



## POLITICAL SCIENCE WEEKLY DIGEST

### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2017

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## POLITICAL SCIENCE ANNOUNCEMENTS

### POLITICAL SCIENCE ALUMNI PUB NIGHT

**Tuesday, October 17, 5:30-7:30, Maple Room, Sticky Wicket**

**“Politics in BC: The New Balance of Power A discussion on the new government in BC”**

Join fellow UVic Political Science Alumni for an engaging panel discussion and pub night. Catch up with old friends and faculty members, reflect on the current state of BC politics, and have fun! Panelists: Paul Noble, Daniel Westlake, Grace Lore. Moderator: Vaughn Palmer. Guests are welcome. For more info, contact Rosemary ([poliao@uvic.ca](mailto:poliao@uvic.ca)) or Cora LaRussa, Social Sciences Alumni Officer at [soscalum@uvic.ca](mailto:soscalum@uvic.ca).

### PACTAC: VECTORS SYMPOSIUM SERIES

**“Contesting the Power of Carbon Capital: The Corporate Mapping Project as Action Research”**

**Shannon Daub, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives, William Carroll, Sociology, UVic**

**Monday, October 16, 2:30-4 pm, TEF 170**

**“The Uncanny Valley of the Dolls”**

**Cody Poulton, Pacific and Asian Studies**

**Thursday, October 19, 2:30-4, TEF 170**

**“Felix Guattari’s *The Three Ecologies*”**

**Arthur Kroker and Warren Magnusson**

**Wednesday, November 8, 2:30-4, TEF 170**

**“Masculindian 2.0: The roots and resurgence of Mowhawk manhood”**

**Taiaiake Alfred, IGOV**

**Wednesday, November 29, 2:30-4, TEF 170**

The Pacific Centre for Technology and Culture and CTheory are pleased to announce a new symposium series, VECTORS. The series will celebrate UVic as a global leading edge of the critically engaged intellectual imagination. Here, issues key to the 21st century future—pipeline politics, indigenous resurgence, robotics in the age of AI, and new perspectives on the three ecologies of environment, consciousness and society—will be creatively explored in all their urgency and complexity.



### UVIC’S EUROPEAN STUDIES PROGRAM: TWO EXCITING OPPORTUNITIES TO TRAVEL & LEARN IN 2018:

**Information sessions: Tuesday, Oct 24, 11:00 and Wednesday, October 25, 1 pm SEDG C168**

West Coast Model EU – February 2018 at the University of Washington

## UVic ANNOUNCEMENTS

### **LIBRARY RESEARCH DATA MANAGEMENT SURVEY**

Researchers at 11 Canadian universities, including the University of Victoria, have committed to working together, using a common survey instrument, to gather information about Research Data Management (RDM) practices and attitudes. We invite you, a member of the UVic research community, to complete this survey to help us better understand your **research data management** practices. Information gathered will help us determine how to best support those practices. This survey is for all ranks of UVic faculty, graduate students and postdoctoral fellows. It is administered by UVic Libraries and has been approved by UBC Office of Research Ethics. Participation in the survey is voluntary. You may decline to answer any questions and you may withdraw from the survey at any time prior to submission. All responses will be kept confidential, and you may submit an anonymous response. The survey will take approximately **15-20 minutes** to complete, and UVic faculty members will receive a link to this survey on **October 30th**. If you have any questions, please contact the Principal Investigator– Dr. Jacqueline Quinless ([quinless@uvic.ca](mailto:quinless@uvic.ca)).

### **CFGS FACULTY and GRADUATE STUDENT FELLOWSHIP OPPORTUNITIES 2018-19 FELLOWSHIP**

#### **Application deadline: Friday, November 17, 2017**

The Centre for Global Studies (CFGS) welcomes applications from qualified UVic faculty and students interested in participating in our dynamic interdisciplinary research community. The CFGS promotes critical citizenship in a complex and rapidly changing global environment including the advancement and understanding of major global issues by civil society, the private sector, governments, and international institutions. UVic faculty and graduate students are invited to apply who are engaged in similar topics of a global dimension. These topics may include, but are not limited to global governance, international environmental challenges, social and ecological justice issues, and culture and identity. Applications from all disciplinary backgrounds are welcome. More information is available at <https://www.uvic.ca/research/centres/globalstudies/fellowship/apply%20now/index.php>

### **MOVING TRANS HISTORY FORWARD 2018 CONFERENCE MARCH 22-25, 2018 CALL FOR PROPOSALS**

#### **Deadline: Sunday, November 28**

Conference theme: “From Generation to Generation”

Our conference is called Moving Trans History Forward in order to highlight both the history of trans, gender non-binary, and Two-Spirit activists and researchers, and how today’s activists and researchers are moving that work forward. We invite trans, gender non-binary, and Two-Spirit activists, community-based and academic scholars, students, family members, service providers, and other allies to submit proposals for presentations, panels, posters, workshops, and creative works for the upcoming Moving Trans History Forward conference (#MTHF18). The conference, March 22nd-25th, 2018, is presented by the Chair in Transgender Studies at the University of Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, which is on the traditional territory of the Songhees, Esquimalt and WSÁNEĆ peoples whose historical relationships with the land continue to this day.

While the theme of the conference is “From Generation to Generation,” we welcome proposals concerning any aspect of trans, gender non-binary, and Two-Spirit people and communities. We

especially encourage submissions on topics related to the histories and voices of Indigenous, racialized, and disabled trans, gender non-binary, and Two-Spirit people. Submissions from all perspectives and pertaining to all eras and regions of the world are welcome. Please limit your proposals to unpublished material. The language of the conference is plain English. More information at <https://www.uvic.ca/mthf2018/>

### **CFGS-CIC VICTORIA STUDENT ESSAY CONTEST LAUNCHED**

**\*Entries must be received by March 1st, 2018**

In cooperation with the CIC Victoria Branch, the Centre for Global Studies is sponsoring an essay competition with **three cash prizes (\$1000 \$500 \$250)** for senior undergraduate and graduate students at the University of Victoria and Royal Roads University. Students are invited to submit essays that address subjects related to Canada's interests and values as they pertain to our future roles and presence in the world. Papers submitted for academic credit are also welcome, provided they are relevant to the themes: Global Populism, Protectionism & Polarisation: Risks & Opportunities for Canada or Security Threats in an Uncertain World. More information is available at <https://www.uvic.ca/research/centres/globalstudies/fellowship/additional%20info/student%20essay%20contest/index.php>

### **"COMMUNITY INFLUENCE CAPACITY: A STUDY OF TWO PERUVIAN COMMUNITIES' RELATIONS WITH MINING COMPANIES"**

**Dr. Matt Murphy, School of Business**

**Thursday Oct. 19, 10-11am SEDG C168**

While much research has focused on how firms manage relations with communities and other stakeholder groups, less attention has been given to the capacities needed by communities to defend their rights and influence firms. Using a grounded theory research design, this research draws on a comparative study of the relations between two neighboring campesino communities in the Peruvian highlands and the mining companies that affect them in order to better understand the capacity of communities to influence firms.

### **UNITED WAY BOOKSALE DONATION DRIVE**

**October 1 – December 1**

Donate your new or used good quality books and support the United Way! With the official kick-off of the 2017 UVic United Way campaign last Friday September 29 at CARSA, this is a reminder to all departments that UVic Libraries' Book Sale for the United Way is now an ongoing event, held in the main foyer of the UVic Bookstore, all year-round. In the spirit of giving and generosity that distinguishes the campaign, donations of good quality used books are now being accepted at the Main Loan Desk in the McPherson Library from Oct. 1 until Dec. 1. For more information about our donations policy, visit: <https://www.uvic.ca/unitedway/events/booksale/index.php>

### **PROVOST'S ENGAGED SCHOLAR AWARD**

**Application deadline: Friday, December 8**

UVic has a long history and reputation of excellence in community engagement, both in Canada and abroad. It has made a strong commitment to community-university engagement initiatives through its research, academic and external relations programs. The title, *Provost's Engaged Scholar*, will be awarded to tenured members of faculty who have achieved great distinction as a community engaged scholar. This is a call for nominations and this year up to two recipients will receive a one-time award of \$10,000 at the beginning of their 5 year term to support their community engaged research and teaching. Info at <https://www.uvic.ca/vpacademic/news/current/2017-18callforprovostsengagedscholarawardnominations.php>

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## EXTERNAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 3M NATIONAL STUDENT FELLOWSHIP: CALL FOR NOMINATIONS

**Deadline: Tuesday, January 31**

For many years, 3M Canada has funded scholarships and awards for undergraduates in colleges and universities across Canada. In 2012, 3M added a student fellowship using the long-standing 3M National Teaching Fellowship Program for university professors as a model. The 3M National Student Fellowship Program arose out of consultations and collaboration with the Society for Teaching and Learning in Higher Education (STLHE) Board of Directors and the Council of 3M National Teaching Fellows Executive. More info at <https://www.stlhe.ca/awards/3m-national-student-fellowships/>.

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