

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 2021 edition of Thrive, Holland College Alumni Insider. Published and distributed just four times a year, each edition will include with discounts, perks, contests, invitations, and important news just for Holland College alumni!



Announcing our 2021 Holland College Distinguished Alumni Award Recipients

The Holland College Foundation has named **Lloyd Compton**, **Rob Morris**, and **Carolyn Simpson** as the recipients of the 14th Annual Distinguished Alumni Awards.

Lloyd Compton

Business Administration, 1987

Partner, MRSB and President, Confederation M&A

"Holland College for me was the ignition switch for my career. The instructors and the Business program helped me figure out what I wanted for a rewarding career and how to be useful. The practical skills that I learned at Holland College led directly to life-changing opportunities and the relationships made there have been priceless."

Rob Morris

Child and Youth Care Worker, 1989

Senior Director of Residential Programs, Phoenix Youth

"I cannot express enough gratitude for my time in the Child and Youth Care Worker program at Holland College. It was simultaneously an intense and rewarding experience that laid the foundation for not just a career, but a life long passion for social justice work. It has been a privilege to be part of this journey with so many colleagues and the countless youth who have called Phoenix home."

Carolyn Simpson

Human Services, 1980 and Early Childhood Education, 1987

Early Years Advisor, Prince Edward Island Department of Education

"Holland College not only provided me with an exceptional education, but also instilled within me a commitment to the profession and people I would serve, thus laying the foundation for what has become my life's passion. I am forever grateful for my experiences with Holland College."

[Learn more about Lloyd, Carolyn, and Rob](#)

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 **MANULIFE Visa+ Infinite Card** for alumni.

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**

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?

The Holland Hurricanes launched an equestrian team in 2021! Here is a team photo of their first competition at Clyde Banks Farms in September.



ALUMNI Q&A



Meet Steve Barber -
Hotel and Restaurant Management
Class of 2001
Co-Founder, Red Island Hospitality
Group

We recently caught up with
Holland College alumnus Steve Barber ...

[Read the interview here](#)

PERKS



Charlottetown Islanders Hockey: Save 20% on All Regular Season Home Game Tickets

Use the online coupon code: HCALUMNI and you will save 20% off the regular price of admission. Tickets must be purchased online only. Not valid for playoffs.

Anne of Green Gables Chocolates: 15%
Discount on the "Localicious" Gift Box for
Holland College Alumni

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, 2021. International and domestic shipping options available.



Welcome to Irving Energy

Holland College and Irving Energy have teamed up to offer you special pricing on your home heating needs. You are now eligible to receive the following discounts:*

7¢/litre
off heating oil

10¢/litre
off propane

To take advantage of this great pricing, call **1.888.310.1924** and mention code **9015**.

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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, 2022!

**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





Holland College Foundation announces new board members

The Holland College Foundation is pleased to welcome Mark Ledwell and Ray Keenan to its board of directors.

[Read more](#)
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Annual golf classic a success

Holland College, the Holland College Foundation, and Holland Hurricanes Athletics recently hosted the 21st Annual Holland College Golf Classic, presented by Cox & Palmer and Cooke Insurance, at Belvedere Golf Club.

[Read more](#)
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Holland College
2020 Reputation Monitor

June 2021

Prepared for:



All benchmark and competitive data included in this report are proprietary to Narrative Research and have been prepared for the exclusive use of Holland College.

Holland College ranks first in reputation

A recent survey by Narrative Research ranks Holland College first out of 25 post-secondary institutions in the region for its reputation and puts the college in a tie for first place with UPEI and Memorial University for its regional familiarity.

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Additional Practical Nursing program offered

Holland College will launch an additional Practical Nursing program on the Prince of Wales Campus in January, president Dr. Alexander (Sandy) MacDonald announced today.

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DON'T MISS



Reminder: Class of 2021 Grad Contest! Win a one-year subscription to Netflix and Pizza for a year!

Exclusively for the graduating class of 2021, connect with the alumni office for your chance to win a one-year subscription to Netflix and Pizza for a year!

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

*Prizes are as awarded. We reserve the right to draw another name if winner does not respond in a timely manner.

- 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, 2021

Prize courtesy of:



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