



<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>NOTABLE DISTINCTIONS</b>
<b>MEETING DATE</b>	<b>NOVEMBER 26, 2019</b>

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**Presented By** Ananya Mukherjee Reed, Provost and Vice-President Academic, UBC Okanagan  
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 Gail Murphy, Vice-President Research & Innovation  
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**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

At every meeting, the Board receives a list of recent notable distinctions and recognitions that have been received by UBC faculty members -- for their teaching, scholarly accomplishments and community service -- ranging from very prestigious national and international awards to significant internal awards at UBC. In addition, the Board receives profiles of three of these faculty award winners.

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

- Dr. Vanessa Andreotti (Research category)  
Professor, Department of Educational Studies  
Faculty of Education
- Dr. Lee Groat (Service category)  
Professor, Department of Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Sciences  
Faculty of Science
- Dr. Corinne Hohl (Teaching category)  
Associate Professor, Department of Emergency Medicine  
Faculty of Medicine

**Attachments**

1. Profiles of the above scholars
2. List of Notable Distinctions: \*Research \*Teaching \*Service



# Vanessa Andreotti



Professor, Department of Educational Studies  
Faculty of Education

**Member, College of New Scholars, Artists, and Scientists  
The Royal Society of Canada**

Congratulations to Dr. Vanessa Andreotti, who has been named a Member of the College of New Scholars, Artists, and Scientists, the Royal Society of Canada. This award recognizes the emerging generation of Canadian intellectual leadership, who, at an early stage in their career, have demonstrated a high level of achievement. Dr. Andreotti is being recognized for her critical scholarship and leading-edge pedagogical and artistic experimentations in the fields of global citizenship and international development education.

Dr. Andreotti's research problematizes and offers alternatives to mainstream educational approaches that promote simplistic understandings of global problems and solutions, paternalistic engagements between dominant and marginalized groups, and ethnocentric views of justice, sustainability, and change. Her academic work is committed to protecting the public role of the university as critic and conscience of society and as a space of independent, multi-voiced, critically informed and socially accountable debates about alternative futures.

After completing her Bachelor of Education at the Federal University of Parana in Brazil and a Masters of Education from the University of Manchester in the U.K., she pursued doctoral training and obtained a Ph.D. from the University of Nottingham in the U.K. Dr. Andreotti holds a Canada Research Chair in Race, Inequalities and Global Change.



# Lee Groat



Professor, Earth, Ocean & Atmospheric Sciences  
Faculty of Science

**Leonard G. Berry Medal**  
**Mineralogical Association of Canada**

Professor Lee Groat graduated from Queen's University with a BSc (Honours, Geology) in 1982 and from the University of Manitoba with a PhD in 1988. In 1988-89 he was a NATO Postdoctoral Fellow at Cambridge University. He joined UBC in 1989.

Professor Groat is a Past-President of the Mineralogical Association of Canada and former Co-Editor (2012) and present Editor (since 2013) of *The Canadian Mineralogist*. His work covers four main areas of mineralogy: crystal chemistry and mineral physics, granitic pegmatites, environmental mineralogy, and the mineralogy of gemstones. His research has taken him to various locations in British Columbia as well as Canada's north where he has collaboratively studied the rare element Little Nahanni Pegmatite Group and the geology and origin of Canada's first significant emerald deposit in southeastern Yukon. The mineral groatite  $\text{NaCaMn}^{2+}_2(\text{PO}_4)[\text{PO}_3(\text{OH})]_2$  was named in his honour.

Professor Groat is the recipient of numerous prestigious awards and recognitions. In 1999 he was awarded the Young Scientist Medal from the Mineralogical Association of Canada. In 2002 he was awarded a UBC Killam Prize for Excellence in Teaching. In 2003 he was elected a Fellow of the Mineralogical Society of America. His most recent honour, the Leonard G. Berry Medal, recognizes distinguished service to the Mineralogical Association of Canada in leadership or long-term service in an elected or appointed office.



# Corinne Hohl



Associate Professor, Emergency Medicine  
Faculty of Medicine

## **Award for Excellence in Mentoring Early Career Faculty Faculty of Medicine**

Dr. Corinne Hohl is an Associate Professor in the Department of Emergency Medicine, a Scientist at the Centre for Clinical Epidemiology and Evaluation, and an Associate Member of the School of Population and Public Health. She practices Emergency Medicine at Vancouver General Hospital.

Her main interests are in patient safety, health systems innovations, and drug safety and effectiveness. Together with her team, she has developed interventions to improve the recognition and treatment of patients affected by adverse drug events in Emergency Departments. She is presently working on a provincial initiative that will integrate adverse drug event data into electronic medical records and provincial information systems to improve patient safety and improve population-level data on adverse drug events.

Dr. Hohl was awarded a *Best Paper Award* from the American College of Emergency Physicians in 2011, and in 2012, a *New Investigator Award* from the Canadian Institutes of Health Research. In 2013, she was awarded the *Teacher of the Year Award* by the UBC FRCPC Emergency Medicine Residency Program. Her most recent recognition, the *Award for Excellence in Mentoring Early Career Faculty*, recognizes Faculty of Medicine members who have formally been identified as mentors and who exemplify a deep commitment to fostering the professional and personal development of faculty members in the early stages of their academic careers.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
DEC 2019	APPLIED SCIENCE - Electrical and Computer Engineering	Chrostowski, Lukas - Professor	Named a Member of the College of New Scholars, Artists and Scientists - the Royal Society of Canada for 2019. Those named to the College represent the emerging generation of Canadian intellectual leadership.
DEC 2019	APPLIED SCIENCE - School of Nursing	Browne, Annette - Professor	Inducted as a 2019 Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences (CAHS), one of the highest honours within Canada's academic community, based on internationally recognized leadership, academic performance, scientific creativity and willingness to serve. CAHS Fellows have demonstrated leadership, creativity, distinctive competencies and background, and a commitment to advance academic health science.
DEC 2019	APPLIED SCIENCE - School of Nursing	Kryworuchko, Jennifer - Associate Professor	Recipient of the 2019 Alumni of Distinction Award from Algonquin College, for her devotion as a nursing researcher to studying the organization and delivery of health care services to optimize patient and family involvement in health decision making and to improve access to palliative care. The award honours the achievements of 10 alumni and one community employer who have made distinctive contributions in their fields of endeavour and their communities.
DEC 2019	ARTS - Classical, Near Eastern & Religious Studies	Braund, Susanna - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.
DEC 2019	ARTS - Creative Writing	Medved, Maureen - Associate Professor	Recipient of the 2019 Fred Kerner Book Award from the Canadian Authors Association for the book <i>Black Star</i> . Maureen Medved's writing has been published in literary journals and magazines and on the stage and screen internationally.

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DEC 2019	ARTS - Psychology	Craig, Kenneth - Professor Emeritus	Inducted as a 2019 Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences (CAHS), one of the highest honours within Canada's academic community, based on internationally recognized leadership, academic performance, scientific creativity and willingness to serve. CAHS Fellows have demonstrated leadership, creativity, distinctive competencies and background, and a commitment to advance academic health science.
DEC 2019	DENTISTRY - Oral, Biological & Medical Sciences	MacDougall, Mary - Professor	Awarded the inaugural Presidential Citation from the American Association for Dental Research (AADR). This new award acknowledges AADR members who have made significant contributions to the Association and who have helped to further the organization's mission of advancing research and knowledge for the improvement of oral health.
DEC 2019	EDUCATION - Educational and Counselling Psychology, and Special Education	Perry, Nancy - Professor	Elected Fellow of the American Psychological Association. This status is awarded on the basis of evaluated evidence of outstanding contributions to the field of psychology.
DEC 2019	EDUCATION - Educational Studies	Andreotti, Vanessa - Professor	Named a Member of the College of New Scholars, Artists and Scientists - the Royal Society of Canada for 2019. Those named to the College represent the emerging generation of Canadian intellectual leadership.
DEC 2019	FORESTRY - Forest and Conservation Sciences	Daniels, Lori - Professor	Recipient of the Scientific Achievement Award, presented by the Canadian Institute of Forestry. This award recognizes individuals who have made innovative and outstanding achievements in forestry research in Canada.

**Notable Distinctions of UBC Faculty and Librarians  
Research**

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DEC 2019	FORESTRY - Forest and Conservation Sciences	Hinch, Scott - Professor	Recipient of the 2019 Award of Excellence, presented by the American Fisheries Society, for original and outstanding contributions to fisheries and aquatic biology. It is the Society's highest award for scientific achievement.
DEC 2019	FORESTRY - Forest and Conservation Sciences	Sunderland, Terence - Professor	Recipient of the Scientific Achievement Award, presented by the International Union of Forest Research Organizations (IUFRO), to recognize distinguished individual scientific achievements within the fields of research covered by the Union of Forest Research Organizations.
DEC 2019	FORESTRY - Forest Resources Management	Wang, Guangyu - Associate Professor	Recipient of the 2019 International Forestry Award, presented by the Canadian Institute of Forestry. The award recognizes individuals who have made unique and outstanding contributions in international forestry.
DEC 2019	LAW	Stewart, James - Associate Professor	Awarded the Hessel Yntema Award by the American Society of Comparative Law for a paper co-authored with Asad Kiyani. The award is for the best paper published in the American Journal of Comparative Law over a calendar year that's written by a scholar younger than 40 years old.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Medical Genetics	Marra, Marco - Professor	Named a 2020 Canadian Medical Hall of Fame Inductee, for his outstanding leadership and contributions to medicine and the health sciences, in Canada or abroad, which have led to extraordinary improvements in human health.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Medicine	Hatala, Rose - Professor	Honoured with the 2019 Outstanding Achievement Award in the Evaluation of Clinical Competence, by the Medical Council of Canada. This prestigious distinction recognizes an individual or group who demonstrate sustained excellence in Canadian health care and/or health-care research

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DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Medicine	Ruth, Thomas J. - Adjunct Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Money, Deborah - Professor	Honoured with the 2019 Lifetime Achievement Award by the Infectious Diseases Society of Obstetrics and Gynecology (IDSOG) for her outstanding contributions to scientific exchange, education and leadership in infectious diseases in women.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Pathology & Laboratory Medicine / Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Huntsman, David - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Pathology & Laboratory Medicine	Sorensen, Poul - Professor	Recipient of the 2019 Bloom Burton Award for Innovative Cancer Research from Bloom Burton & Co. This award honours the individual scientist, inventor, executive, entrepreneur, industry leader, or policy maker who made the greatest contribution to Canada's innovative healthcare industry in the previous year.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Pathology & Laboratory Medicine	Sorensen, Poul - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.



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DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Physical Therapy	Li, Linda - Professor	Inducted as a 2019 Fellow of the Canadian Academy of Health Sciences (CAHS), one of the highest honours within Canada's academic community, based on internationally recognized leadership, academic performance, scientific creativity and willingness to serve. CAHS Fellows have demonstrated leadership, creativity, distinctive competencies and background, and a commitment to advance academic health science.
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Computer Science	Conati, Cristina - Professor	Co-recipient of the IJCAI 2019 Workshop on Humanizing AI Best Paper Award during the International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI). This award was received along with two M.Sc. Students: Shane Sims and Vanessa Putnam
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Institute for the Oceans and Fisheries	Sumaila, Rashid - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Mathematics	Wei, Juncheng - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Physics & Astronomy	Berciu, Mona - Professor	Elected as a 2019 Fellow of the American Physical Society. The program was created to recognize members who may have made advances in physics through original research and publication, or made significant innovative contributions in the application of physics to science and technology.

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DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Statistics	Welch, Will - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the American Statistical Association for his pioneering work in the establishment and development of the design and analysis of computer experiments; for blending creative computational and statistical methodology, both in design and analysis, with cross-disciplinary application across a spectrum of fields; for innovation in teaching and leadership in advancing the interests of statistics in academe and through professional statistical organizations.
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Zoology	Schulte, Patricia - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Zoology	Whitlock, Michael - Professor	Named a 2019 Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of Canadian scholars, artists, and scientists, peer-elected as the best in their field, who have made remarkable contributions in the arts, the humanities and the sciences, as well as in Canadian public life.

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DEC 2019	DENTISTRY - Oral Biological & Medical Sciences	Brömme, Dieter - Professor; Canada Research Chair in Proteases & Diseases	Guest Professorship at Beijing University of Chinese Medicine (BUCM) to foster the student exchange between his lab at UBC and BUCM.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Emergency Medicine	Hohl, Corinne - Associate Professor	Award for Excellence in Mentoring Early Career Faculty, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; to recognize faculty members who have formally been identified as mentors and who exemplify a deep commitment to fostering the professional and personal development of faculty members in the early stages of their academic careers.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Emergency Medicine	Stewart, Sam - Clinical Assistant Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Career Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes senior Clinical Faculty members who have demonstrated sustained excellence in teaching over the course of their careers.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Medicine	Kenyon, Michael - Clinical Assistant Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Career Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes senior Clinical Faculty members who have demonstrated sustained excellence in teaching over the course of their careers.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Butler, Blair - Clinical Associate Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Career Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes senior Clinical Faculty members who have demonstrated sustained excellence in teaching over the course of their careers.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Finlayson, Sarah - Clinical Assistant Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes excellence in teaching by Clinical Faculty members at a Clinical Academic Campus.

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DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Emergency Medicine	Williams, David Joshua - Clinical Assistant Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes excellence in teaching by Clinical Faculty members at a Clinical Academic Campus.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Medicine	Walzak, Alison - Clinical Assistant Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes excellence in teaching by Clinical Faculty members at a Clinical Academic Campus.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Family Practice	Abrahams, Ron - Clinical Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Community Practice Teaching - VFMP, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes Clinical Faculty members throughout BC who have demonstrated excellence in teaching and made an educational impact in a local community.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Family Practice	Doyle, Donna - Clinical Instructor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Community Practice Teaching - IMP, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes Clinical Faculty members throughout BC who have demonstrated excellence in teaching and made an educational impact in a local community.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Family Practice	McCoid, Elizabeth (Libby) - Clinical Instructor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Community Practice Teaching - SMP, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes Clinical Faculty members throughout BC who have demonstrated excellence in teaching and made an educational impact in a local community.

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DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Obstetrics & Gynaecology	Mohtashami, Fariba - Clinical Associate Professor	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Community Practice Teaching - VFMP, from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizes Clinical Faculty members throughout BC who have demonstrated excellence in teaching and made an educational impact in a local community.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Southern Medical Program	Williams, Josh - Clinical Associate Professor, Emergency Medicine	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Clinical Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine; recognizes those who have demonstrated excellence in clinical teaching at a Clinical Academic Campus.
DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Southern Medical Program	McCoid, Libby - Clinical Instructor, Family Practice	Clinical Faculty Award for Excellence in Community Practice Teaching, from the Faculty of Medicine; recognizes clinical faculty members throughout British Columbia who have demonstrated excellence in teaching and made an educational impact in a local community.

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DEC 2019	ARTS - iSchool (Library, Archival and Information Studies)	O'Brien, Heather - Associate Professor	"SIG Member of the Year", by the Association for Information Science and Technology; for significant contributions to the membership of the SIG (Special Interest Group for Social Informatics), through participation in and support of its events at the annual and mid-year meetings, its publications, and its other activities.
DEC 2019	ARTS - iSchool (Library, Archival and Information Studies)	Duranti, Luciana - Professor	Honorary Doctorate in Archival Science, from Mid Sweden University (Mittuniversitetet); conferment for contributions to archival science.
DEC 2019	ARTS - School of Music	Chatman, Stephen - Professor	Diploma of Fellow of the Royal Conservatory of Music. This honour, conferred annually, was given in recognition of Prof. Chatman's exceptional achievements as an acclaimed composer and arts advocate. Past recipients have included Oscar Peterson, Teresa Stratas, Robertson Davies, Adrienne Clarkson, Michael and Sonja Koerner, and Leon Fleisher.
DEC 2019	DENTISTRY - Department of Oral Biological & Medical Sciences	Schmitz, Susan - Clinical Associate Professor	Elected to the British Columbia Dental Hygienists' Association Board of Directors for a three-year term.
DEC 2019	DENTISTRY - Department of Oral Health Sciences	Nguyen, Caroline Tram - Associate Professor	Awarded the President's Award from the Association of Prosthodontists of Canada.
DEC 2019	EDUCATION - Curriculum & Pedagogy	Phelan, Anne - Professor	Appointed Honorary Professor, Department of Education Policy and Leadership, The Education University of Hong Kong for a three-year term (July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2021.) Dr. Phelan is conferred the title in recognition of her research expertise in teacher education.

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DEC 2019	MEDICINE - Family Practice	Bates, Joanna - Professor Emerita	Bill and Marilyn Webber Lifetime Achievement Award from the Faculty of Medicine for 2019; recognizing extraordinary members of the Faculty of Medicine who have sustained distinguished careers at UBC.
DEC 2019	SCIENCE - Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Sciences	Groat, Lee - Professor	The Leonard G. Berry Medal, awarded annually for distinguished service to the Mineralogical Association of Canada. The award recognizes significant service to the Association in one or more areas that may include leadership or long-term service in an elected or appointed office.
DEC 2019	UBCO - CREATIVE AND CRITICAL STUDIES - Department of Creative Studies	Smith, Michael - Associate Professor, Creative Writing	Keynote speaker at the Fraser Valley Literary Festival, held on September 13 at the University of the Fraser Valley.