

Thrive

Holland College Alumni Insider



Thrive (v):

- 1. to prosper; be fortunate or successful.*
- 2. to grow or develop vigorously; flourish.*

Welcome to the Fall 2020 edition of Thrive, Holland College Alumni Insider. Published and distributed just four times a year, each edition will be jam-packed with discounts, perks, contests, invitations, and important news just for Holland College alumni!



Announcing our 2020 Holland College Distinguished Alumni Award Recipients

The Holland College Foundation has named **Vince McKenna**, **Dawn Rix-Moore**, and **Harvey Stewart** as the recipients of the 13th Annual Distinguished Alumni Awards.

Vince McKenna

Programmer/Analyst, 1984

President, Deltaware Maximus (Retired)

"Holland College offered an excellent environment for skills development, teamwork, and project leadership to build the confidence to launch my IT business career."

Dawn Rix-Moore

Nursing Assistant, 1996

Executive Director, College of Licensed Practical Nurses of Prince Edward Island

"Holland College provided mentors and experiences which have had a lifelong positive impact on me. This has helped to create a solid foundation for everything I have since done."

Harvey Stewart

Welding, 1978

Founder & President, Trout River Industries

"My time at Holland College was very beneficial in my life, especially my first year when I went through all the trades and learned skills that I use every day. It might be electrical, plumbing, or mechanical. There isn't a week that goes by that I don't think about what I learned at Holland College. It is a honour to receive this award."

[Learn more about Vince, Dawn, and Harvey](#)

The Holland College Foundation proudly recognizes the exemplary contributions made by Holland College graduates in public service, business, the environment, community service, the arts, or service to Holland College through the annual Distinguished Alumni Awards program.

[Learn more about the Distinguished Alumni Awards program here.](#)

ALUMNI GROUP BENEFITS

As Holland College alumni, you are eligible for many

benefits and options to make your day-to-day life easier.



Holland College and Manulife are working together to save you more money with the recent addition of the **manulifeMONEY+ Visa Infinite card for alumni**. There are several fantastic perks with this card, including a free one-year subscription to Amazon Prime if you sign up by **December 31st, 2020!**

You asked, we listened! Two new insurance benefits are now available through Manulife: Health & Dental and Travel.

Health & Dental is a great way to start your coverage or to add on to the existing coverage you have. Leisure travel may not be top of mind right now, but if you do want or need to travel, insurance is more important than ever. Alumni also qualify for discounted group rates on Manulife's **Term Life Insurance** products.



TD Insurance is also a preferred partner to Holland College for alumni insurance coverage. Through TD Insurance, Holland College alumni have access to preferred insurance rates on car, home, condo and tenant coverage .

[Click here for more information on all Holland College alumni group benefits .](#)



DID YOU KNOW?

Secretarial Arts was one of the original four programs offered when Holland College first opened in 1969. Since then, more than 1,750 students have graduated with a Holland College administrative or secretarial credential!



ALUMNI Q&A



Meet Chris Murray - Urban & Rural Planning Class of 1987 City Manager, Toronto

We recently caught up with
Holland College alumnus Chris Murray ...

[Read the interview here](#)

PERKS



Hot Deal on Heating Oil and Propane from Irving
Energy

Holland College alumni are eligible to save 7 cents / litre
on heating oil and 10 cents / litre on propane thanks to
the Irving Energy Discount Program! [Learn more.](#)

Deep Roots Distillery 15% discount for
Holland College Alumni

Show your Holland College alumni card at Deep



Roots Distillery / Beamish Apple Orchard for a 15% discount on many products including apparel, maple syrup, and hand sanitizer.

** Available at the Charlottetown Farmers Market every Saturday or at the Distillery by appointment. Ends December 31, 2020. Some exclusions apply.*



Anne of Green Gables Chocolates is offering Holland College alumni a 15% discount on the “Localicious” gift box, suitable for any occasion.

Localicious is available at the Creamery Boardwalk location, either in-store or by phone order. Box includes COW chips (85g), Lucky Fox caramel corn (50g), chocolate bar x 2 (40g), brown sugar fudge (220g), and a small box of chocolates (160g). Simply show your alumni card at time of purchase, or call and mention that you saw the perk in the Holland College Alumni newsletter.

*Effective until December 31, 2020. International and domestic shipping options available.

Downtown Charlottetown perk for Holland College Alumni - Still Available!

The Downtown Charlottetown Discount Card offers year-round savings! More than 50 downtown businesses are offering in-store discounts and promotions to holders of the Downtown Discount Card. **This card is FREE for Holland College alumni.**

Get yours by emailing alumni@hollandcollege.com with DISCOUNT CARD in the subject line, provide your program/year of graduation, and your current mailing address. Your card* will be sent to you by mail. Card is valid until May 31, 2021!

*Limited quantity



Missing your Holland College Alumni Card? Simply download the Holland College Alumni App and register for your card electronically, or email alumni@hollandcollege.com and request to have a card mailed to you.

[Click here for more perks!](#)

NEWS



Human Resource Management Program Receives Accreditation

Holland College's one-year Human Resource Management



Golf Classic Reinvests in Student Experience

Holland College, the Holland College Foundation, and Holland

certificate program has received accreditation from the provincial branch of the Chartered Professionals in Human Resources Canada.

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Hurricanes hosted the 20th Annual Holland College Golf Classic, presented by Bell Aliant, on September 17 at Belvedere Golf Club.

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Graphic Design Graduate Wins Award

Duncan Brooks, a 2020 graduate of Holland College's Graphic Design program, was recently named a regional winner in the BMO 1st Art! competition. BMO 1st Art! celebrates the creativity of art school students from over 100 post-secondary...

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College Joins Canadian Colleges for a Resilient Recovery

Holland College is joining forces with a group of colleges, institutions, polytechnics and CEGEPs from across Canada to educate a post-pandemic workforce to support a new climate-focused economic recovery.

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DON'T MISS



Reminder: Class of 2020 Grad Contest – win an Apple iPad!

Exclusively for the graduating class of 2020, connect with the alumni office for your chance to win a 32GB Apple iPad!

Up to four opportunities to have your name included in the draw:

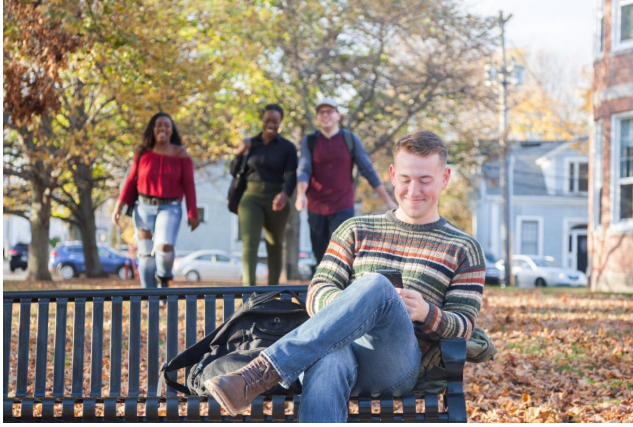
- Facebook - Like @HCAumni
- Twitter - Follow @HC_Alum_and_Fdn
- LinkedIn - Add Holland College under your Education in your profile
- Use #hcalumni2020 in a post on ANY of these social media channels



Contest closes: December 1, 2020
Prize courtesy of:



COVID-19 Measures
at





Holland College

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hollandcollege HC Alumni Shoutout! 📌

Reposting @eringibbonsrealtor:
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"Something that you might not know about me is that I was a youth worker before I got into real estate. I absolutely LOVED my program at Holland College!"

Recently Spotted on Instagram!

We See You @eringibbonsrealtor!

Be sure to tag us in your #HCAumni shoutouts!



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