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Tyndale University College & Seminary. "2017 Spring Convocation University College Bachelor of Education, 2015-2016 Cohort." (2017)



TYNDALE

• UNIVERSITY COLLEGE & SEMINARY •

2017

**SPRING CONVOCATION
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
2015-2016 COHORT**

Saturday, May 27, 2017

10:00 am

Tyndale Chapel

3377 Bayview Avenue

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ABOUT TYNDALE

THE HISTORY

Tyndale University College & Seminary was founded in 1894 as the Toronto Bible Training School. Later known as Toronto Bible College, it merged with the London College of Bible and Missions in 1968 to become Ontario Bible College. The Seminary was established in 1976 to offer graduate theological education. In 1998, the name Tyndale was assumed, honouring William Tyndale (1494-1536), the early English reformer whose commitment to making Scripture available to all persons led him to undertake the first English translation of the Bible. He is a model for scholarship, faith, and vision. In 2003, Tyndale was accorded university college status by the Province of Ontario. In 2007, Tyndale received approval from the Ontario Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities and from the Ontario College of Teachers to offer a Bachelor of Education program. The Seminary's graduate degrees, including the Doctor of Ministry degree, are accredited by The Association of Theological Schools in the United States and Canada (ATS). In 2007, Tyndale purchased the Morrow Park property from the Sisters of St. Joseph of Toronto. Tyndale is an evangelical, transdenominational school with more than 9,500 alumni.

THE MISSION

Tyndale is dedicated to the pursuit of truth,
to excellence in teaching, learning and research,
for the enriching of mind, heart and character,
to serve the church and the world for the glory of God.

UNIVERSITY COLLEGE MISSION

Tyndale's university education rooted in the humanities, arts and sciences seeks to deepen knowledge, cultivate wisdom and develop character for service to Christ and the world.

2017 SPRING CONVOCATION

Musical Prelude

Tyndale Band

Call to Worship *(please stand)*

Dr. Melissa Davis

Assistant Professor, Music & Worship Arts

Processional *(please remain standing)*

Dr. Melissa Davis / William Jones

10,000 Reasons

Chorus:

Bless the Lord, oh my soul,

Oh my soul,

Worship His Holy name.

Sing like never before,

Oh my soul,

I'll worship Your Holy name.

The sun comes up,

It's a new day dawning,

It's time to sing Your song again.

Whatever may pass,

And whatever lies before me,

Let me be singing when the evening comes.

You're rich in love,

And You're slow to anger,

Your name is great,

And Your heart is kind.

For all Your goodness I will keep on singing,

Ten thousand reasons for my heart to find.

Chorus

And on that day
When my strength is failing,
The end draws near
And my time has come;
Still my soul will sing Your praise unending,
Ten thousand years and then forevermore!

Chorus

...Sing like never before, oh my soul.
I'll worship Your Holy name,
I'll worship Your Holy name,
Lord, I'll worship Your Holy name.

Invocation *(please remain standing)*

Dr. John Wilkinson
Chancellor

Singing of the National Anthem *(please stand)*

O Canada

O Canada! Our home and native land!
True patriot love in all thy sons command.
With glowing hearts we see thee rise,
The True North strong and free!
From far and wide,
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee.
God keep our land, glorious and free.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee!

Ruler supreme, who hearest humble prayer,
Hold our Dominion, in thy loving care.
Help us to find, O God, in thee,
A lasting rich reward.
As waiting for the better day,
We ever stand on guard.
God keep our land, glorious and free.
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee!
O Canada, we stand on guard for thee!

Welcome

Dr. Gary Nelson
President & Vice Chancellor

Blessing of Program Elder

Dr. Terry LeBlanc

Program Elder, Bachelor of Education Program

Introduction of the Graduating Student Speaker

Dr. Carla Nelson

Associate Professor of Education & Director, Bachelor of Education Program

2015-2016 Cohort Graduating Student Speaker

Joshua Lopes, BEd

Recipient of the Marion Ahrens Peer Recognition Award for "Outstanding Contribution to the Program"

Scripture Reading

Psalms 8

Prof. Rick Cunningham

Assistant Professor of Education & Associate Director, Bachelor of Education Program

Introduction of the Convocation Speaker

Dr. Barry Smith

Senior Vice President Academic & Dean of the University College

Convocation Address

Psalms 8: Teaching God's Representatives on Earth

Dr. Doug Hayhoe

Associate Professor of Education

Congregational Song *(please stand)*

Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing

Come Thou fount of every blessing,
Tune my heart to sing Thy grace.
Streams of mercy never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise.
Teach me some melodious sonnet,
Sung by flaming tongues above,
Praise the mount I'm fixed upon it,
Mount of God's unchanging love.

Here I raise my Ebenezer,
Hither by Thy help I come.
And I hope by Thy good pleasure
Safely to arrive at home.
Jesus sought me when a stranger,
Wand'ring from the fold of God.
He to rescue me from danger
Interposed His precious blood.

Oh to grace how great a debtor,
Daily I'm constrained to be.
Let thy grace Lord like a fetter
Bind my wand'ring heart to Thee.
Prone to wander Lord I feel it,
Prone to leave the God I love.
Here's my heart Lord take and seal it,
Seal it for Thy courts above.

Conferring of Degrees

Dr. John Wilkinson

Dr. Gary Nelson

Dr. Barry Smith

Congratulations from the Board of Governors

Steve Holmes

Chair, Tyndale Board of Governors

Welcome to the Alumni Association

Kevin Kirk

Vice President, External Relations & Chief Enrollment Officer

Closing Remarks & Benediction

Dr. Gary Nelson

Recessional *(please stand)*

Dr. Melissa Davis / William Jones

Be Thou My Vision

Be Thou my Vision
O Lord of my heart
Nought be all else to me
Save that Thou art
Thou my best thought
By day or by night
Waking or sleeping
Thy presence my light

Be Thou my Wisdom
And Thou my true Word
I ever with Thee
And Thou with me Lord
Thou my great Father
I Thy true son
Thou in me dwelling
And I with Thee one

Riches I heed not
Nor man's empty praise
Thou mine inheritance
Now and always
Thou and Thou only
First in my heart
High King of heaven
My Treasure Thou art

High King of heaven
My victory won
May I reach heaven's joys
O bright heaven's Sun
Heart of my own heart
Whatever befall
Still be my Vision
O Ruler of all.

Refreshments Served in: Alumni Hall / Outside Area.

Tyndale Band: William Jones, Todd McIntosh, Dr. Ken Michell, Jidae Yu

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Rohain Arora
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Beverly Gamuso
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Nadine Jagus
Emily Kassam
Kirsty Kernohan
Augustine Lanzarotta
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Junior / Intermediate

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Tina-Claire Levy
Jinze Li
Joshua Lopes
Morgan McDougall-Cook
Matthew Muia
Aikta Narula
Ashley Ouzounis
Meghan Pearo
Lavanya Thineskumar
Joshua Turner

GRADUATION AWARDS

Bachelor of Education Faculty Award

Kirsty Kernohan *(Primary / Junior)*

Jenina DeVries *(Junior / Intermediate)*

Bachelor of Education Faculty Advisor Award

Mehreen Muhammad *(Primary / Junior)*

Matthew Muia *(Junior / Intermediate)*

Marion Ahrens Peer Recognition Award for “Outstanding Contribution to the Program”

Joshua Lopes

Bachelor of Education Service Award

Daniel Farlow

Beverly Gamuso

Joshua Turner

Michael Walters

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Sandra Walters, BEd

Joanne Williams, BEd

GRADUATING STUDENT SPEAKER

Joshua Lopes, BEd

Joshua Lopes was born and raised in the Greater Toronto Area, initially residing in Toronto and currently in Mississauga. He graduated from Bishop Scalabrini Elementary School and Glenforest Secondary School, where he was enrolled in an Advanced Placement Program. After completing his Honours Bachelor of Science degree at the University of Toronto Mississauga in 2010, he pursued the sciences further and successfully defended his doctoral degree in cardiovascular pathology from the University of Toronto in 2015. Despite his strong research background, he gravitated to pedagogy even during his doctoral studies and decided to pursue teacher's college at Tyndale University College, completing his Bachelor of Education degree in November 2016. Josh married his wife, Marzena, in August 2013 and they have since begun growing their family. Born as the eldest of two boys, today Josh has two boys of his own: his first-born aged 2-years and second-born aged 5 months. Josh and his wife attend and are active members of St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish.

CONVOCATION SPEAKER

Doug Hayhoe, PhD

Dr. Doug Hayhoe joined Tyndale's Bachelor of Education program in 2007 following a long career as a science teacher, consultant, and district wide coordinator with the Toronto District School Board. In his time at Tyndale, Dr. Hayhoe has taught science and mathematics classes for both BA and BEd programs, and earned a Master's of Divinity degree from Tyndale Seminary. In addition to his work in the classroom, Dr. Hayhoe is the author of many science textbooks and research papers on environment-related science education projects.



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