

## Accommodations

### **Reservation Deadline: September 14.**

We will be staying at the Coast Plaza Hotel, strategically located a few level blocks from English Bay and Stanley Park, yet close to downtown.



Coast Plaza Hotel & Suites at Stanley Park, Vancouver, BC

Special rates are guaranteed for reservations made by **September 14**. Reservations made later will be honored on a space-available basis at prevailing rates.

Rates are applicable up to three days prior and three days following festival.

Please make your own hotel reservations by calling the hotel directly at 1-604-688-7711, or 1-800-663-1144.

Group name: University of Washington Retirement Association

Rates are in Canadian dollars, per night, single/double occupancy. Room rates subject to 10% Provincial and 7% Goods and Services tax.

Comfort (Standard) Room	\$125 CDN
One Bedroom Suite	\$165 CDN
Parking	\$10/day CDN

**NOTE: The UWRA cannot be responsible for health problems of participants. You must bring your own care provider if you have any serious health concerns.**

## Area Attractions

Gardens Queen Elizabeth Park, VanDusen Botanical, UBC Botanical, Nitobe, Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Classical Chinese, Stanley Park

**Museums/Galleries:** Vancouver Museum, Museum of Anthropology at UBC, Vancouver Art Gallery and Craffhouse Gallery on Granville Island; and many more.

**Walks:** Public Art Walking Tours (downtown, shoreline), West End, Seawall and Stanley Park

**Shopping and Neighborhoods:** Downtown, West End, Yaletown, Granville Island, Chinatown, Gastown, North, East and West Vancouver

**Theatres:** Queen Elizabeth, Orpheum, Vancouver Civic Theatres. Upcoming performances will be posted at:  
[www.vancouver.ca/theatres](http://www.vancouver.ca/theatres)

**Music:** Vancouver Symphony Orchestra  
[www.vancouversymphony.ca](http://www.vancouversymphony.ca)



View of downtown Vancouver from Stanley Park.

# UWRA Fall Festival 2005 Vancouver, BC October 14-17



## UWRA Fall Festival

### Regional Retirement Associations Meeting

☞ Registration deadline 14 September 2005

Make checks payable to UWRA  
Send checks/registration forms to:  
UWRA  
Box 351277  
Seattle, WA 98195-1277

## Fall Festival 2005 Registration

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State/Prov \_\_\_\_\_ Zip/PC \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

**Registration** \$30 per person  
(all participants pay)

\$30 x # of persons = \_\_\_\_\_

**Banquet** \$45 per person

\$45 x # of persons = \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Total: \_\_\_\_\_ US

Banquet includes salad, roll, dessert,  
coffee or tea.

**Please indicate entrée choice for each  
banquet registrant.**

1 Wild Salmon Filet \_\_\_\_\_

Sun dried tomato *beurre blanc*, rice pilaf, charbroiled vegetables

2 New York Steak (8 ounce) \_\_\_\_\_

Cognac sauce, au gratin potatoes, vegetable medley

3 Oven Roasted Chicken Breast \_\_\_\_\_

Mushroom onion *duxelle*, blood-orange sauce, whipped potatoes, vegetables

4 Vegetarian \_\_\_\_\_

Crispy vegetable strudel, with lentil, tofu & tomato coulis

\_\_\_\_ Check here to receive information on taking  
**University House bus** to Vancouver.  
(\$60 RT, with box lunch northbound.  
Price may go up if gas prices increase.)

**NOTE: September 14** is the deadline for  
registration AND for refunds for cancella-  
tion of festival and banquet registrations.  
While refunds are not possible after that  
date, you may send a substitute.

## UWRA Fall Festival 2005 Vancouver, BC

UWRA and regional retirement associa-  
tions' members and guests are warmly  
invited to the annual Fall Festival,  
Friday October 14 to Monday October 17.

**2005 Fall Festival activities include:**

**October 14 and 15:** BYOB social hours in  
the Hospitality Suite (mixers and snacks  
provided)

• **October 15 and 16:** Topical morning  
programs

☞ **October 15:** *Mid-afternoon meeting of  
regional retirement associations*

• **October 16:** Evening banquet and  
entertainment

• **Afternoons:** Activity choices and free  
time for the city, Stanley Park, English  
Bay and walking the sea wall.

University House bus will take a tour each  
afternoon. Riders coming via this bus  
from Seattle have first option, then oth-  
ers on a space available basis.

Other optional tour sign-ups may be  
available in advance or at the festival.



Lions Gate Bridge, Vancouver BC

**Questions about Fall Festival?**  
Call UWRA at 206/543-8600 or  
Email [retiremt@u.washington.edu](mailto:retiremt@u.washington.edu)

## Program Highlights

**Saturday morning,  
October 15**

**Greg Hook**, local  
premier chocolatier  
and proprietor of the  
local boutique,  
Chocolate Arts, will  
discuss how his passion  
for beautiful, quality  
chocolates grew into a successful busi-



Chocolate Arts logo,  
designed by First Na-  
tions artist Robert  
Davidson.

ness. He combines the  
best chocolate with  
quality local organic  
ingredients. The local  
flavor is enhanced by  
molded designs of  
First Nations artist  
Robert Davidson. Mr.  
Hook will talk about  
types and quality of  
chocolate—and yes, he



Greg Hook, Chocolatier

will conduct a chocolate tasting. Learn  
about the tasty business of chocolate.

**Sunday morning, October 16**

**W. A. Douglas Jackson**, Professor Emeri-  
tus of International Studies with focus on



W A Douglas Jackson

Canadian Studies at the  
University of  
Washington, and him-  
self a Canadian, will  
join Member of Parlia-  
ment **The Honorable  
William Siksay**,  
Burnaby-Douglas riding  
in British Columbia, for  
a presentation on  
Canadian values and  
Canadian politics.