



a place of mind  
THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

**REPORT TO THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

**SUBJECT** NOTABLE DISTINCTIONS

**MEETING DATE** JUNE 2, 2014

Forwarded to the Board of Governors on the  
Recommendation of the President

**APPROVED FOR  
SUBMISSION**

Stephen J. Toope, President and Vice-Chancellor

**Presented By** Deborah Buszard, Deputy Vice-Chancellor and Principal, Okanagan  
David H. Farrar, Provost and Vice-President Academic  
John Hepburn, Vice-President Research & International

**Report Date** May 1, 2014

**DECISION REQUESTED** For Information

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

UBC scholars profiled at this meeting:

- Dr. Paul Carter (Teaching category)  
Professor of Teaching, Computer Science  
Faculty of Science
- Dr. Stephen Withers (Research category)  
Professor, Centre for High-Throughput Biology  
Department of Chemistry  
Faculty of Science
- Dr. Peter J. Zed (Service category)  
Associate Professor & Associate Dean, Practice Innovation  
Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences

**ATTACHMENTS:**

- Profiles of the above scholars
- Lists of Notable Distinctions
- \* Research \*Teaching \*Service



# Paul Carter

Professor of Teaching, Computer Science  
Faculty of Science

## **Killam Teaching Prize, 2013-14**

Dr. Paul Carter graduated from the University of Sheffield with a Bachelor of Science (Honours) and subsequently completed a Master of Science at UBC, graduating in 1988. He later went on to earn a PhD from UBC in 1993. He has since served in teaching roles at Capilano College and UBC, receiving the Computer Science Department's teaching award in 2004, 2008, 2009 and 2012. He became a Professor of Teaching in 2013.

Dr. Carter is particularly interested in the use of technology in education, and has been involved in the development of web-based materials that not only present learners with raw information but also present an opportunity to learn in an interactive manner through the use of multimedia.

Dr. Carter directed UBC's new Bachelor of Computer Science (Integrated Computer Science) Program during its first two years in operation. He is currently part of the "Flipped Lab" Network, a faculty-led collaboration which will provide community support to discuss and develop effective, engaging flipped classroom approaches across UBC.



# Stephen Withers

**Professor, Centre for High-Throughput Biology (CHiBi)  
Departments of Chemistry and Biochemistry  
Canada Research Chair in Chemical Biology**

## **2014 Killam Fellowship Canada Council for the Arts**

Congratulations to Dr. Stephen Withers who has been awarded a prestigious Killam Fellowship from the Canada Council for the Arts. The honour recognizes Dr. Withers' contributions to our understanding of the reaction mechanism of enzymes.

Dr. Withers is a world leader in the emerging field of engineering carbohydrate-modifying enzymes. He proposes a creative and original approach in his project, *Development and use of ultra-high-throughput screens for directed evolution and metagenomics*. He will go beyond the engineering of known enzymes and develop techniques that will enable the discovery of unknown enzymes for their subsequent modification. The impact of his work extends across many disciplines. His research has opened new doors for treating various diseases and introduced new research techniques. Among his achievements is an inhibitor with the potential to prevent the influenza virus from using its own enzymes to spread through the body. Improved treatments for diabetes and other diseases are also possible as well as new ways to synthesize complex sugars using engineered enzymes.

Dr. Withers completed his BSc and PhD at the University of Bristol and postdoctoral work at the University of Alberta and has been at UBC since 1982. In 2012, he was elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of London.





# Peter J. Zed

Associate Professor and Associate Dean, Practice Innovation  
Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences

## Patient Care Enhancement Award Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists

Dr. Peter Zed completed Bachelors of Science in Chemistry (Dalhousie) and Pharmacy (Memorial), and a Doctor of Pharmacy at the University of British Columbia in 1998. He then accepted the position of Pharmacotherapeutic Specialist, Emergency Medicine, at Vancouver General Hospital. He also served the UBC Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences as a Clinical Assistant Professor and then Clinical Associate Professor in the years 1998-2006, returning to UBC in 2011 as Associate Professor and Associate Dean for Practice Innovation. In the intervening years (2006-2011) Dr. Zed moved to Halifax to serve as Clinical Coordinator, Department of Pharmacy, and Pharmacotherapeutic Specialist, Emergency Medicine, for Queen Elizabeth II Health Sciences; and was Associate Professor in the College of Pharmacy and the Department of Emergency Medicine, Faculty of Medicine at Dalhousie University.

Dr. Zed has sustained a productive research program, publishing over 80 peer-reviewed papers and over 100 conference research abstracts. He has also recently been awarded the Top Pediatric Abstract Award at the Canadian Association of Emergency Physicians Annual Scientific Meeting. He has taught extensively to both undergraduate and graduate students as well as other health care professionals. He has won numerous awards including the Jessie I. MacKnight Award for Excellence in Teaching at Dalhousie University (a two-time recipient) and Preceptor of the Year Award for the UBC PharmD Program. This is his eighth National award from the Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists.

BoG Date	Faculty - Department	Name	Award/Distinction
JUNE 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Mechanical Engineering	de Silva, Clarence - Professor	Prof. de Silva has been honoured with a 2014-2015 Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies' Wall Scholars Research Award, which is given to up to sixteen UBC scholars at various stages of their careers. The award is aimed at enhancing opportunities for scholars to have regular and meaningful exchange of ideas, serving as catalyst for new research advances and collaborations.
JUNE 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Chemical and Biological Engineering	Wilkinson, David - Professor	Prof. Wilkinson has received the 2014 Grove Medal, awarded in honour of Sir William Grove, the inventor of the fuel cell. Prof. Wilkinson has been part of UBC's Department of Chemical and Biological Engineering for a decade, and before that spent nearly 15 years building and leading Ballard Power Systems' technological leadership in PEM fuel cells.
JUNE 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Civil Engineering	Banthia, Nemkumar (Nemy) - Professor	Prof. Banthia was awarded the 2013 Aftab Mufti Medal of the International Society for Structural Health Monitoring of Intelligent Infrastructure (ISHMII). The award recognizes Dr. Banthia's work in detecting corrosion in reinforced concrete bridges using active infrared thermography.
JUNE 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - School of Engineering, Okanagan	Sadiq, Rehan - Professor	Prof. Sadiq was named Researcher of the Year at UBC Okanagan's annual Celebrate Research Week. The award recognizes research excellence. Prof. Sadiq's work focuses on drinking water quality modelling, environmental risk assessment and decision-making, and asset management of civil infrastructure systems.
JUNE 2014	ARTS - Geography	Gregory, Derek - Professor	Prof. Gregory is the recipient of the 2014-15 Distinguished Professor Research Colloquia Award for: "The Contours of Later Modern War." (Prof. Gregory was appointed to a 5-year term as a Peter Wall Distinguished Professor in July 2011.)
JUNE 2014	ARTS - Psychology	Hamlin, Kiley - Assistant Professor	Prof. Hamlin has been honoured with the Janet Taylor Spence Award in recognition of her work on social and moral cognition in infancy. The Janet Taylor Spence Award is given by the Association for Psychological Science and recognizes transformative early career contributions to psychological science.
JUNE 2014	ARTS - Psychology / Vancouver School of Economics	Henrich, Joe - Professor	Prof. Henrich has been awarded a 2013 Peter and Charlotte Schoenenfeld Visiting Faculty Fellowship at the NYU Stern School of Business.
JUNE 2014	ARTS - Psychology / Vancouver School of Economics	Henrich, Joe - Professor	Prof. Henrich has been awarded the 2013 Margo Wilson Award for Best Paper in Evolution and Human Behavior, by the Human Behavior and Evolution Society.
JUNE 2014	ARTS - Sociology	Ghaziani, Amin - Associate Professor	Prof. Ghaziani has been honoured with a 2014-2015 Peter Wall Institute for Advanced Studies' Wall Scholars Research Award, which is given to up to sixteen UBC scholars at various stages of their careers. The award is aimed at enhancing opportunities for scholars to have regular and meaningful exchange of ideas, serving as catalyst for new research advances and collaborations.
JUNE 2014	EDUCATION - Curriculum and Pedagogy	Grimmett, Peter - Professor	Prof. Grimmett has been honoured with the CATE Award for Contributions to Research in Teacher Education. The award, created by the Canadian Society for the Study of Education (CSSE) is in recognition of significant contributions to research in Teacher Education in Canada. Criteria for the award include evidence of excellence in research in Teacher Education through publications, presentations or other contributions, as well as overall influence on the field of Teacher Education research in Canada and internationally.

JUNE 2014	LAW	Duff, David - Professor	Prof. Duff was honoured with the Alumni Award for Research at the UBC Law Alumni Association Achievement Awards Gala held on April 30. The Alumni Award for Research recognizes a fulltime member of the Faculty of Law at UBC whose research achievements have advanced the Faculty's reputation as a leading research institution.
JUNE 2014	MEDICINE - Medical Genetics	Simpson, Elizabeth M. - Professor	Prof. Simpson is the recipient of the Genome BC Award for Scientific Excellence from the LifeSciences British Columbia for 2014. The award honours an individual, group or company that has received significant international recognition in the fields of genomics, proteomics, bioinformatics or systems biology in 2013.
JUNE 2014	MEDICINE - Medicine	Webb, John - Professor	Prof. Webb has been honoured with the Innovation and Achievement Award from the LifeSciences British Columbia for 2014. The award is presented to a scientist who has been responsible for the creation of breakthrough intellectual property in 2013, which has led to a potential commercial application of relevance whether that be a technology or a product.
JUNE 2014	MEDICINE - Medicine	Brunham, Robert C. - Professor	Prof. Brunham received the Dr. Don Rix Award for Lifetime Achievement from the LifeSciences British Columbia for 2014. The award is presented to an individual in celebration of an outstanding career in the life sciences.
JUNE 2014	SCIENCE - Chemistry	Withers, Steve - Professor	Prof. Withers has been awarded the 2014 Killam Research Fellowship from the Canada Council for the Arts. Prof. Withers is a world leader in the emerging field of engineering carbohydrate-modifying enzymes. The Fellowships support scholars engaged in research projects of outstanding merit and widespread interest in the humanities, social sciences, natural sciences, health sciences, engineering and interdisciplinary studies within these fields.
JUNE 2014	SCIENCE - Computer Science	Leyton-Brown, Kevin - Associate Professor	Prof. Leyton-Brown is the recipient of the 2013 Canadian Association of Computer Science (CASC/AIC) Outstanding Young Computer Science Researcher Prize. The award recognizes young computer science faculty members at Canadian universities within 10 years of their Ph.D who have made significant contributions in their research careers. Prof. Leyton-Brown was one of three eligible Canadian computer scientists who were selected for the prize.
JUNE 2014	SCIENCE - Earth, Ocean and Atmospheric Sciences	Scott Smith, Barbara - Adjunct Professor	Prof. Smith has been awarded the Geological Association of Canada (GAC) Duncan R. Derry Medal in recognition of her contributions to the success of diamond exploration and mining in Canada and training of Canadian kimberlite geologists. This highest distinction of the GAC's Mineral Deposits Division is awarded annually to the outstanding economic geologist in Canada in recognition of the skill and stature as a professional economic geologist and also for public contributions to the science field.
JUNE 2014	SCIENCE - Physics and Astronomy	Richer, Harvey - Professor	Prof. Richer has been awarded the Carlyle S. Beals Award. The award was first established by the Canadian Astronomical Society (CASCA) in 1981 in recognition of the groundbreaking research of the late C.S. Beals. The Beals Prize to a Canadian astronomer or an astronomer working in Canada, in recognition of outstanding achievement in research (either as a specific achievement or as a lifetime of research). The recipient shall be invited to address the Society at its Annual Meeting. To be considered for the award, nominees must be current CASCA members.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Electrical and Computer Engineering	Chrostowski, Lukas - Assistant Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Students and colleagues describe Dr. Chrostowski's commitment to teaching and learning, his bringing a lively, creative mind to the design of courses and his tireless work to deliver them with innovative, hands-on teaching methods. His courses and methods have become models for teaching photonic circuit design across Canada.
June 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Mechanical Engineering	Feng, Hsi-Yung (Steve) - Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Teaching mechanical engineering manufacturing at a university can be challenging, in maintaining a balance between academic rigour and industrial relevance, but Dr. Feng uses humour and real-world examples to create engaging lectures. He is lauded for his passion about his subject matter and ability to inspire students through innovative activities.
June 2014	ARTS - Psychology	Assanand, Sunaina - Instructor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Assanand has developed a reputation for being an outstanding teacher, dedicated to fostering the success of her students. In the classroom she cultivates critical thinking and inspires student learning; outside the classroom she creates community service learning opportunities here and in Africa. One student perhaps said it best when stating that their experience with her has been nothing short of transformative.
June 2014	ARTS - Sociology	Ghaziani, Amin - Assistant Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Students praise Professor Ghaziani's "contagious intellect" and his exceptional, "enriching" and "refreshing" abilities to teach difficult courses with dynamism and clarity. His colleagues attest to his "stellar contributions" to curriculum design and development. A demanding yet inspirational presence in the classroom, Professor Ghaziani is described by one student as a "superhero" who should "wear a cape to class."
June 2014	ARTS - Social Work	Jones, Elizabeth - Instructor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Jones is praised by students and colleagues as an exceptionally committed, mindful and creative instructor. One colleague states that her "walk-the-talk" approach is motivating not only for students but other instructors; she is "an exemplar of signature pedagogy" and influential in the broader community.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	ARTS - Vancouver School of Economics	Marmer, Vadim - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Marmer's students consistently reward him with evaluations well above the departmental average. Beyond the classroom, colleagues speak highly of his expertise in econometrics and his devotion to sharing this with his peers, and members of the UBC Economics community rely on Dr. Marmer for guidance and mentorship.
June 2014	ARTS - English	Mota, Miguel - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. An outstanding teacher of contemporary British literature, students praise Dr. Mota as "kind," "compassionate," "tremendously engaging," "respectful," and "full of wit." A colleague notes that as a program chair he is "a problem solver who is ingenious and eminently sane."
June 2014	ARTS - Music	Taylor, Robert - Assistant Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Taylor has "galvanized new excitement and achievement" in performance, conducting, and music education at the School of Music. One student commented, "I am blown away by Dr. Taylor's commitment", while another notes that Dr. Taylor's "creative methods have helped me become a better musician.". He represents "the absolute best of distinguished faculty" at UBC.
June 2014	ARTS - Geography	Brown, Loch - Instructor I	2013/14 USI Teaching and Learning Fellow - awarded by the UBC Sustainability Initiative, the USI Teaching & Learning Fellows guide the advancement of sustainability education at UBC, within individual disciplines and across the university as a whole.
June 2014	ARTS / FORESTRY - Sociology / Forest Resources Management	Tindall, David - Associate Professor	2013/14 USI Teaching and Learning Fellow - awarded by the UBC Sustainability Initiative, the USI Teaching & Learning Fellows guide the advancement of sustainability education at UBC, within individual disciplines and across the university as a whole.



<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	EDUCATION - Educational Studies	Gill, Hartej - Assistant Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Gill has transformed many aspects of the Educational Administration and Leadership Program. Her orientation towards community engagement and building mutually-beneficial and respectful relations is evident in everything she does. She assists students in addressing difficult issues such as marginalization and social justice in an exemplary way.
June 2014	EDUCATION - Curriculum and Pedagogy	Milner-Bolotin, Marina - Assistant Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Milner-Bolotin is well known for her huge passion for science and math education. She models life-long learning and inspires future educators to think creatively and critically about complex topics. A proponent of peer instruction and problem-based learning, she designs inquiry-based learning environments with openness to new ideas and an active pursuit of knowledge.
June 2014	FORESTRY - Wood Science	Kozak, Robert - Professor and Department Head	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Kozak has demonstrated an unquestioned dedication to teaching throughout his career at UBC, consistently ranked by students at the very top of the teaching evaluations in the Faculty. His commitment to developing and fostering critical-thinking skills in his students prepares them for success both in his classes and in tackling real-world problems related to stewardship of natural resources.
June 2014	GRADUATE & POST-DOCTORAL STUDIES / EDUCATION	Butler, Joy - Associate Professor, Curriculum & Pedagogy	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Butler is lauded for her innovative, effective approaches, her responsiveness to student needs, and her passion for teaching. Dr. Butler pioneered a Master's cohort for Physical Education teachers that entirely changed the department's approach to graduate instruction in Physical Education, Health and Recreation. She consistently demonstrates a devotion to her students' learning that goes above and beyond the call of duty.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	LAND AND FOOD SYSTEMS	Weary, Dan - Professor	Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Weary is committed to engaging students in student-centered learning. He has mentored 60 undergraduates and has been a driving force in graduate education. He has established an enthusiastic and supportive rapport with his students, and his success as an educator is reflected in his teaching evaluations, which rank among the highest in the Faculty.
June 2014	LAW	Benedet, Janine - Associate Professor; Director, Centre for Feminist Legal Studies	Received the George Curtis Memorial Award for Teaching Excellence for 2013-14, from the Faculty of Law at the Faculty's Graduation Dinner on 29 March 2014.
June 2014	LAW	Benedet, Janine - Associate Professor; Director, Centre for Feminist Legal Studies	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Professor Benedet's students describe her as an exceptional teacher who encourages critical thinking about the law and its broader impact on society. She is always thoroughly prepared and adept at communicating complex issues in an accessible manner. Beyond the classroom, whether as Director of the Centre for Feminist Legal Studies, research supervisor, or in her advocacy work with community organizations, she is always ready to serve as a generous and attentive mentor for students.
June 2014	MEDICINE - School of Population and Public Health	Buxton, Jane - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. In addition to serving as an Associate Professor and Practicum Director of the Master of Public Health program, Dr. Buxton is also director of the UBC second-year MD undergraduate public health course, she serves on the Royal College examination board, and she chairs the Royal College Public Health and Preventive Medicine Specialty Committee. She is a much-loved and well-respected teacher.
June 2014	MEDICINE - Biochemistry & Molecular Biology (Joint appointment with Chemistry)	McIntosh, Lawrence - Professor	Received the Award for Excellence in Mentoring Early Career Faculty from the Faculty of Medicine for 2014; the award recognizes 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.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	MEDICINE - Medical Genetics	Conibear, Elizabeth - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Conibear is consistently praised for promoting an open and active learning environment, her creative use of multimedia approaches and her commitment to graduate mentorship. Her participation in outreach programs in Africa and South America have brought recognition and prestige to UBC and have ultimately enhanced her students' learning experiences.
June 2014	MEDICINE - Cellular and Physiological Sciences	Mason, Barry - Instructor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Mason is committed to excellence in teaching and strives to help students learn challenging areas of physiology so that their acquired knowledge becomes intuitive and relevant to their lives. His varied learning styles, development of dynamic and creative learning sessions and his belief that learning is a collaborative effort between teacher and student, make him an exemplary teacher at UBC.
June 2014	MEDICINE - Medicine	Wong, Graham - Clinical Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Wong's teaching style and likeable personality have identified him as one of the most passionate teachers in the Division of Cardiology. Teaching evaluations have produced comments such as "Dr. Wong has been the single greatest influence in my medical career to date" and "Learning from him is enjoyable, informative and stimulating. He is able to explain complex concepts very simply so you understand and remember it."
June 2014	SAUDER SCHOOL - Operations and Logistics	Huh, Tim - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Huh has regularly received outstanding teaching evaluations despite large classes. Students' comments consistently focus on Dr. Huh's classroom energy, passion, and love of teaching, but also on the ease with which they can connect with him outside of the classroom. Dr. Huh devotes a considerable amount of time to mentoring junior faculty members and doctoral students.
June 2014	SCIENCE - Chemistry	Addison, Chris - Instructor & Director of Science One	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Addison is an approachable and dynamic teacher who strives to improve students' critical thinking abilities and show them the application of chemistry to other subjects and the real world. He creates a positive learning atmosphere that encourages students to ask questions and participate in class.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	SCIENCE - Computer Science	Carter, Paul - Professor of Teaching	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Carter is a dedicated educator who expertly implements innovative teaching methods to help students maximize their learning. He is deliberate and systematic about the design of his courses and how he engages students. His students are challenged and their learning is supported with technology and in-class activities.
June 2014	SCIENCE - Zoology	Leander, Brian - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Leander is a passionate teacher whose expert use of visual aids and unrelenting enthusiasm engages his entire class, even at 8:00 am! His students appreciate his positive energy, enjoy learning the real-world applications of zoology, and know that Dr. Leander cares about their learning, considering him to be a mentor.
June 2014	SCIENCE - Computer Science	Leyton-Brown, Kevin - Associate Professor	2013/14 Killam Teaching Prize. Dr. Leyton-Brown is an innovative educator with a probing style that draws students into the classroom conversation as he brilliantly facilitates their discussions. His commitment to learning and drive to innovate has had tremendous impact within and beyond UBC and he is on the leading edge of open online course pedagogy at this university.
June 2014	SCIENCE - Chemistry	McIntosh, Lawrence - Professor	Faculty of Medicine Award for Excellence in Mentoring Early Career Faculty.
June 2014	UBC-O ARTS - Psychology	Cioe, Jan - Associate Professor	Outstanding Professor Award given by the Psychology Student Union. This is an annual award recognizing teaching contributions.
June 2014	UBC-O APPLIED SCIENCE - School of Engineering	Cao, Yang - Senior Instructor	2013-2014 Pioneer Award for Excellence in Teaching. This award is presented annually at the second-year design competition to a faculty member, as voted by students, who demonstrates excellence in teaching.
June 2014	UBC-O Health & Social Development - Nursing	Rush, Kathy - Associate Professor	2014 College of Registered Nurses of British Columbia (CRNBC) Award of Excellence in Nursing Education. This award is given to honour outstanding contributions to nursing education and the profession of nursing, exemplifying professional responsibilities and accountability.

<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
June 2014	UBC-O Health & Social Development - Nursing	Rush, Kathy - Associate Professor	Teaching Honour Roll Award Recipient - 2012-2013. Awarded to instructors achieving among the top 10% of scores on Teaching Effectiveness Questionnaires.
June 2014	UBC-O Health & Social Development - Nursing	Taylor, Bonny - Instructor I	Teaching Honour Roll Award Recipient - 2012-2013. Awarded to instructors achieving among the top 10% of scores on Teaching Effectiveness Questionnaires.
June 2014	UBC-O Health & Social Development - Nursing	Bassett-Smith, Joan - Professor Emeritus	Teaching Honour Roll Award Recipient - 2012-2013. Awarded to instructors achieving among the top 10% of scores on Teaching Effectiveness Questionnaires.
June 2014	UBC-O Health & Social Development - Nursing	Reekie, Manuela - Instructor I	Teaching Honour Roll Award Recipient - 2012-2013. Awarded to instructors achieving among the top 10% of scores on Teaching Effectiveness Questionnaires.



<b>BoG Date</b>	<b>Faculty - Department</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Award/Distinction</b>
JUNE 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Electrical and Computer Engineering	Ward, Rabab - Professor	Dr. Ward will serve as the IEEE Signal Processing Society's President in 2016-2017. The Signal and Processing Society is the world's premier professional society for signal processing scientists and professionals, with more than 15,000 members worldwide. It is an international organization that disseminates state-of-the-art scientific information and resources; educates the signal processing community; and provides a venue for people to interact and exchange ideas.
June 2014	APPLIED SCIENCE - Civil Engineering	Elwood, Kenneth - Professor	Received the American Concrete Institute Delmar L. Bloem Distinguished Achievement Award for outstanding leadership of Committee 369, Seismic Repair and Rehabilitation.
June 2014	ARTS - Sociology	Martin-Matthews, Anne - Professor	Distinguished Member award, Canadian Association on Gerontology - CAG's highest honour.
June 2014	ARTS - Sociology	Ross, Becki - Professor	Harry Lyman Hooker Distinguished Visiting Professor Fellowship, McMaster University.
June 2014	EDUCATION - School of Kinesiology	Tania Lam - Associate Professor	Rick Hansen "Difference Maker" award, recognizing individuals who have made a significant impact in the area of accessibility, researchers who have advanced discoveries related to SCI research, community leaders and youth who have put "service above self" to make an extraordinary difference in the lives of others.
June 2014	FORESTRY - Forest and Conservation Sciences	Feller, Michael - Professor Emeritus	2014 BC Community Achievement Awards, recognizing and celebrating the spirit, imagination, dedication and contribution of British Columbians to their communities (Richmond).

BoG Date	Faculty - Department	Name	Award/Distinction
June 2014	LAW	Rauch, Sarah - Lecturer and Director of the Indigenous Community Legal Clinic	<i>Courage in Law Award</i> from the Indigenous Law Students Association on April 3, 2014. Each year the ILSA presents this award to three deserving members of the legal community. Recipients of the award are champions who display the highest ideals of the legal community with respect to the advancement of legal services for Indigenous peoples and fostering diversity within the legal profession.
June 2014	MEDICINE - Family Practice	Taunton, Jack - Professor	Inducted to the SFU Clan Athletics Hall of Fame for 2014; recognizing outstanding performance and achievements as a builder in the field of sports medicine.
June 2014	MEDICINE - Medicine	Paré, Peter - Professor	Received the Bill and Marilyn Webber Lifetime Achievement Award from the Faculty of Medicine for 2014; recognizing extraordinary members of the Faculty of Medicine who have sustained distinguished careers at UBC.
June 2014	PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES	Zed, Peter - Associate Professor and Associate Dean, Practice Innovation	Patient Care Enhancement Award from the Canadian Society of Hospital Pharmacists.
June 2014	PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES	Leung, Larry - Lecturer Min, Jason - Lecturer	Premier Christie Clark presented Larry Leung and Jason Min with the 2014 BC Community Achievement Award, on behalf of the Achievement Foundation. They were recognized as individuals who have made a significant contribution either as volunteers or in the course of their work.