Dear Friends of the Center,

Welcome to fall quarter! We are pleased to announce that in addition to our successful Title VI grants, the Center was also awarded a grant from the U.S. Department of State's Increase Diversity Education Abroad for Students (IDEAS) program. This award will fund a partnership between the Center and the Native UW Scholars program as we develop a pathway to study abroad for Indigenous undergraduates at UW.

We are also delighted to introduce you to our eight Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) fellows for the 2022-23 academic year, and our new Corbett and Killam exchange students. We invite you to read about our stellar new students and their interests below.

Under the guidance of our new director, Patrick Christie, we have a lot of new projects and exciting events coming up this year, and we hope you'll join us for all of them!

-- Patrick Christie, Nadine Fabbi, and Marion Ferguson

**CENTER NEWS**

**Center receives IDEAS grant for Indigenous study abroad**

With this award, the Center will work alongside the Native UW Scholars program to develop a pathway to study abroad. [MORE](#)

**Summer FLAS fellows in Haida gather at UW**

Nicole Kuhn (doctoral student, International Studies) writes about the impact of her FLAS fellowship studying Haida. [MORE](#)

**Immersive study for summer FLAS fellow in Nuu-chah-nulth**

Reuben Martinez (MA student, Marine and Environmental Affairs) traveled to Port Alberni, B.C. for an immersive language experience. [MORE](#)
FOREIGN LANGUAGE AND AREA STUDIES FELLOWS

This academic year, eight students received Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) fellowships. These students representing the Law School, International Studies, French and Italian Studies, and Marine and Environmental Affairs, will spend the academic year studying French, Haida, and Nuu-chah-nulth.

**Ric Berkholtz**  
MA student, Law, Haida/Xaad-Kíl

**Sandra Bonequi**  
MA student, French and Italian Studies, French

**Janessa Chinana**  
Doctoral student, International Studies, Haida/Xaad-Kíl

**Reuben Martinez**  
MA student, Marine and Environmental Affairs, Nuu-chah-nulth

**Xavier Nelson-Rowntree**  
MA student, Marine and Environmental Affairs, French

**Lucas Olson**  
Doctoral candidate, International Studies, Haida/Xaad-Kíl

**Jessica Rose**  
MA student, Marine and Environmental Affairs, Nuu-chah-nulth

**Caitie Sheban**  
MA student, Marine and Environmental Affairs, Nuu-chah-nulth

CORBETT AND KILLAM EXCHANGE STUDENTS

This fall, in-person international exchange begins again in earnest! We are thrilled to have several students participating in both the Corbett Exchange and Killam Fellowship programs. We will welcome students from six Canadian universities and are sending UW students to three campuses in Canada. Read about our exchange students below!
Avery Bellamy
Corbett Exchange, UW to University of British Columbia, Linguistics

Katherine Dibbon
Killam Fellowship, Memorial University to UW, Political Science and Chemistry

Louka Ducharme-Massé
Killam Fellowship, University of Ottawa to UW, International Studies and Modern Languages

Olivia Farquhar
Killam Fellowship, Queens University to UW, Media and Performance Production

Aana Feruz
Corbett Exchange, UW to University of British Columbia, Medical Anthropology and Global Health

Trevin Keil
Corbett Exchange, University of British Columbia Okanagan to UW, Business

Mabon Kroker
Killam Fellowship, York University to UW, Biology

Sarah Pham
Corbett Exchange, UW to University of British Columbia, Political Science

Mikaela Seelke
Corbett Exchange and Killam Fellow, UW to University of Victoria and McMaster University, Environmental Sciences and French
FACULTY NEWS

Travel to Ulukhaktok, Northern Territories
Jason Young (Information School) and colleagues from the School of Computer Science and Engineering traveled as part of an NSF-funded project. MORE

2020-21 Fulbright Chair in Arctic Studies to Old Crow, Yukon
In June, Kevin Turner (Brock University) spent two weeks in Old Crow, Yukon collecting data to understand climate change impacts in the region. MORE

ALUMNI NEWS

Killam Fellow reflects on "life-changing" exchange
Thomas Gareau Paquette (University of Montréal, 2021-22) shares his experiences as a Killam Fellow at the University of Washington. MORE

INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Video: "Shifting Arctic Dynamics"
Robert Bone (Professor Emeritus, University of Saskatchewan) and Erica Dingman (Arctic in Context) discuss the benefits and costs for Inuit in Canada of warming Arctic waters. MORE

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