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Dear Friends,

We begin our fall quarter edition with sad news. This past June, we lost a key member of our community--Consuelo Corbett. Consuelo and Gary Corbett founded the Corbett British Columbia-Washington International Exchange Program that funds student exchanges between the Universities of Washington, British Columbia, and Victoria. Consuelo was a strong and inspiring advocate of the program. Thanks to the Corbett Exchange Program over 60 undergraduates from all three institutions have benefited from study abroad having a marked impact on their professional futures and building cross-border networks in Washington and British Columbia. Consuelo will be deeply missed by the Center, the Jackson School of International Studies, the Corbett exchange alums, and our staff. On October 16 at 4 p.m., we will celebrate a new school year and 10 years of the Corbett Exchange Program. RSVP to canada@uw.edu to reserve a spot - we'd love to see you there.

Nadine C. Fabbi, Director & Marion Ferguson, Exchange Manager

IN MEMORIAM



**Consuelo Corbett, November 19,
1934-June 26, 2024**

At Consuelo Corbett's Celebration of Life held at the Seattle Tennis Club on August 25, 2024, Nadine Fabbi made the following comments. [MORE](#)

CENTER NEWS



Newly revised Arctic minor now available

UW students may declare the updated minor focused on Arctic peoples and environments with over 20 electives to choose from. [MORE](#)



Welcome 2024-25 Center Advisory Board members

Faculty members, researchers, and practitioners from campus and the community join the advisory board to advance Center goals. [MORE](#)



From the Netherlands, welcome Fulbright Scholar

Ben Johnson is an Assistant Professor at Groningen University with a specialization in security challenges in Arctic Canada. [MORE](#)



Join the Center at our fall reception

On October 16 meet our faculty, researchers, FLAS Fellows, Corbett and other exchange scholars and to hear about their studies and research. [MORE](#)

FACULTY NEWS



International perspective on climate change

Scott Montgomery, JSIS faculty member, is teaching ARCTIC 391 this fall, Climate Change - An International Perspective: Science, Art, and Activism. [MORE](#)



Former FLAS fellow now instructor of Inuit language

Jason Young, a FLAS alum who studied in Igloolik, Canada, is instructing ARCTIC 101 Elementary Inuktitut: Inuit Language and Culture in Canada this fall. [MORE](#)



Native American Law Center director joins the Center

Monte Mills, Charles I. Stone Professor of Law and Director of the Native American Law Center, joined the Affiliated Faculty of Canadian Studies this fall. [MORE](#)



Mia Bennett selected to Fulbright Arctic Initiative

Mia Bennett, Geography, was just selected to the Fulbright Arctic Initiative program for her work on Arctic Indigenous Peoples and security. [MORE](#)

STUDENT NEWS



FLAS Fellow pursues research on the Canada-China relationship

Chiwa Lee, M.A., China Studies, studied French this summer with Alliance Française to support his study of the Canada, China, U.S. relationship. [MORE](#)



Meet north2north Fellow Pirkko Viljakainen

From Tampere, Finland, Pirkko is a law student from the University of Lapland. She is studying abroad at the UW for fall quarter. [MORE](#)



First impressions at UBC from new Corbett Scholar

Theodoric Greenleaf writes about his first month as an exchange student at the Vancouver campus. [MORE](#)

ALUMNI NEWS



Former FLAS Fellow now a lecturer at UW

Sarah Kate Moore, FLAS fellow in French (2023-24) is now a part-time lecturer in the UW Department of French and Italian Studies. [MORE](#)



Arctic Task Force alum to Johns Hopkins

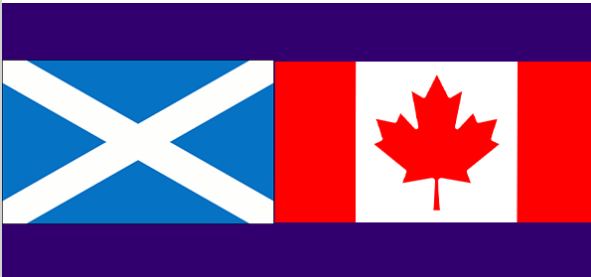
Winnie Chen, 2024 Task Force on the Arctic alum, was accepted to the Global Innovation and Leadership program at Johns Hopkins University. [MORE](#)



Corbett alum now senior consultant at global advisory firm

Parsa Shani, 2019-20 Corbett Scholar, returned to Seattle in his new role at Dalberg, where he will focus on the U.N. Sustainable Development Goals. [MORE](#)

RESEARCH & INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS



***Teaching Arctic Environments* educational website now live**

In 2023-24, the Center worked with U. Aberdeen and Manitoba with funding from the Government of Finland to develop materials on the Arctic. [MORE](#)

CLASSES AND OPPORTUNITIES

- [Administrative Assistant, Consulate General of Canada in Seattle](#) -- apply by October 13, 2024
- [Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowships](#) -- Applications open November 1, 2024
- [Fulbright Canada Research Chair in Arctic Studies](#) -- apply by November 15, 2024
- [Killam Fellowship Program](#) -- apply by December 15, 2024
- [Corbett British Columbia-Washington International Exchange Program](#)-- apply by January 31, 2025

The International Council for Canadian Studies has a number of funding opportunities available for students and researchers. [Click here to learn more.](#)

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