

BSN Graduates

CLASS OF 2020

Message from the Director

Congratulations!

Today we celebrate you, the 2020 graduating class of the School of Nursing. You represent the last of the "Centenary cohorts" -those who studied during 2019, the year the School of Nursing celebrated one hundred years since joining UBC as the first baccalaureate degree program in nursing, not just in all of Canada, but across the British Commonwealth. You are also our graduating cohort during the International Year of the Nurse and Midwife, and as our alumni, you take your place in the nursing profession at a time when we are needed more than ever.

In the next few years, you will see a brand new learning/teaching/health care facility rising at the corner of University Boulevard and Wesbrook Mall to house a School that will continue to serve and support your developing careers. However, the School supports more than careers. Over the past two years, you have developed close friendships and support groups. The School's Alumni Engagement team is here to help you stay in touch with one another, to support your gatherings and alumni events, to

provide opportunities to connect with previous and future graduates of our program, and most of all, to celebrate your accomplishments. Our graduates have gone on to amazing achievements around the world, and you each have the potential to do the same, because you received your education from one of the top institutions in nursing education and research, enhanced by the expert practice, education, and enquiry of our current nursing

As our alumni, you will mentor our next cohorts of students. As nurses, you will be a lifeline and touchstone for countless others. As visionaries, uniquely placed to witness what needs to be done and equipped with the skills to achieve it, you will help shape nursing for the next 100 years, leading at the cusp of change and innovation in health care.

I wish you all the greatest success in our profession, the most trusted in health care, and I look forward to seeing the inspiring things you'll do to contribute to health for all.

Elizabeth M. Saewyc, PhD, RN, FSAHM, FCAHS, FAAN Professor and Director, School of Nursing

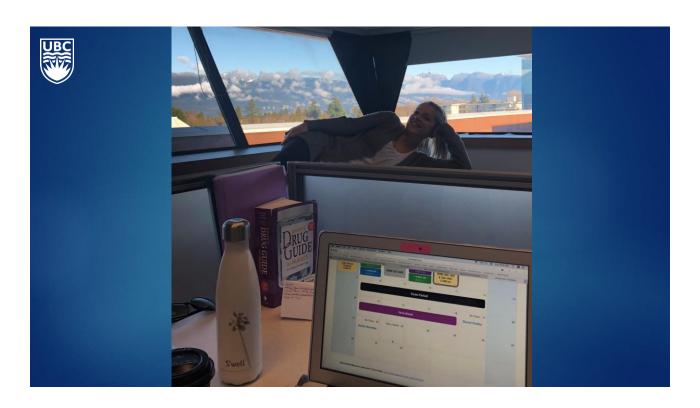


You (and your fellow nursing graduates) should be extremely proud of your accomplishments, particularly in this 'age of COVID'. The class of 2020, with the challenges that you have had to overcome/example you have set, will be among the greatest UBC has ever graduated. Congrats!

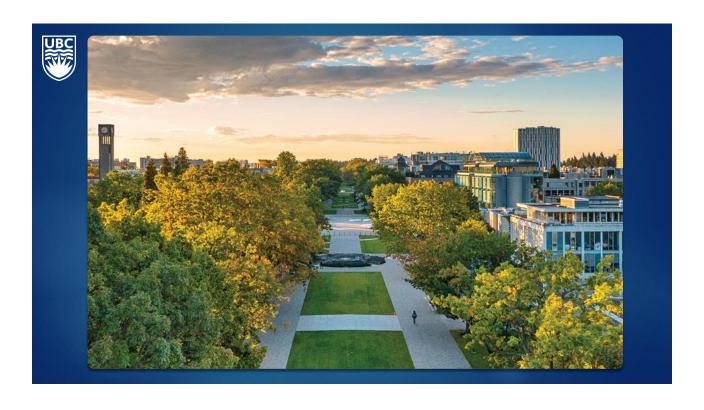
Michael Korenberg, Chair, UBC Board of Governors, to Raluca Radu, MSN, and the Nursing class of 2020 via Twitter























Congratulations to the entire class of 2020! You've persevered through a tough program, and are now launching your careers in almost unprecedented times. Way to go, everyone!

The Rabb Family









Congratulations to the graduating class of 2020! You have all worked extremely hard and should be very proud of your achievement as you embark into the world of Nursing as Registered Nurses. I wish you all the very best in your Nursing Career.

Debbie Mann









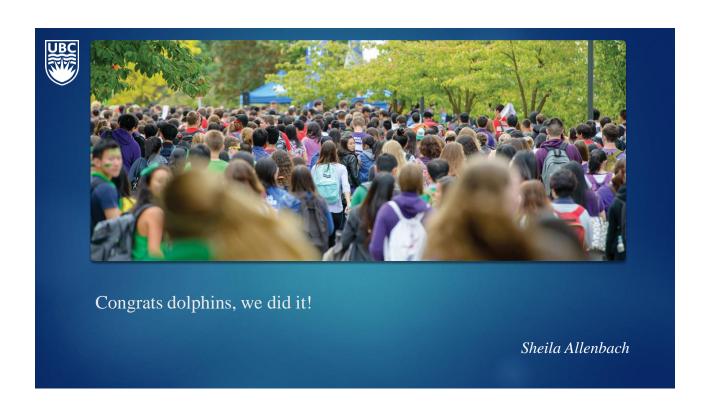


Arabella, so proud of you and all of your accomplishments with this program- wow! You are an amazing young woman who will continue to achieve great things and continue to have a positive impact on all of those lives you touch through your care.

Leslie Cole













We are very proud of your accomplishments and determination to reach your goals Zoe. Congratulations on your graduation! We admire your passion and wish you a meaningful, inspired and joyful career.

To Zoe Ounpuu-Adams, Love mom and dad











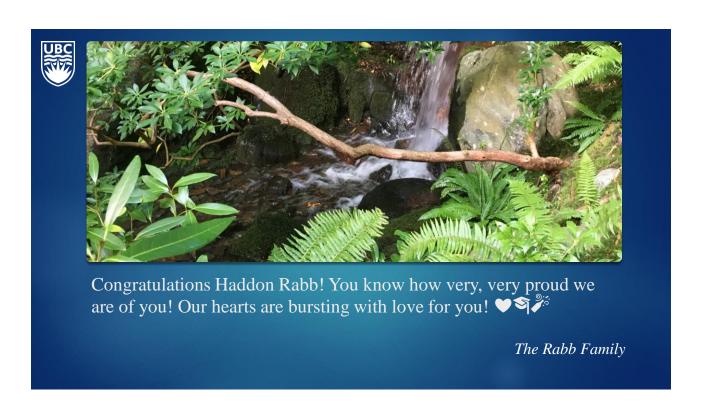
The compassion that has always shone through from this remarkable young man, is just one trait that will make him an incredible Nurse. Each Patient that Haddon attends to, will quickly realize how fortunate they are to be cared for by him.

Grandma Guy









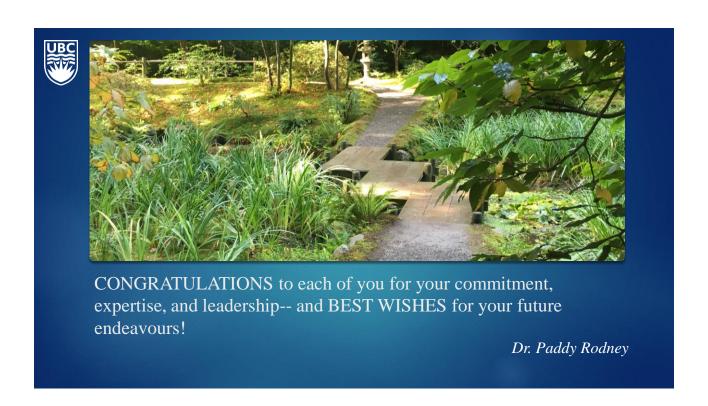


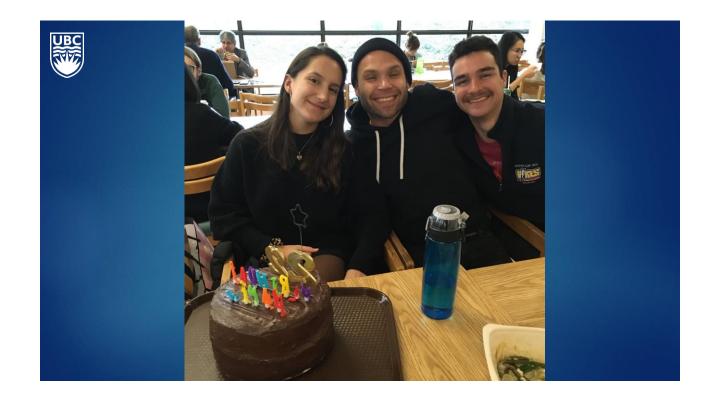












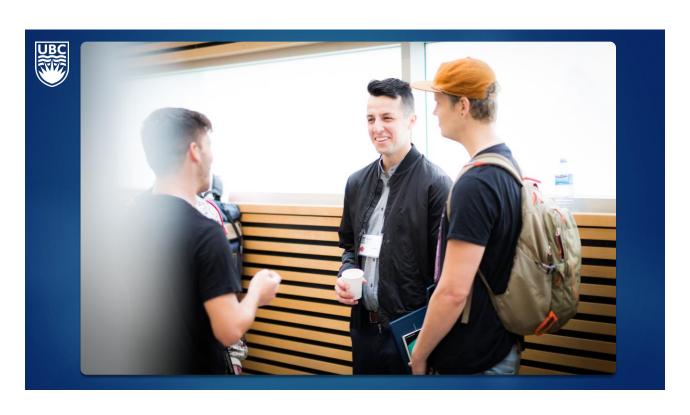
















Dear graduates, I'm sorry I can't join you virtually today. My best wishes to you on your career journey. It's been my pleasure to meet and to know many of you. You will be stellar leaders! Please stay in touch and stay well,

Dr. Maura MacPhee













Congratulations and best wishes to you all. I have many fond memories of my time working and learning with this cohort of students. I celebrate each of you for your successful completion of your BSN degree. Listen to your intuition and follow your heart as your journey into becoming a Registered Nurse commences. Thank you for such fond memories - I cherish them all.

Chelsey Hartwig



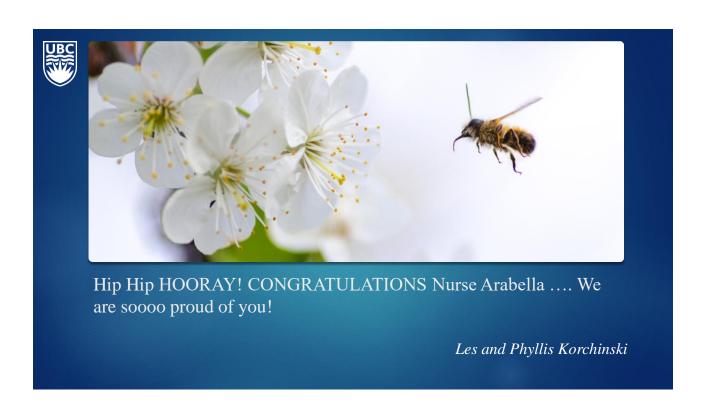


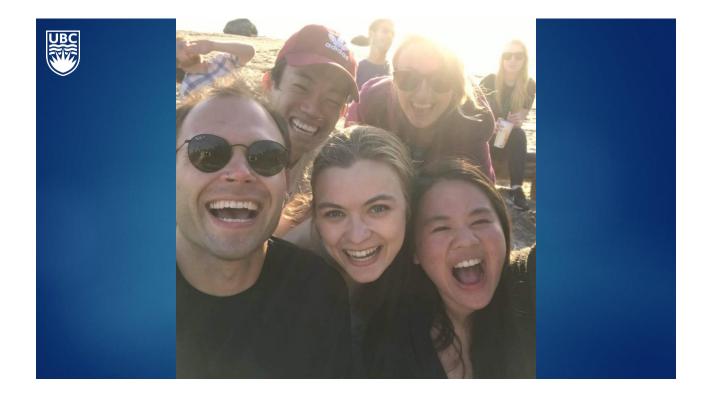




















Congratulations to all the UBC Nursing grads in this most unusual of years. May your hard-earned degrees stand you in good stead for truly remarkable careers.

Dr. Sally Thorne







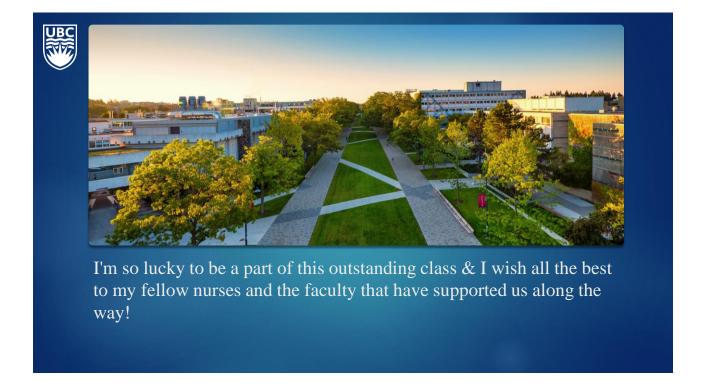


Zoe, you have always shown a keen interest in everything you do. I enjoyed a long and rewarding career in nursing and was particularly happy when you decided to follow the same path. You will make an excellent nurse! *Gram*



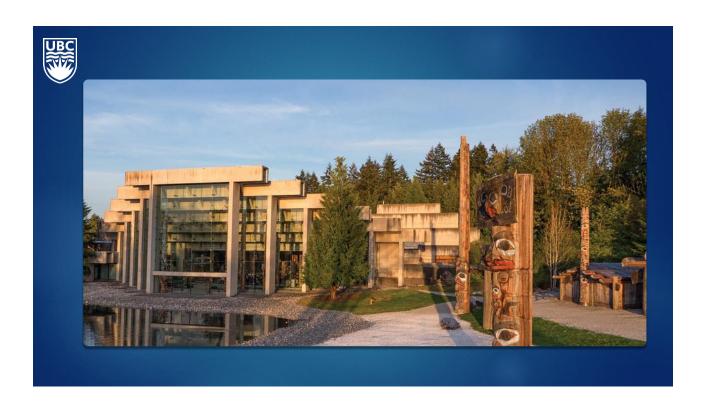
















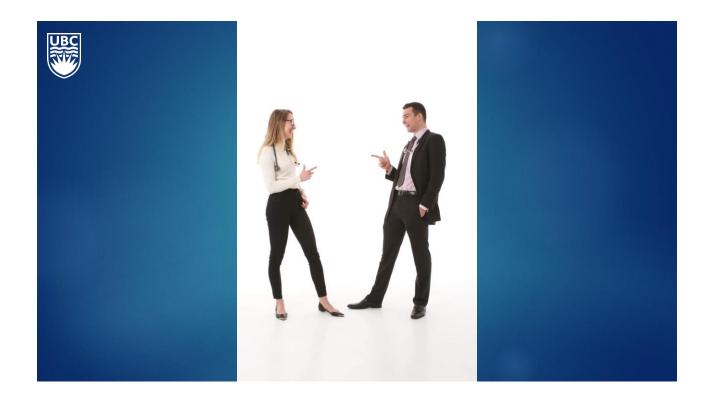






Dear Nurse Julia - I am so proud of you, little coz! You're so caring, nurturing, and kind--I should've known you'd become a nurse. *On your first day of work, don't forget to bring a red felt pen, in case you need to draw blood!*

Kendra





















Congratulations on this amazing accomplishment in a difficult time. Best wishes for your future endeavors.

Dr. Susan Dahinten













Congratulations Jeffrey Lam! I can't wait for you to begin your nursing career. I have no doubt that you will be an amazing nurse while continuing to excel in your clinical and leadership skills. We're proud of you!

Alex Tang















As you enter the world as a professional nurse be proud of what you have accomplished and celebrate your success. As I said many times, you are the future of nursing! The future is bright and we are in capable hands! Congratulations to all.

Dr. Cheryl Segaric









Well done class of 2020 - continue to make your mark in the nursing profession and beyond! Congratulations to all of you. It has been an honour and pleasure to have been part of your nursing education and experience. I wish you all the very best in your nursing adventures and practice ahead - do yourself proud - you are all ready amazing!

Jill Mahy











Heartfelt congratulations for reaching this peak! Celebrating with you in the culmination of this season of study, cheering as you launch on your career of caring for people with skill, kindness, patience & love. Our love & prayers go ever with you!

To Sheila Allenbach from Your Proud Parents













With your kindness and your courage, you represent the best of us. You will make your patients better people and the world a better place.

Debbie and Peter Mills to the Class of 2020







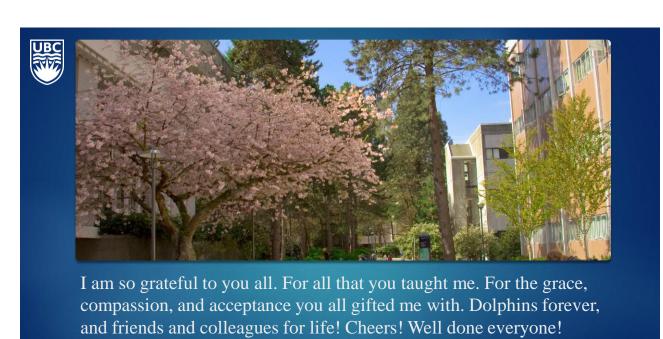


I graduated from UBC nursing more than 70 years ago. It makes me proud to see so many young people still aspiring to pursue the challenges and joys of a career as a UBC nursing graduate. "To you from failing hands we throw the torch…"



















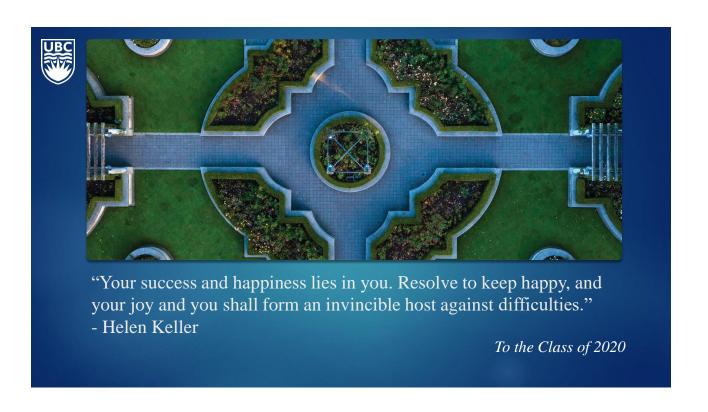


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Dr. Wendy Hall









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