-Director of the Centre for Research in Chinese Language and Literacy Education. She has previously served as Director (and was co-founding member) of the UBC Centre for Intercultural Language Studies.

Professor Duff's main scholarly interests are related to language socialization across bilingual and multilingual settings; qualitative research methods in applied linguistics; the integration of second-language learners in schools, universities, and society; multilingualism and work; and sociocultural, sociolinguistic, and sociopolitical aspects of language(s) in education. She has published and lectured widely on these topics.

In 2004, Professor Duff was awarded the title of Distinguished University Scholar and in 2007 received the UBC Killam Teaching Prize. Her 2017 Distinguished Scholarship and Service Award recognizes her various roles and activities supporting research, scholarship, professional development, and knowledge dissemination in her academic field throughout her career.



Bryan Gick



Professor and Head
Department of Linguistics, Faculty of Arts

2017 Guggenheim Fellowship
John Simon Guggenheim Foundation

Congratulations to Dr. Bryan Gick, recipient of the Guggenheim Fellowship, in recognition of his contributions to the fields of linguistics and speech science. As a Guggenheim Fellow, Dr. Gick will work with top interdisciplinary experts developing and extending his embodied approach to speech with the goal of deepening links between biomechanics, the nervous system, the digestive system and the evolution of speech communication.

Dr. Gick's research interests focus on understanding the physical mechanisms of speech production in normal, disordered, and developing speech across many languages. He has designed protocols for studying haptic (tactile) perception of speech, methods for observing and simulating low-level speech movements and biomechanics, and has developed techniques for applying ultrasound imaging technology as a tool to help language learners, people with speech and hearing disorders, and endangered language-speaking communities in teaching and learning pronunciation.

Dr. Bryan Gick is Co-chair of the Language Sciences Initiative at UBC and a Senior Scientist at Haskins Laboratories in New Haven, Connecticut. At UBC, he holds associate appointments in the Department of Psychology, the School of Audiology and Speech Sciences, and the Institute for Computing, Information and Cognitive Systems.



Graham J. Reynolds



Assistant Professor
Allard School of Law

George Curtis Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence
Allard School of Law

Graham Reynolds teaches and researches in the areas of copyright law, intellectual property law, property law, and intellectual property and human rights. Prior to joining UBC in 2013, Dr. Reynolds was an Assistant Professor at the Schulich School of Law at Dalhousie University, where he was the Co-Editor in Chief of the Canadian Journal of Law and Technology, and a member of Dalhousie's Law and Technology Institute.

Dr. Reynolds completed his graduate studies at the University of Oxford, where he studied on a Rhodes Scholarship, a Pierre Elliott Trudeau Scholarship, and a SSHRC Doctoral Award. His doctoral work focused on the intersection of freedom of expression and copyright in Canada. He has also served as the judicial law clerk to the Honourable Chief Justice Finch of the BC Court of Appeal.

Recipients of the George Curtis Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence are selected by a committee of students and faculty. Students describe Professor Reynolds as a teacher who brings “a rare combination of expertise and mentorship” to the classroom. His teaching “fosters the passions and thinking of students through problem-based learning”; his lectures, delivered with “heartfelt enthusiasm,” a rigorous “attention to pedagogy” and a deep care for the material, “are a collaboration” in which students are encouraged to share their experiences and opinions in discussion and develop skills to contribute productively as part of a team, learning together.

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JUN 2017	APPLIED SCIENCE - Mechanical Engineering	Feng, Steve - Professor	Awarded Fellowship with the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME). Fellow Grade is the highest elected grade of membership within ASME, the attainment of which recognizes exceptional engineering achievements and contributions to the engineering profession.
JUN 2017	APPLIED SCIENCE - Mechanical Engineering	Merida, Walter - Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Creative Writing Program	Campbell, Deborah - Lecturer	Awarded the 2017 Freedom To Read Award. Awarded by the Writers' Union of Canada, for "A Disappearance in Damascus: A Story of Friendship and Survival in the Shadow of War" (Knopf Canada, 2016).
JUN 2017	ARTS - History	Prange, Sebastian - Assistant Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Institute for Critical Indigenous Studies / Department of English	Justice, Daniel - Professor	Awarded the 2nd Modern Language Association Prize for Studies in Native American Literatures, Cultures, and Languages. awarded for " <i>The Oxford Handbook of Indigenous American Literature</i> " (published in 2014).
JUN 2017	ARTS - Institute of Asian Research / Department of Anthropology	Shneiderman, Sara - Assistant Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Linguistics	Gick, Bryan - Professor	Named a 2017 Guggenheim Fellow by the John Simon Guggenheim Foundation. As a Guggenheim Fellow, "Dr. Gick will work with top interdisciplinary experts developing and extending his body-based approach to speech, with the goal of deepening links between biomechanics, the nervous system, the digestive system and the evolution of speech communication."
JUN 2017	ARTS - Psychology	Hewitt, Paul - Professor	Awarded Fellowship with the Canadian Psychological Association in recognition of significant research contributions to Canadian psychology.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Psychology	Christoff, Kalina - Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Psychology	Tracy, Jessica - Professor	Named a Fellow of the Association for Psychological Science (APS) The honour recognizes a career of high level achievement and impact in psychological science.

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JUN 2017	ARTS - Psychology	Kingstone, Alan - Professor	Selected as a Sage Distinguished Fellow to visit UC Santa Barbara in May 2017. The SAGE Center was established in 2005 by the University of California through the generous support of SAGE Publications. The centre encourages collaboration among researchers, publishers, teachers and speakers in order to address historically significant and cutting-edge questions about the brain and mind.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Psychology	Laurin, Kristin - Assistant Professor	Recognized as an APS Rising Star. This designation recognizes outstanding psychological scientists in the earliest stages of their research careers post-PhD whose innovative work has already advanced the field and signals great potential for their continued contributions. Awarded by the Association for Psychological Science.
JUN 2017	ARTS - Theatre and Film	Walsh, Shannon - Assistant Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	EDUCATION - Educational & Counselling Psychology & Special Education	Cox, Daniel W., Assistant Professor	Awarded the Article of the Year in The Career Development Quarterly (2016) by the National Career Development Association. Awarded in recognition of the article: <i>Occupational engagement and academic major satisfaction: Vocational identity's mediating role.</i>
JUN 2017	EDUCATION - Department of Educational Studies	Jo-ann Archibald - Professor	Honoured with a Doctor of Laws (Honoris Causa) degree from Kwantlen Polytechnic University (will be awarded JUN 2, 2017)
JUN 2017	LAND AND FOOD SYSTEMS	Weary, Dan - Professor	Awarded the prestigious 2016 3Rs prize (with Program researcher Joanna Makowska) for a paper investigating the welfare of laboratory rats. The prize, awarded by the UK's National Centre for the 3Rs (NC3Rs) and sponsored by GlaxoSmithKline, consists of a £28k prize grant and a £2k personal award.
JUN 2017	LAND AND FOOD SYSTEMS	Lu, Xiaonan - Assistant Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	MEDICINE - Pediatrics / Medical Genetics	Hall, Judith - Professor Emerita	Recognized with an Honorary Doctor of Science degree from the UBC for 2017; for her substantial contributions to society.
JUN 2017	MEDICINE - Urologic Sciences	Gleave, Martin - Professor	Awarded the Richard D. Williams Prostate Cancer Research Excellence Award from the Urology Care Foundation for 2017; The Award is presented annually to an individual (e.g. urologist, scientist, or researcher) for outstanding and impactful research and work in the field of prostate cancer.
JUN 2017	MEDICINE - Medicine	Russell, James - Professor	Honoured with the Aubrey J. Tingle Prize from the Michael Smith Foundation for Health Research for 2017; given annually to a British Columbia clinician scientist whose work in health research has had a significant impact on advancing research and improving health, and the health system, in BC and beyond.

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JUN 2017	PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES	Sadatsafavi, Mohsen - Assistant Professor	Awarded the 2017 GlaxoSmithKline/ CSPA Early Career Award. This award recognizes outstanding research contributions to the pharmaceutical sciences early in one's career. This award will be presented at the CSPA annual symposium with the presence of the entire gathering of members and colleagues. CSPA awards will be presented at the Gala and Awards Dinner.
JUN 2017	PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES	Collier, Abby / Hafeli, Urs - Associate Professors	Awarded the Dentistry-Pharmacy Collaboration Project Award. The DPC Project Award is offered once per year and is intended to foster an environment that encourages researchers to seek out and develop new research collaborations between the Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences and the Faculty of Dentistry with the goal of gaining external funding for these collaborative projects.
JUN 2017	PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES	Kiang, Tony / Partovi, Nilu / Ensom, Mary - Professors	Awarded the 2017 VCHRI Innovation and Translational Research Award from Vancouver Coastal Health Research Institute for their project: Revolutionizing vancomycin therapeutic drug monitoring: a novel microneedle device for sampling interstitial fluid
JUN 2017	SCIENCE - Institute for the Oceans and Fisheries	Pauly, Daniel - Professor	Awarded Scientifique de l'année 2016, Radio Canada. (Scientist of the Year from Radio Canada International) Pauly is being recognized for his lifelong research efforts on the human impacts on global fisheries.
JUN 2017	SCIENCE - Microbiology & Immunology	Mohn, William - Professor	Elected Fellow of the American Academy of Microbiology by the American Society for Microbiology. The Academy, the honorific leadership group within the American Society for Microbiology, recognizes excellence, originality, and leadership in the microbiological sciences.
JUN 2017	SCIENCE - Computer Science	Schmidt, Mark - Assistant Professor	Awarded a 2017 Sloan Fellow by the Alfred Sloan Foundation. These two-year, \$60,000 fellowships are awarded yearly to 126 researchers in the United States and Canada in recognition of distinguished performance and a unique potential to make substantial contributions to their field.
JUN 2017	SCIENCE - Computer Science	Harvey, Nick - Associate Professor	Honoured with a CS-Can/Info-Can Outstanding Young Computer Science Researcher prize. The Outstanding Young Computer Science Researcher prize recognizes young computer science faculty members at Canadian universities within 10 years of their Ph.D. who have made highly significant contributions in their careers, particularly to research.
JUN 2017	SCIENCE - Institute for the Oceans and Fisheries	Cheung, William - Associate Professor	Named a Wall Scholar with the Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies (PWIAS). The Wall Scholars Research Award is available to UBC Faculty members to spend one year in residence at the Institute in a collaborative, interdisciplinary environment.
JUN 2017	SCIENCE - Microbiology & Immunology	Hancock, Robert - Professor	Awarded the John G. FitzGerald Award, 2017, from the Canadian Association for Clinical Microbiology and Infectious Diseases (Award for advancing the field of Clinical Microbiology).

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JUN 2017	UBCO Irving K. Barber School of Arts and Sciences Biology	Deyholos, Michael - Professor	Awarded UBCO Engineering and Natural Sciences Researcher of the Year (tie). This award recognizes faculty members at UBC Okanagan who have made significant contributions to Tri-Council research areas of Natural Sciences and Engineering during their time of appointment at the University. The award is presented annually during Celebrate Research Week.
JUN 2017	UBCO School of Engineering	Holzman, Jonathan - Associate Professor	Awarded UBCO Engineering and Natural Sciences Researcher of the Year (tie). This award recognizes faculty members at UBC Okanagan who have made significant contributions to Tri-Council research areas of Natural Sciences and Engineering during their time of appointment at the University. The award is presented annually during Celebrate Research Week.
JUN 2017	UBCO Irving K. Barber School of Arts and Sciences Community, Culture and Global Studies	Frohlick, Susan - Professor	Awarded UBCO Social Sciences and Humanities Researcher of the Year. This award recognizes faculty members at UBC Okanagan who have made significant contributions to Tri-council research area of Social Sciences and Humanities during their time of appointment at the University. The award is presented annually during Celebrate Research Week.
JUN 2017	UBCO Faculty of Health and Social Development Health and Exercise Sciences	Jung, Mary - Assistant Professor	Named UBCO Health Researcher of the Year. This award recognizes faculty members at UBC Okanagan who have made significant contributions to research in the Tri-Council research area of Health during their time of appointment at the University. The award is presented annually during Celebrate Research Week.
JUN 2017	UBCO Faculty of Health and Social Development Nursing	Bottorff, Joan - Professor	Awarded the Canadian Association of Psychosocial Oncology Lifetime Achievement Award in recognition of her exceptional and enduring career contributions to Psychosocial Oncology.