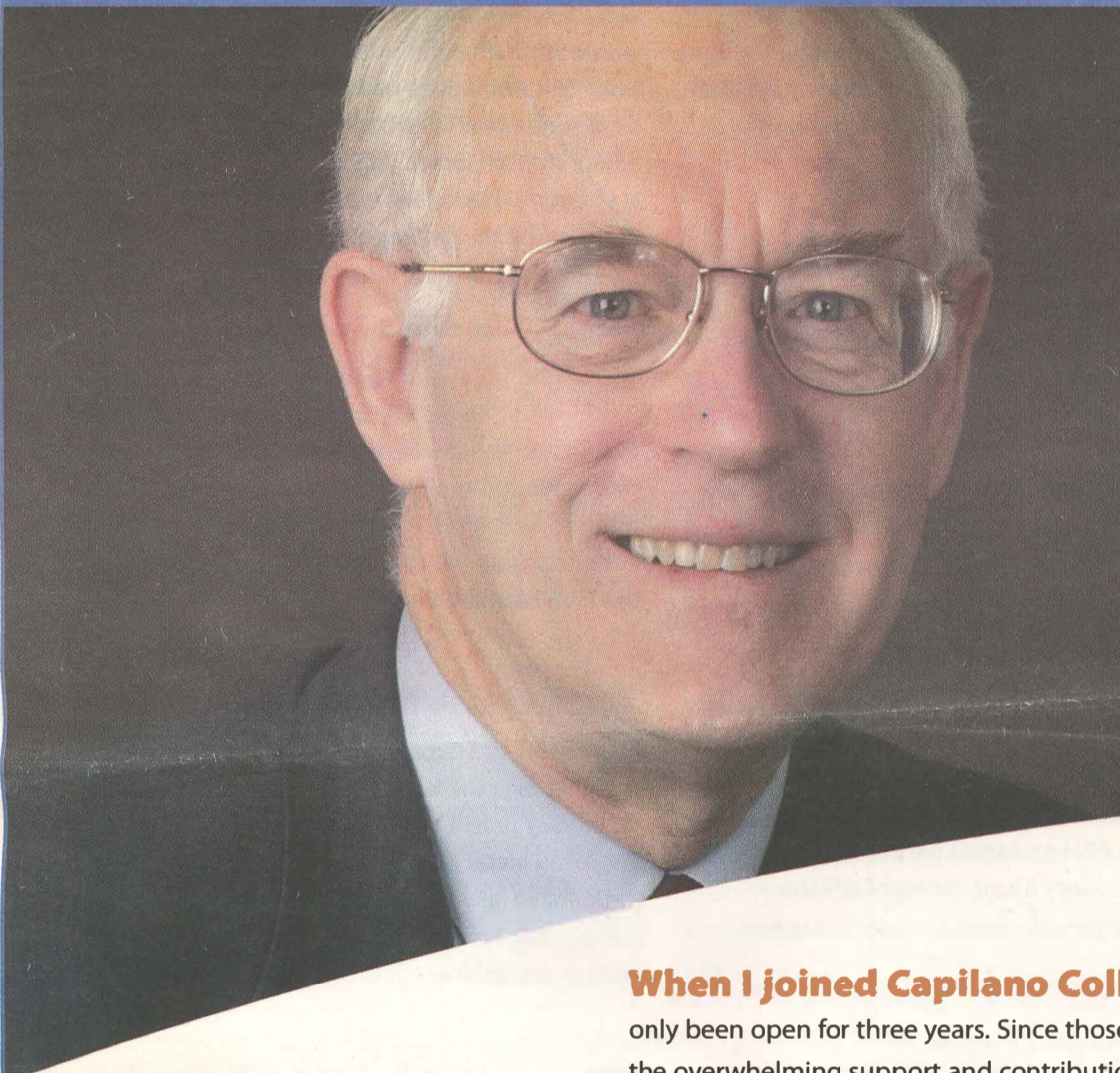


# Celebrating 40 years

## Capilano University

### President's Service Awards



**Greg F. Lee, PhD**  
President, Capilano University

**When I joined Capilano College** 37 years ago, it was a very young college that had only been open for three years. Since those early days, I have been profoundly moved by the overwhelming support and contributions that have been offered to Capilano from numerous individuals and organizations. Each and every one has made an enormous difference to the success of the institution and to the achievements of our students.

This year marks the 40<sup>th</sup> since we first opened our doors and we felt the time was opportune for us to do something special for all those who have helped us and our students over the years. On November 15 we held the 2008 President's Service Awards at our North Vancouver campus, where we recognized those citizens, groups and organizations that have helped to further Capilano University's mission of enabling student success.

The names of the recipients were put forward through a public consultation process that was held several months ago. While the list is extensive, I recognize that it is by no means complete. The number of people and organizations who have helped us over the past 40 years is enormous. And so, to all those whose names are listed in this paper, and to all those whose names do not appear, please accept my deepest appreciation for your past and ongoing support. Your contributions and their importance to our students and alumni are invaluable and I remain extremely grateful.

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# Awards Recipients Organizations



## Bardel Entertainment

Bardel Entertainment, an established Vancouver animation firm, has supported Capilano University's Commercial Animation program for the past 15 years through the provision of scholarships and career placements and by mentoring students.



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## Canada Council for the Arts

For three decades, the Canada Council for the Arts has been a generous supporter of Capilano University's award-winning literary and arts magazine, *The Capilano Review*.



## Carnegie Centre

The unique partnership between Capilano University, the Carnegie Community Centre Association and the City of Vancouver's Social Planning department provides learning opportunities to residents of Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. This joint venture enables the University to reach out into the community beyond its traditional realm.



## Circle Craft Cooperative

Circle Craft, which promotes the wares of B.C. artisans, provides Capilano University's Textile Arts program with scholarships, as well as high-visibility gallery space for students' work.



## Coast Imaging Arts

Coast Imaging Arts, a colour reproduction firm, provides significant pre-press support to Capilano University's Illustration/Design: Elements & Applications (IDEA) program's highly-successful annual student *Reflections* calendar fundraising project.



## Eldercollege

Eldercollege is a unique learning model that offers educational opportunities to elder citizens that reflect their intellectual commitment to lifelong learning. This amazing style of co-learning is sustained by a committed group of volunteers who contribute a lifetime of skills and knowledge developed in their professional and community roles.



## Evergreen House

Since 1982, Evergreen House (EGH) has welcomed Capilano University's Resident Care Attendant students in clinical placements at its Lion's Gate Hospital facility. Additionally, EGH managers participate on the program's Advisory Board, mentor Capilano students and provide guest lectures at Capilano University.



Society of Graphic Designers of Canada  
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## Graphic Designers of Canada

Canada's national graphic design association, the Graphic Designers of Canada, supports Capilano's IDEA program through scholarships and career and mentoring opportunities.



## KARO Group

An interdisciplinary creative design agency, the KARO Group recognizes excellence in Capilano University IDEA students by providing scholarships and ongoing career placements.



## Kawai Pianos

Kawai has consistently provided high-quality pianos to support Capilano University music programs, and significantly discounted the price of a world-class concert grand piano for Capilano's Performing Arts Theatre. In 1994, Kawai established an annual scholarship for the University's music students. These funds were matched by the provincial government.



## Lil'wat Nation

As one of Capilano's most enduring community partners, the Lil'wat Nation's strong commitment to education and training has resulted in the development of courses that serve all First Nation's learners in the region. With help from the University in securing funding, the Ts'zil Learning Centre opened in 1995.



## Literacy BC

Literacy BC and Capilano University have worked together over the last decade to develop programs for literacy practitioners and learners that have improved literacy levels throughout B.C. The partnership also developed the acclaimed online community, *The Hub*, that provides resources for literacy practitioners in the province.



## Long & McQuade

Long & McQuade is a long-serving and generous supporter of Capilano University's music program, providing print music, instruments and expert instrument servicing.



## North Shore Credit Union

The North Shore Credit Union has been an historic employer of Capilano University graduates and a supporter of Capilano School of Business initiatives. The Credit Union is the major sponsor of *Creating Connections*, a networking event organized by University students to connect with members of the business community.

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**North Shore News**

The North Shore News has been a loyal and long-standing partner of Capilano University, sponsoring a wide range of events and providing extensive coverage of University programs and student and employee successes. In addition, the newspaper provides the institution with thousands of dollars of in-kind advertising each year.



**North Vancouver Chamber of Commerce**

For many years, the North Vancouver Chamber has been a committed supporter of Capilano University School of Business programs. Its members also provide professional mentorship to the University's students.

**Open University**

In the late '60s, the Open University partnered with colleges, such as Capilano College, that had strong diploma programs. The partnership improved access for students to complete degrees and helped to launch Capilano College's Music Therapy degree program in 1990. Additional joint degree programs followed and their success led to Capilano offering degrees in its own right.



**Sechelt Nation**

The Education department of the Sechelt Nation has worked closely with Capilano University's Sunshine Coast campus to develop and implement programs that engage First Nation's learners in the region. These programs have made an enormous contribution to the success of the Sunshine Coast campus.



**Sharpe Sound Studios Inc.**

Sharpe Sound Studios supports Capilano University's Motion Picture Production program by providing world-class facilities and technicians for student projects. Because of Sharpe's generosity, Capilano University students deliver high-quality work that is of industry standard.



**Simon Fraser University**

Over the years, thousands of Capilano University students have transitioned successfully to Simon Fraser University to further their studies.



**Squamish Nation**

The Squamish Nation and Capilano University's historic and respectful partnership began with securing provincial government funding for First Nation's college preparatory programs, and has expanded to include a variety of programs in business, university transfer and film studies. Visionary Squamish Nation education coordinators focus on developing educational opportunities for all First Nation's students attending the University.



**St. Catherine's Anglican Church**

St. Catherine's Anglican Church has opened its doors to Capilano University's Community Music School students for more than 15 years. Its welcoming employees and volunteers ensure the continued success of the Community Music School.



**Studio B Productions**

Capilano University's Commercial Animation department students have been longterm beneficiaries of Studio B's scholarships, practicums, guest lectures and studio tours.



**Total Graphics Inc.**

Total Graphics Inc. provides substantial pre-press support to the IDEA program's annual calendar fundraising program.



**Tourism Vancouver**

For the past decade, Tourism Vancouver has supported Capilano University's Tourism Management Co-op program by delivering exceptional workplace learning experiences to Capilano students. Additionally, Tourism Vancouver has extended an opportunity for Capilano University students to participate in a paid practicum in visitor centres operated by Tourism Vancouver during the Vancouver 2010 Olympic and Paralympic Winter Games.



**Tsleil-Waututh Nation**

The Tsleil-Waututh Nation continues to build a strong relationship with Capilano University in the design of courses and programs of benefit to First Nation's students in the region.



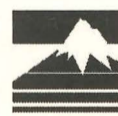
**University of British Columbia**

The University of British Columbia has accepted thousands of Capilano students into programs to further their studies.



**Vancouver Trolley Company**

Started by two Capilano alumni, the Vancouver Trolley Company is a consistent employer of Capilano University Tourism Management graduates seeking co-op work placements. President and CEO, Jim Storie, provides ongoing opportunities for students to network with industry professionals.



**West Vancouver Chamber of Commerce**

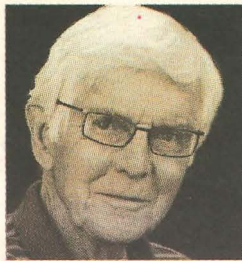
A long-standing partner with Capilano University, the West Vancouver Chamber's members support Capilano University business initiatives and provide students with career advice and mentoring opportunities.

# Awards Recipients Individuals



**Linda Carney**

A posthumous recipient, Linda Carney was part of a dedicated group that lobbied for a Capilano Squamish campus. She served on the Capilano College Board and was the first chair of the Squamish Campus Advisory Committee. In her memory, the Linda Carney Access Centre, which houses computers for students and the community to access Capilano's library services, opened in 2002.



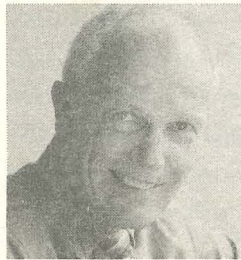
**Peter Jones**

Regarded as the founding father of Capilano College, Peter was chair of the committee that pursued the establishment of a community college on the North Shore. He became the chair of the first College Council when Capilano opened in 1968. His vision for education on the North Shore led to the growth of the vibrant institution that Capilano University is today.



**Bill Manson**

Bill Manson is a founding member of the Capilano College Board and past member of the Squamish Campus Advisory Committee. A long-serving volunteer in the Squamish community, Bill provided funds and actively fundraised to support the development of the Squamish campus.



**Daryl Collier**

A tireless and passionate advocate for Capilano, Daryl dedicated 30 years of service to the Capilano College and Foundation Boards. In addition to providing legal advice in the reorganization of the Foundation Board structure, he was an exemplary fundraiser, playing a key role in the institution's first major fundraising initiative for the Sportsplex.



**Jeri Krogseth**

Jeri believes passionately in the importance of education in helping people achieve their personal and professional goals. For the past 17 years, Jeri has been involved in the Capilano Foundation raising funds for students, and is currently the president of the Capilano University Foundation Board. She continuously engages individuals and companies in the support of students and she does this with a positive and enduring commitment. Jeri has successfully built the largest endowment fund in the history of Capilano Athletics.



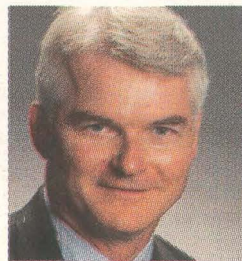
**Hilda Rizun**

An unwavering and determined advocate for the development of the Squamish campus, Hilda was appointed to the Capilano College Board in 1975 and served for 13 years, including seven as chair. Her dedicated and extraordinary leadership helped shape Capilano during some of its most formative years.



**Dee Daniels**

Acclaimed jazz vocalist Dee Daniels was the first performer at Capilano's Performing Arts Theatre and has been an important supporter of the institution's music programs ever since. The founding member of the Capilano Jazz Series, she established the Dee Daniels Jazz Vocal Scholarship in 2001 and generously offers complimentary voice lessons to recipients of these awards.



**Peter Leitch**

Chair of the Motion Picture Production Industry Association of B.C., Peter provides enormous support to Capilano University's Motion Picture Production program, acting as a mentor and providing guidance and advice. The president of North Shore Studios and Mammoth Studios, Peter plays an important role in introducing Capilano students to key industry and government contacts.



**Robin Wilson**

Principal of Whitewater Communications, Robin's guidance was instrumental in Capilano College achieving university designation. As a former chair of the Capilano College Board, her knowledge of the institution was critical in the campaign's success.



**Sue Jackel**

A member of the Sunshine Coast Campus Advisory Committee for the past decade, including four years as chair, Sue has devoted an enormous amount of energy to the promotion of Capilano in the community. Sue has taught in the Eldercollege program since the late '90s.



**Naomi Yamamoto**

The president and GM of the North Vancouver Chamber of Commerce, Naomi served as Capilano College Board chair from 1997 to 2001, providing solid leadership through crucial years. As a highly-respected North Shore business person, her ability to advance Capilano's interests locally was extraordinary.