July 2017
Honourable Melanie Mark
Minister of Advanced Education, Skills and Training
Government of British Columbia

Dear Minister,

On behalf of Camosun College, we are pleased to submit the annual Institutional Accountability Plan and Report for the 2016/17 reporting cycle and to accept responsibility for its contents.

This report was prepared in accordance with the Ministry of Advanced Education directives and Camosun College’s governance structure.

Through our data, performance measures and stories we highlight the successes of our college and our community of students, faculty and staff, we illustrate how our outcomes align with our strategic plan and set performance targets for the future.

We also demonstrate how Camosun College is aligning its priorities toward the BC Skills for Jobs Blueprint, the BC Tech Strategy and the Aboriginal Post-Secondary Education and Training Framework and Plan through the successes of our trades, technology, business, Indigenous education and health care programs, as well as our co-operative education opportunities and our focus on applied learning.

The Taxpayer Accountability Table on page 32, together with specific performance measures on page 28, illustrates Camosun’s commitment to achieving the 2016/17 Mandate Letter Priorities.

Camosun College continues to deliver and develop exceptional educational opportunities that support the economic and social needs of our region and our province. We strive to build on Camosun’s 46 years of successful graduates for a thriving, healthy, prosperous future in British Columbia.

Yours sincerely,

Sherri Bell, President
Russ Lazaruk, Chair, Board of Governors
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SEEKING KNOWLEDGE IN THESE TERRITORIES

Camosun College | Inspiring life-changing learning

CAMOSUN: WHERE DIFFERENT WATERS MEET AND ARE TRANSFORMED

Nursing to nautical, accounting to athletic therapy, early childhood learning to engineering technology - Camosun College delivers relevant, applied education that transforms lives to build a better world.

Located in Victoria, British Columbia, Camosun’s two main campuses, Lansdowne and Interurban, together with our five satellite partnership centres, serve over 19,000 learners in certificate, diploma, bachelor degree, post-degree and continuing education programs every year, including 1,100 Indigenous students and close to 2,000 International students from 80 countries.

The college welcomed its first students in 1971 and adopted the name “Camosun,” a local Lkwungen (Songhees) First Nation name meaning “where different waters meet and are transformed.” Today, Camosun delivers over 160 innovative programs to help meet the educational needs of students and communities in Victoria and beyond.

Whether students are seeking education and career skills in arts, sciences, business, trades, technology, health and human services, sport and exercise education, Indigenous studies or adult upgrading, Camosun College has earned an outstanding reputation for teaching excellence—we’re proud of our faculty, staff and students, and the fact that we provide one of BC’s best learning experiences.

And, our impact as a college extends well beyond our highly skilled, job-ready graduates. We provide contract training opportunities for local business; research, innovation and prototyping services for industry; and well-trained co-op students for employers. With over 1,000 employees and an annual budget of $126 million, Camosun generates over $1 billion in economic impact in our province every year.

94% of students who go on to further studies say they were well prepared by Camosun

93% of recent grads are satisfied or very satisfied with their education at Camosun College

91% of former Camosun students are either employed or pursuing further studies

50% of Camosun students are within 5 years of high school graduation

91% of Camosun students transfer from other BC post-secondary institutions

19,000+ learners each year

1,117 Indigenous students of First Nations, Métis and Inuit ancestry

1,988 International students from 80 countries

1,193 employees

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STRATEGIC PLAN OVERVIEW

“Camosun College is a dynamic place of learning. Our vision is one where every graduate walks across our convocation stage with the knowledge and self-confidence that they can indeed challenge and change our world.”

Camosun College’s newly revised Strategic Plan (2016-2021) is our guide, our mandate over the next five years to enhance truly life-changing learning opportunities for our students. The plan provides a valuable road map which reflects the language, the values and the thinking of our college community about where we want to go as an institution and why.

Enhancing engagement with students and community, delving into creative and innovative approaches to teaching and learning, working toward sustainable practices within our environment and society, and fostering amazing student experiences – these are the goals and values that define our strategic direction.

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NEW VISION FOR HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICE EDUCATION IN BC

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"This leading-edge facility is what Camosun needs in order to grow and continue to build on our 45+ year commitment to improving the health and well-being of the people of the South Island region.”

DR. CYNTHIA SMITH
DEAN, CAMOSUN COLLEGE SCHOOL OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

EDUCATION DIVISION – KEY INITIATIVES AND HIGHLIGHTS

OUR VISION

Inspiring life-changing learning

OUR MISSION

We build a better future for our community with relevant, innovative and applied education.

OUR VALUES

• Life-long learning
• Positive and supportive student experiences
• An inclusive community
• An environment of respect and safety for all
• Our relationships with one another
• Indigenization
TAKING TRADES TRAINING TO THE NEXT LEVEL

Welding, sheet metal and automotive tech students were among the first to train in Camosun’s spectacular new Trades Education and Innovation Centre which opened at Interurban campus in 2016. The 80,000 square foot facility now houses the college’s metal, mechanical and nautical trades training programs making Camosun the largest trades education centre on Vancouver Island and the second largest in BC. Thanks to a $30 million investment by the Province of BC and a further $7.5 million raised by the Camosun College Foundation, the college’s plan to revamp its entire trades complex is almost complete. The Foundation’s trades fundraising campaign also initiated further industry support to assist female and Indigenous trades students in those trades required by coastal communities, ship building and marine industries like welding, pipeworkfitting, sheet metal, electrical and more.

Camosun educates over 2,700 trades and technical students in 20 different foundation and apprenticeship programs each year. The investment in our trades programs and in our cutting-edge teaching facilities and technologies allows Camosun to deliver highly qualified, well-trained new workers who are familiar with the most current techniques and equipment available – making them job-ready for BC’s current and emerging industries.

MEETING THE BCTECH STRATEGY

Before graduation, Camosun’s engineering technology students must apply their new knowledge and skills to a real-life design and manufacturing challenge with a local company or organization. This year our Mechanical Engineering students conceptualized and built an underwater remotely operated vehicle, a formula race car, an automated ship ballast system and a greenhouse temperature management system, to name a few. Our Electronics and Computer Engineering Technology students designed and created a solar-powered, long-range drone, a vision assistance tool for the visually impaired, a wireless amplifier controller, and an in-home automated garden utilizing aeroponics. The purpose of their final projects is to create a device that applies all their studies over the past two years. Camosun’s engineering technology programs are nationally accredited diploma programs that prepare graduates for immediate employment in BC’s growing high tech industries.

DELIVERING TRADES TRAINING ONLINE

Camosun is providing students with greater access to the trades and helping meet the workforce demands for apprentices by developing innovative common-core-trades open textbooks and e-apprentice programs. Plumbing and Pipeworkfitting students, as well as Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Mechanic students are among the first at Camosun to use free online province-wide trades textbooks developed with the assistance of Camosun trades instructors. The college’s award-winning e-apprentice program for Culinary Arts students allows apprentices to take their first and second levels over a six-month period online, giving them the opportunity to study at home, and more time to understand the material. The flexibility and adaptability of open education resources together with the use of educational technologies means Camosun is helping transform trades education as we know it today.

INCREASING INDIGENOUS ENROLLMENTS IN HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS

As part of Camosun’s strategic commitment to Indigenization, the college offers priority seating for Indigenous students in Nursing, Practical Nursing and Early Learning and Care programs. Camosun’s intent is to attract more Indigenous students and be a part of the process to help meet today’s critical health and child care needs in urban and rural Indigenous communities. Five per cent of these seats are set aside for Indigenous students.
EDUCATION DIVISION – KEY INITIATIVES AND HIGHLIGHTS

TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS RENEWAL PROCESS COMPLETED
In 2013, Camosun began a substantial review and renewal of our engineering technology programming. The comprehensive process involved a complete curriculum redesign of our engineering technology certificate, diploma, engineering bridge and advanced diploma programs, with new content focused on up-to-date technologies, new industry standards, practices and new admission requirements for some programs. The renewal also involved the acquisition of the latest in educational training technologies and a transfer of programs from the quarter system to the semester system. The renewed programs were implemented in fall 2016 and the positive results for our students include increased opportunities for co-op work experiences, a higher focus on applied learning opportunities, curriculum that meets current industry expectations, advanced transferability within Camosun and the post-secondary system, and better program alignment with the college-wide semester-based delivery system.

INTERDISCIPLINARY LEARNING – THE LATEST IN TEACHING METHODS
Camosun faculty are fostering greater student engagement and applied learning by integrating interdisciplinary approaches in their classes. For example, this winter term, more than 140 students from multiple disciplines were brought together for a collaborative workshop on the complex issue of homelessness. Students from Camosun’s Mental Health and Addictions, Early Learning and Care, Sociology and Marketing programs worked in cross-program teams to hear the heartfelt, personal stories of three members of the Greater Victoria Coalition to End Homelessness. They explored the factors that led people to homelessness and generated potential solutions. Engaging students, developing their critical thinking and problem-solving skills on real issues across multiple perspectives – this is the objective of interdisciplinary teaching and learning at Camosun.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS GET A JUMP-START AT CAMOSUN
Camosun delivers one of the largest, most comprehensive dual-credit high school partnership programs in BC: the South Island Partnership (SIP) program. Currently, Camosun offers over 40 different dual-credit college-level programs in the areas of trades, technologies, health and human services, business, sport and exercise and arts and science to 1,000 secondary school registrants each year in the 61 Victoria, 62 Sooke, 63 Saanich, 64 Gulf Islands and 79 Cowichan Valley school districts. Courses are taken in high school, on Camosun campuses or online. Working together with schools and local industry leaders, Camosun gives Grade 11 and 12 students a valuable head-start on their college and career paths.
STUDENT EXPERIENCE DIVISION - KEY INITIATIVES AND HIGHLIGHTS

GAVIN POOLE: TOP COLLEGE CO-OP EDUCATION STUDENT FOR BC/YUKON, 2016

“I struggled with my first endeavours in post-secondary. It wasn’t until coming to Camosun that I was really able to turn that around. My Co-op term helped me realize what I wanted to do once I finish college”

- GAVIN POOLE

APPLIED LEARNING: CAMOSUN CO-OP STUDENTS NAMED BEST IN BC, 10 YEARS IN A ROW

For the tenth consecutive year, a Camosun student has been named the ACE BC (Association of Co-operative Education for BC and the Yukon) College Co-op Education Student of the Year. Electronics and Computer Engineering student Gavin Poole received the prestigious award this year for outstanding achievements in his courses and the tremendous impact he had on his co-op education work term with the Canadian Coast Guard. Hired as a Communications Technician, Gavin’s work term focused on trouble-shooting, fixing and modernizing electronics devices on the aging Coast Guard fleet. Camosun is a provincial leader in providing co-op education options that not only give students the opportunity to apply their academic knowledge to real-life challenges, but help them make important career connections. Camosun delivers over 30 academic and technical programs with a paid work experience component, aligning closely with the BCTech Strategy and BC Skills for Jobs Blueprint.

NEW STRATEGIES AND POLICIES FOR SAFE, HEALTHY CAMPUSES

Camosun’s new Student Mental Health and Wellbeing Strategy, along with the newly developed Sexual Violence and Misconduct Policy and support services, have been initiated to create awareness, education and processes to support the mental well-being and physical safety of our students. This past year the college undertook a full consultation and engagement process with current students, faculty, staff, counsellors and community experts in the field, including the Victoria Sexual Assault Centre, Island Sexual Health Society and the Ending Violence Association of BC to develop the resulting Sexual Violence and Misconduct Policy. Camosun is committed to ensuring students receive the mental and physical resources they need and to fostering a safe and respectful campus environment for all.

From registration to graduation, Camosun’s Student Experience division fosters student success that extends beyond the classroom and integrates the entire campus community. By stewarding a comprehensive range of supports we enrich student learning and contribute to an exceptional overall educational experience. The result is a student experience that reflects and encompasses the entire educational journey, and that inspires enduring student success for healthy communities, a robust economy and engaged citizens.
STUDENT EXPERIENCE DIVISION - KEY INITIATIVES AND HIGHLIGHTS

LEARNING SERVICES THAT INNOVATE AND INSPIRE

Collectively, Camosun’s two main campus libraries, writing centre, disability resource centre, centre for excellence in teaching and learning, and e-learning services make up the college’s newly expanded Learning Services department. Together, they offer a supportive, holistic approach to learning that is essential to the total student experience. Camosun’s accessible and welcoming libraries are proud of their focused collections and their strengths in specific programming areas like Indigenous Peoples, nursing and in collecting tangible teaching tools like model bones and brains for anatomy students, as well as story time teaching kits for early learning and care students. For those students seeking extra support: the writing centre offers one-on-one assistance; the student success centre provides workshops in study techniques, stress management, and managing test anxiety; while, the disability resource centre offers individual accommodations to help break down academic barriers. For faculty seeking new teaching approaches, the centre for excellence in teaching and learning, provides support in the areas of e-learning, educational technology, curriculum development, program review and more.

RENEWING REGISTRATION SERVICES

Camosun’s Office of the Registrar encompasses recruitment, admissions, registration, data management and academic regulation. The Registrar’s Office is working now on a three-year plan to modernize and reconfigure its Colleague admissions and registration systems to help include a degree audit system, create a comprehensive recruitment program, move toward paperless student records, and create a more complete student experience by developing an improved in-person visitor management system, case management and online self-serve services.

25 YEARS OF INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

Eye? Sqă’lewen: GOOD HEART, GOOD MIND, GOOD FEELINGS

This year, Eye? Sqă’lewen, Camosun’s Centre for Indigenous Education and Community Connections, celebrated 25 years of delivering outstanding Indigenous education, programming and services to our community. With over 1,117 Indigenous students of First Nations, Métis and Inuit ancestry, Eye? Sqă’lewen is an integral part of the college. Its goal is to carry out Camosun’s Indigenization Plan which encompasses curriculum processes, employee education, services for students and policy and planning. The centre also provides links between students, the college and local First Nations communities; facilitates special projects on campus and in the community; and fosters Indigenous research.

“Once I came to Camosun I began to understand that my learning style had not been included in my previous experiences in school. Thanks to Camosun and the Indigenous Studies program, I have a strong vision of the path ahead of me.”

MARISSA JIM
INDIGENOUS STUDIES GRADUATE
TRANSFERRING TO UVIC’S BACHELOR OF ANTHROPOLOGY PROGRAM

INDIGENOUS EDUCATION AT CAMOSUN

• 1,117 Indigenous students of First Nations, Métis and Inuit ancestry
• 232 Camosun employees have completed the TTW (Understanding Indigenous Peoples) course
• 59 Camosun College courses with Indigenous content integrated into curriculum
• Community partners: Saanich Adult education Centre, Songhees Employment Learning Centre, Victoria Native Friendship Centre
25 YEARS OF INDIGENOUS EDUCATION

ENHANCING INDIGENOUS STUDENT SUCCESS

In addition to the supports provided by the college, Indigenous students have access to services made possible by the Aboriginal Service Plan (ASP), funded annually by the Ministry of Advanced Education. The plan is intended to: increase Indigenous student access, retention and completion; strengthen community partnerships and collaboration in Indigenous post-secondary education; and, encourage post-secondary institutions to make programs more receptive and relevant to Indigenous students. ASP funding has enabled Camosun to hire a Community Liaison Worker and launch the Elders’ Initiative program which ensures Indigenous students and the college community have access to the cultural, emotional and spiritual support of local Elders.

CAMOSUN INTERNATIONAL:
BRINGING WORLDS TOGETHER

International education has long been recognized as providing links that reflect global opportunity and understanding. With a headcount of close to 2,000 International students enrolled (representing over 1,500 Full-Time Equivalents), four short-term partnership independent study programs, fourteen field schools, 17 exchange opportunities, 18 work/volunteer abroad opportunities and several global agreements, Camosun International creates a college community that knows no borders.

As part of Camosun’s commitment to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission’s (TRC) Calls to Action, more than 800 faculty and staff gathered on our annual “Conversations Day,” in February for an in-depth college-wide discussion on the issue of reconciliation and our response as a public educational institution. The “Day of Reconciliation” served as a springboard for a lively and engaging conversation that supported 39 distinct recommendations for Camosun to action over the next few years. In 2015, Camosun initiated a task force and steering committee to develop our Indigenization and Reconciliation project charter that embeds the TRC Calls to Action into our Indigenization Plan. The project charter speaks to ‘why’ we wanted to undertake the project, what our vision is, how our Indigenization Plan and our TRC response are linked, our guiding principles for the project, and people and planning. Indigenization is one of our key institutional values in our Strategic Plan.

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ORANGE SHIRT DAY, SEPTEMBER 30

Over 200 Camosun students, employees, Elders and community supporters gathered for Orange Shirt Day at Na’ts’ohtbah, Lansdowne campus, Friday, September 30. The event, envisioned and led by Indigenous Studies students Eddy Charlie and Kristin Spray, was created to raise the awareness of the issues of residential schools and the effect they had on those who attended. September 30 represents the time of year children were taken from their homes. This annual gathering is the opportunity for our college community to come together in the spirit of reconciliation and hope for generations to come.

FOCUS ON COASTAL SKILLS AND INNOVATION ATTRACTS INDUSTRY SUPPORT

As part of the expansion and redevelopment of Camosun’s trades and innovation facilities at Interurban campus, the college has forged partnerships with key industry companies to help support additional teaching tools and technologies. Seaspan Victoria Shipyards this year donated a six-tonne ship’s bulkhead training module to assist our marine fitter training, welding and pipefitting students in their training. The donation supports Camosun’s Coast Skills Initiative, a new educational focus designed to identify emerging coastal industries, job trends and career opportunities and link them directly to our skilled trades programs. Babcock Canada, a leading naval ISS specialist, also contributed over $800,000 this year to Camosun’s new future-focused Interaction Lab. The Interaction Lab is part of Camosun Innovates and supports students and faculty researchers in solving real-world applied technology and innovation issues for local industries. The Interaction Lab is under development now and will launch in fall 2017.

PARTNERSHIPS AND INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION – KEY INITIATIVES AND HIGHLIGHTS

DR. SKIP DICK, SONGHEES ELDER
PLUMBING PARTNERSHIP WITH TANZANIAN TECHNICAL COLLEGE

Among our many educational partnerships, Camosun’s pipefitting instructors are working with Arusha Technical College, the premier technical school in Tanzania, Africa to develop a gas transmission technician diploma program to meet the pipefitting worker needs of the burgeoning oil and gas industry there. The final result will be a program adapted from BC’s trades and apprenticeship system aligned with Tanzania’s technical system. Camosun has been training trainers this year from Tanzania and supporting the design of their new curriculum. The program is part of the Improving Skills Training for Employment program (ISTEP), a three-year partnership funded by Global Affairs Canada through Colleges and Institutes Canada (CICan).

CAMOSUN COLLEGE FOUNDATION BUILDS BONDS TO BENEFIT STUDENTS

The Camosun College Foundation has a 35-year history of building bonds with donors who have helped shape and support our learning goals. The Foundation believes all students, regardless of circumstance, deserve the opportunity to discover and pursue their true talents. In 2016, more than 660 individuals and organizations helped us provide close to $1 million in bursaries, scholarships and awards to more than 1,500 deserving students. Camosun’s recent TRADEmark of Excellence campaign, chaired by long-time donors, Lynda and Murray Farmer, exceeded all expectations, raising over $7.5 million in support of trades and technology students and new teaching technologies – the largest, most successful fundraising campaign in the college’s history.
Camosun is home to the largest college-based applied research centre west of Winnipeg, attracting students and faculty who are looking for more than theory when learning or teaching about manufacturing, engineering and computer technologies. Recognized again this year as one of Canada’s top 50 research colleges, Camosun Innovates establishes a real hands-on connection between education and industrial application—leading to impressive economic opportunities for local industry and business ventures. This past year, Camosun Innovates attracted a total of $2.3 million in total sponsored research income during the reporting period, an increase of 44.2% over the previous year, and an improvement of four spots in the national ranking. Now ranked 29th in Canada, Camosun is recognized primarily for a contribution to applied technology, sport, manufacturing and social innovations that help small-to-medium enterprises become more competitive, productive and effective.

Technological Engineering student Ben Costin is looking forward to a promising career and secure future in applied research and design. The second-year student worked part-time with Camosun Innovates this year to help solve an important technology challenge for local kite-board company, Ocean Rodeo. The Victoria-based business was facing a technical hurdle, preventing it from launching its newest invention to the worldwide kite-boarding industry. Ocean Rodeo was testing a new control bar, but the technology they had developed could not withstand normal stresses, resulting in numerous failures.

After approaching the Camosun Innovates team for assistance, the company agreed to take on a $25,000 NSERC grant for colleges. The funds allowed Camosun to hire Ben to conduct a series of destructive tests, mimicking the stresses and forces the control bar would face in the field. Through his controlled studies, using Camosun’s advanced technologies, Ben discovered the control arms were breaking in roughly the same location with identical patterns. Ben then worked with a local expert in injection molding and together they created a new injected molded solution for the control bar which solved the breakage problem. Now Ocean Rodeo is successfully launching this exciting new innovation to the global kite-boarding industry, resulting in increased sales and expansion for the company. Because of this success, Ocean Rodeo is pursuing another NSERC grant to continue designing and fabricating new products with the college, allowing Camosun Innovates to hire Ben on a three-year contract when he graduates from the Mechanical Engineering Technology this year.

“"The primary focus of Camosun Innovates is to connect the industry projects we solicit to the education we provide. Every project has the potential to be a learning opportunity that challenges students and faculty to collaborate, innovate, create and learn. The added pressures of real deadlines and business objectives translate into meaningful learning moments.”

Dr. Tim Walzak
Director, Camosun Innovates

From seventh to silver - Camosun College’s Chargers women’s volleyball team brought Canada to our campus this year hosting Camosun’s first-ever national indoor Canadian College Athletic Association (CCAA) championships, March 9-11. The Chargers earned their best finish in the team’s history, capturing the silver national medal after starting in seventh place. Players, coaches and fans from Halifax to Grand Prairie and all points in between travelled to the competition which drew standing-room-only crowds every night and over 23,000 viewers online worldwide. Camosun’s men’s golf team and men’s volleyball team also earned provincial PACWEST gold medals this year – making it one of our best Chargers seasons yet! The Chargers host the CCAA national men’s volleyball championships in March 2018.

ENGAGED COMMUNITIES

Supporting students, faculty and staff in engaged communities is another core component of our strategic plan. Applied learning opportunities, community events, charity campaigns, service learning projects—these are just a few examples of the positive impacts and connections Camosun makes in our community.
LABOUR MARKET DEMAND AND SKILLS FOR JOBS BLUEPRINT

SKILLS FOR JOBS
Camosun fills a valuable niche in the post-secondary environment, delivering quality learning with practical outcomes: career options, transferrable skills, and transition paths to further post-secondary education.

BC’s Skills for Jobs Blueprint tasks all post-secondary institutes to deliver education that will mitigate the mounting skills gap and contribute to the economy. Camosun is well-positioned to support the Blueprint, delivering approximately 2,000 FTEs annually through pre-foundation, foundation and apprenticeship programming for trades occupations. Overall capacity increased by an estimated 370 FTEs with the new Trades Education and Innovation Complex.

Camosun continues to direct resources to ensure all sectors have access to well-prepared college graduates who can seize emerging opportunities. The Provincial Government’s 2025 Labour Market Outlook indicates more than 78% of job openings will require some post-secondary education and training.

BC’s health sector employed 227,000 workers in 2015, one of the largest sectors in terms of the number of workers. The sector is also one of the fastest-growing industries, with employment growing at an average rate of 3.2% each year in the past decade, much higher than the 1.0% provincial average over the same period. Employment in the health sector is forecast to increase by an annual average rate of 2.3% to 2025.

UNITING FOR OUR COMMUNITY
Camosun College and the United Way have long been partners in improving lives and building healthy communities. Camosun staff, faculty and students together helped raise over $67,000 for the United Way this year. In recognition, Camosun earned the charity’s coveted “Post-Secondary Cup” at their Spirit Awards for achieving the highest level of participation and most money raised in 2016 – a friendly victory over both UVic and Royal Roads University. Camosun is one of 11 Greater Victoria workplaces to have cumulatively raised over $1 million over the years for the local United Way!

BUSINESS STUDENTS HELPING ZAMBIAN YOUTH
Twenty-six students in Camosun’s Marketing 420 Project Management course raised over $13,000 this winter semester to help send rural Zambian youth to the Women for Change Rural Youth Exposure Conference in Lusaka, Zambia. The students partnered with VIDEA, a local international development organization, which works with Women for Change, a gender focused non-governmental organization that helps women and children in Zambia’s rural communities for sustainable human development. Over the past four years, Camosun’s Marketing 420 students have raised over $44,000 for the cause.

CAMOSUN RECOGNIZED AS TOP PERFORMER IN SUSTAINABILITY
Camosun was recognized by the Advancement in Sustainability for Higher Education (AASHE) as one of the top 10 colleges in its association for our innovative approach to sustainable practices on campus and our popular two-year Environmental Technology Program. In January 2016 the college earned the association’s “Silver” rating for high-impact sustainable approaches. From our Indigenous plant garden to car pooling, alternative transportation initiatives, our five-year energy conservation program and our student-run composting system, we understand our shared responsibility for the health of our environment for future generations.
### Profile of Camosun’s Students

Examining the breakdown of Camosun College students shows the breadth and diversity of the college. FTE activity can be divided into three main areas: activity for the Ministry of Advanced Education (AVED) target; activity for the Industry Training Authority (ITA) target; and activity for International Students. Camosun remained relatively consistent with AVED and ITA FTE counts, and saw a large increase with respect to International Student FTEs.

In looking at the major categories of funded Full-Time Equivalent students (FTEs), Camosun had an increase for those funded by the Industry Training Authority (ITA). The FTE count funded by the ITA moved up to 2,233.1 from 1,978.3, an increase of 12.9%. FTEs funded by the Ministry of Advanced Education declined by 1.7%, moving from 6,447.1 to 6,340.9.

One of the summary performance measures relates to overall student satisfaction at the college. Camosun experienced a decline in its 2016 results for all three surveys by program grouping: the rate for former diploma, associate degree and certificate students moved to 91.3% from 93.5%; the rate for former apprenticeship students moved to 90.6% from 95.3%; and the rate for bachelor degree students moved to 96.3% from 98.8%.

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Source: WorkBC 2025 Labour Market Outlook

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### Priority health professions

| Nurse: licensed, registered, specialty, and nurse practitioner     | Nursing BSN, LPN diploma                                     |
| Physiotherapist and Occupational Therapist                       | University Transfer towards a degree, Bachelor of Athletic & Exercise Therapy |
| Respiratory Therapist                                            | University Transfer towards a BSc degree                      |
| Medical Laboratory Technologist                                  | Medical Laboratory Assistant certificate                      |
| Health Care Assistant/Care Aid                                   | Health Care Assistant certificate                             |

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FUTURE POPULATION TRENDS

Camosun College closely monitors the current and projected population of its region. Although there is an increasing number of International students, most of Camosun’s students come from the Capital Regional District (CRD). Population projections are created by BC Stats and used for the long-term strategic planning of post-secondary institutions. The larger the projected growth rate of the CRD’s population, the higher the likelihood more students will register at Camosun.

The following graph provides a 10-year projection for the CRD population by select age group:

### PROJECTED POPULATION GROWTH RATE BY AGE, CAPITAL REGION DISTRICT, 2016-2026

- The largest projected growth rate (2016-2026) is expected to occur in the population aged 65 years, or older at 40.6 percent.
- The largest rate of contraction is projected to occur in the 15-24 year olds at -8.5 percent, followed closely by those aged 55-64 years, at -6.6 percent.
- Overall, the population is projected to increase by 10.9 percent from 2016 to 2026. This includes birth, migration, and labour mobility.
- The overall level of population is expected to increase from 381,978 in 2016, up to 423,455 in 2026.
- The population projections by age group present a decrease in the 15-24 year old age group across the Capital Regional District. Another important report to consider is the Projection Report for Public School Headcount Enrolments (BC Ministry of Education). In looking more closely at these numbers, the number of secondary school students are projected to increase for Schools Districts 61 Victoria and 62 Sooke, however are projected to decrease for School District 63 Saanich.
NOTE: for the performance measures section, the following acronyms are used to describe the respective student follow-up surveys:

DACSO: Diploma, Associate Degree, and Certificate Student Outcomes Survey
APPSO: Apprenticeship Student Outcomes Survey
BGS: Baccalaureate Graduates Survey

Performance Measure 4: Student assessment of satisfaction with education

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Performance Measure 5: Student assessment of quality of instruction

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<td>Camosun continues to surpass the target in the performance measure on the quality of instruction. The college’s highest results for the 2016-17 fiscal year were for students under the BGS survey at 97.2%, next for students under the APPSO survey at 94.0% and then for students under the DACSO survey at 93.2%.</td>
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Performance Measure 6: Student outcomes – Skill Development (former diploma, certificate, and associate degree students’ assessment of skill development – DACSO)

| 2016-17 Result | 85.7% | The Ministry performance measures in this table above are obtained from results of former students’ self-assessment of skills development on the DACSO Survey. In 2016-17, the overall DACSO skills development percentage went from 87.0% to 85.7%. The biggest increase was in the Critical Analysis category, with an increase of 1.7 percentage points. The highest overall scores were in the Critical Analysis and Reading and Comprehension categories at 90.5% and 89.7% respectively. |
| 2016-17 Target | 85.0% |
| 2016-17 Assessment, Overall | Achieved |
| *note-the performance measure target for 2017-18 remains at 85% |
Performance Measure 6: Student outcomes – Skill Development
(former Apprenticeship graduates’ assessment of skill development – APPSO)

The Ministry performance measures in this table are obtained from results of former students’ self-assessment of skills development on the APPSO Survey. In 2016-17, the overall APPSO skills development percentage decreased from 85.0% to 81.8%. The biggest increase was in the Group Collaboration category with growth of 1.9 percentage points. The highest scores were in the Reading and Comprehension and Learning on your own categories at 92.2% and 87.3% respectively.

2016-17 – Skills development overall: 81.8%
2016-17 – Written communication: 84.8%
2016-17 – Oral communication: 86.5%
2016-17 – Group collaboration: 92.5%
2016-17 – Critical analysis: 97.2%
2016-17 – Problem resolution: 83.8%
2016-17 – Learning on your own: 87.9%
2016-17 – Reading and comprehension: 86.0%
2016-17 Target: 85.0%
2016-17 Assessment, Overall: Achieved

*note-the performance measure target for 2017-18 remains at 85%

Performance Measure 7: Student assessment of usefulness of knowledge and skills in job performance

The results for this performance measure remained similar when comparing the 2016-17 results to the 2015-16 results. The BGS respondents provided the highest score at 96.0%, down just 0.1 percentage points from 2015-16.

Survey Name | DACSO | APPSO | BGS | Comments
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2016-17 Result: | 82.5% | 93.9% | 96.0% | The results for this performance measure remained similar when comparing the 2016-17 results to the 2015-16 results. The BGS respondents provided the highest score at 96.0%, down just 0.1 percentage points from 2015-16.
2016-17 Target: | 90.0% | 90.0% | 90.0% | *note-the performance measure target for 2017-18 remains at 90%
2016-17 Assessment: | Substantially achieved | Achieved | Achieved |

Additional Performance Measures

Performance Measure A-1: Indigenous Students at Camosun

There were 1,117 Indigenous students attending Camosun College in the 2015-16 Academic Year, which is 5.8% of the student population. This was a slight decrease from 1,152 Indigenous students in the 2014-15 Academic Year. There is a one-year lag time in the data availability for this performance measure.

2015-16 Result: | 1,152 in 2014/15 (6.2%) | 1,117 in 2015/16 (5.8%) | There were 1,117 Indigenous students attending Camosun College in the 2015-16 Academic Year, which is 5.8% of the student population. This was a slight decrease from 1,152 Indigenous students in the 2014-15 Academic Year. There is a one-year lag time in the data availability for this performance measure.
2015-16 Target: | Increase from previous year | Increase from previous year |
2015-16 Assessment: | Not achieved | Not achieved |

*note-the performance measure target for 2017-18 remains “Increase from previous year.”
The following table, together with the performance measures listed in this report, demonstrate Camosun’s commitment to achieving the 2016/17 Mandate Letter Priorities.

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<td>Camosun identified new Full Time Equivalents (FTEs) within programs across almost every school at the college. This included alignment of additional FTEs from programs that were included in Camosun’s previous Skills Gap submissions, plus new programs including: Environmental Technology; Criminal Justice; Legal Office Assistant; Hospitality Management; and Sport and Fitness Leadership.</td>
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<td>Support the BCTECH Strategy</td>
<td>Before graduation, Camosun’s engineering technology students must apply their new knowledge and skills to a real-life design and manufacturing challenge with a local company or organization. Mechanical Engineering students conceptualized and built an underwater remotely operated vehicle, a formula race car; an automated ship ballast system and a greenhouse temperature management system, to name a few. Our Electronics and Computer Engineering Technology students designed and created a solar-powered, long-range drone, a vision assistance tool for the visually impaired, a wireless amplifier controller, and an in-home automated garden utilizing aeroponics. Camosun began a substantial review and renewal of our engineering technology programming. The comprehensive process involved a complete curriculum redesign of our engineering technology certificate, diploma, engineering bridge and advanced diploma programs, and the renewed programs were implemented in fall 2016.</td>
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<td>Assist in advancing key strategies of Government in the:</td>
<td>As part of Camosun’s commitment to the Truth and Reconciliation Commission’s (TRC) calls to action, more than 800 faculty and staff gathered on our annual “Conversations Day,” in February for an in-depth college-wide discussion on the issue of reconciliation and our response as a public educational institution. The “Day of Reconciliation” served as a springboard for a lively and engaging conversation that resulted in 39 distinct recommendations for Camosun to action over the next few years. Camosun has continued to increase the number of International Students attending the college with an objective to further diversified the source countries of International students. With close to 2,000 international students enrolled from over 80 countries, four short-term partnership independent study programs, four field schools, 17 exchange opportunities, 18 work/volunteer abroad opportunities and several global agreements, Camosun International creates a college community that knows no borders.</td>
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<td>Collaborate on the development of a common application system</td>
<td>Camosun participated in the working groups towards the development of a common application system across the province. In addition, the college completed submissions, as required to the ministry, which included data and statements of practice for further use in support of this initiative.</td>
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<td>Meet or exceed financial targets identified in the Ministry’s Service Plan as tabled under Budget 2016</td>
<td>Camosun remains committed to financial accountability and sustainability and successfully managed our financial performance throughout the year reporting a small surplus at March 31st. Camosun continues to meet its reporting obligations to the Ministry that include quarterly financial results and forecast – operating and capital, student FTE, Annual Accountability report.</td>
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<td>Support of the Administrative Service Delivery Transformation initiative</td>
<td>Participation in these cross-sector initiatives allow Camosun to leverage buying power and procurement expertise resulting in procurement efficiencies and small savings. Camosun participated in the following procurement initiatives, including membership on various working committees: office supplies, customs brokerage services, trades equipment and consumables, and fleet management services. During the year, Camosun implemented the UNIGLOBE One Travel management service and began planning for the replacement of the College’s Multi-Functional Devices under the Ricoh Canada agreement negotiated in November.</td>
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