Concurrent Session Schedule: Saturday March 11, 2023

Session A: 8:30-10:00am

Location:	Theme:	Presentations:	Abstract Title:	Chair of Session:
B101	Jobs in Geography	Dr. Tom Waldichuk, Dr. Garry Fehr, Blake Collings & Daniel Huesken	What to do with a Geography Degree: Jobs and Other Possibilities	Dr. Tom Waldichuk
В 132	Food & Agriculture	Dr. Rob Newell	Community-based research for supporting integrated food systems planning: Insights from three studies in British Columbia	Dr. Rob Newell
		Alex Glaros	Vertical agriculture in the Lower Mainland, British Columbia: Considerations for food system sustainability and resilience	
		Jofri Issac	A systems thinking approach to examine local food systems planning through a climate-biodiversity-health lens: A Comox Valley case study	
		Mohaddese Ghadiri	An integrated Climate-Biodiversity-Health framework to improve food systems' sustainability	
B140	Health & Accessibility	Keone Gourlay	A Neighbourhood for Everyone: GIS Analysis of Neighbourhood Walkability for People Living With Dementia in Prince George, BC with the DemSCAPE Project	Dr. Mark Groulx
		Mikhaila Carr	Parks, Accessibly Spaces and Storytelling	
		Dr. Mark Groulx	Not for All: Barriers to universal accessibility in outdoor nature spaces across British Columbia, Canada	
B161	Permafrost & Montane Environments	Apryl Nish	Dry vs. moist sites in a montane valley within Waterton Lakes National Park after the Kenow fire	Dr. Olav Lian
		Madeleine Garibaldi	Modelling the impact of surface lapse rate changes on mountain permafrost distribution in four dissimilar valleys in Yukon	
		Nick Noad	Elevational air temperature patterns and implications for permafrost in Northcentral Yukon, Canada	
		Ria Nicholson	Detection and validation of permafrost in the heterogeneous mountain landscape of the Yukon Territories	

Session B: 10:30am-12pm

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B101	Perspectives on Health pt.1	Olivia Nieves	Exploring sexually transmitted infection risks among Canadian snowbirds: A study overview	Dr. Valorie Crooks
		Steinunn Jonatansdottir	Being so close: The relational environment of rural nursing	
		Benjamin Lartey	Campaign Organizer and Recipient Perspectives on Ethics of Privacy in Charitable Crowdfunding	
		Jaimy Fischer	From positive change to pandemic pause? Evaluating how investments in safe and connected bicycle facilities impact ridership and gender equity in Victoria, BC	
B132	Community Development & Resilience	Dr. Afia Raja	Tactical Urbanism for Mission Waterfront Development	Dr. Afia Raja
		Cyan LeMoal	Touring Rural Downtowns: Analyzing the Success of Neighboring Kootenay Communities	
		Dr. Talha Qadri	Linking Ambient Noise Analysis with the Sustainable City Planning: Looking Backward to Moving Forward	
		Scott Brown	Planning for Place at the Table, Local Food Systems and Community Resilience: A Comparative Case Study of Terrace and Prince Rupert, BC	
B140	Education in Geography	Crystal Huscroft	Supporting first-year research experiences and external conference presentation within an introductory physical geography course for majors and non-majors	Crystal Huscroft
		Emma Bowick	Lessons from Creative Uncertainty - building a new normal in post- COVID classrooms	
		Daniel Brendle-Moczuk & Dr. Craig Coburn	To be (continued) or not to be? Western Geography, the scholarly journal of the WDCAG	
B161	Water Resources	Wyatt Maddox	Rip-Rap Wave Attack!	Carolyn Atkins
		Jordan Prior	Examining the Environmental Drivers of Sediment Carbon within the Eelgrass Meadows of Clayoquot Sound, BC	
		Melina Sorensen	Predicting the Ecotoxicological Impacts of Microplastics in the Northern Salish Sea: A Novel Approach to Marine Risk Assessment using GIS	
		Megan Howe	Micro Hydropower in British Columbia	

Session C: 1 -2:30pm

Location:	Theme:	Presentations:	Abstract Title:	Chair of Session:
B101	Perspectives on Health pt.2	Tyler Cole	Qualitatively Evaluating the Rapid Rollout of Telehealth in Long- Term Care During COVID-19 in BC	Dr. Valorie Crooks
		Ashmita Grewal	Abortion Related Crowdfunding Post-Dodds	
		Leah Coppella	Resistance & Resilience at Home: Girls, trans, & non-binary youth using sound for sexual wellbeing boundary-making	
		Alishia Lindsay	Straining to accommodate an aging population: Exploring the characteristics of people entering long-term care	
B132	Tourism	Amy Abdel-Malak	Staying afloat during COVID-19: How BC whale-watching operators weathered the shifting regulations	Jennifer Hetherington
		Dr. Patrick Buckley	Multi-Regional CGE database construction: Hawaii and Tourism	
		Heidi Wismath	Assessing and Evaluating Representations of BC in Tourism	
		Yihang Zhang	Pairing partner needs with visitor feedback: Exploring tourism and virtual tourism, in Tumbler Ridge, BC	
B140	Environment & Conservation	Breanna Gueldner	Comprehensive review of gaps and opportunities in the sustainable fashion sector in the Lower Mainland	Dr. Stefania Pizzirani
		Dr. Tom Waldichuk	A review of <i>Kappa</i> : From mythical creature to festival mascot and a promoter of places and natural landscapes in Japan	
		Madeleine Fisher	Protecting the Unseen: The Resiliency of Cold-Water Corals in the Lofoten Archipelago, Norway	
		Benjamin Haagerty	Sharing the results of a Masters on vegan business in Kitsilano and Mount Pleasant	
B161	Remote Sensing & GIS	Dr. Scott Shupe	Exploring Geomorphology in 3D: the spectacular landscapes of Utah	Dr. Scott Shupe
		Jessica Craig	Applying Historical Air Photos in a Web Map to Assist Local Conservation Efforts in the Somenos Marsh Area	
		Ashling Redmond	Solar energy considerations in urban planning: The conflict between solar potential and densification	

Session D: 3-4:30pm

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B132	Policy	Dr. Don Alexander	Conservation Authorities, the Ontario Greenbelt, and the Challenges They Face from Doug Ford Government	Dr. Don Alexander
		Will Hanlon	A Journey Without a Map: The impact of Brexit on the Crown Dependencies of Jersey, Guernsey, and the Isle of Man	
		Jessica Froese	Into the Deep: Justice and Gender in Norwegian Fisheries Policy	
B140	Culture & Wellbeing	Shane Doddridge	Spatial and Temporal Dimensions of Tŝilhqot'in Place Name Heritage	Dr. J Hughes
		Md Abdur Rashid	Forced to Bhashan Char: Rohingya Refugees and the Climate and Humanitarian Crisis in Bangladesh	
		Lawrenz Decano	"Almost a City": Understanding and Planning for Refugee Movement to the City Informed By The Context of Nairobi, Kenya	
		Richard Darko	Mobilizing Through Local Agency to Support Place-based Economic Transition: A Case Study of Tumbler Ridge, BC	
B161	Climate Change Impacts	Dr. Mariano Mapili	Extreme Heat Risk Maps - tools for climate resilience planning in the City of Mission	Dr. Talha Qadri
		Morgan King	Assessing Current Literature on Climate Change Risks and Resiliency of the Okanagan Wine Industry	,
		Sierra De Buysscher-Nailor	The impact of climate change on western honeybee: an analysis of health and habitat	
		Mackenzie Ostberg	Melting peaks: Resilience in the alpine tourism industries of the Canadian Rockies and Swiss Alps	