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EXECUTIVE TEAM

GRADUATE STUDENT WISHES




AFFORDABLE
LIFE



VIBRANT
ACADEMIC
AND SOCIAL
LIFE



ETHICAL
LEADERSHIP

An illustration featuring a woman on the left wearing a green top and blue overalls, and a man on the right wearing a green sweater and blue pants. They are holding a large white sign with rounded corners. The sign is held up by two green rings at the top. The background consists of abstract shapes in shades of teal, orange, and light green. The text on the sign is in a bold, black, sans-serif font. There are two orange diamond-shaped decorative elements on the sign, one on each side of the text.

VANCOUVER
IS NOT FOR
BEGINNERS

AFFORDABLE LIFE

GRADUATE STUDENTS
ARE FEELING THE PINCH

There are 2 ways to mitigate
this:

- 1) more funding
- 2) cheaper things



MITIGATING AFFORDABILITY CRISIS

FIVE YEAR FUNDING
FOR PHD

MINIMUM FUNDING
FOR MASTERS

PARENTAL LEAVE
SUPPORT



MEDICATION COVERAGE
FOR OUT-OF-PROVINCE
STUDENTS

CHEAPER
HOUSING

CHEAPER
FOOD

An illustration featuring two stylized women holding a large black sign. The woman on the left has dark skin and curly hair, wearing a purple jacket and an orange top. The woman on the right has light skin and wavy hair, wearing a blue jacket and a floral top. The sign is held up by two red pushpins and has two pink starburst shapes on either side of the text. The background is a light cream color with various geometric shapes in shades of pink, orange, and purple.

**ENHANCED
ACADEMIC
AND SOCIAL
LIFE**

An illustration of a person with red hair in a bun, wearing a green turtleneck and a red plaid skirt, holding a purple sign on a stick. The sign says "ENHANCING...".

ENHANCING...

ACADEMIC LIFE

Flexible and diverse
teaching/learning modalities

SOCIAL LIFE

Finishing the Graduate Life Center
project: we badly need funding!



ETHICAL LEADERSHIP

◆ WE SHOULD ◆
WALK OUR
TALK

UBC INVESTMENTS

Clear, transparent, consistent, ethical principles for investment: no support of lethal weapons, war, racism, and illegal activities



UBC RELATIONSHIPS

Clear, transparent, consistent, ethical principles for academic partnerships: no support for lethal weapons, war, racism, and illegal activities

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THANK
YOU FOR MEETING!