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Tolstoi Church chalice, as it appears in our 150 for 150 Exhibit

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Museums & the Community

Certificate Program in Museum Practice

It has been an age-old and ongoing challenge for museums to evolve and compete for the attention of visitors and residents alike. More than ever before, museums must find a way to be relevant in a society focused on technology and entertainment. Museums must actively seek out and work with a broad network of community partners in order to appeal to new audiences and to ensure the long-term sustainability of the collections and stories they preserve.

This course will help you define your museum's role in the community and give you ideas for finding new partnerships that can

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Useful Links

- [Canadian Conservation Institute \(CCI\)](#)
- [Canadian Heritage Information Network](#)
- [Creative Manitoba](#)
- [Department of Canadian Heritage](#)
- [Endow Manitoba - Heritage Trust Program](#)
- [Museum Hack](#)

make your museum an invaluable community service provider.

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Date: March 20 & 21, 2020

Location: Commonwealth Air Training Plan Museum

Instructors: Jo Bunka and Loretta Dyck, Winnipegosis Museum

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Young Canada Works

Applications 101: Building HO and BCH Applications

This half-day workshop will be a quick overview of how to effectively write a Young Canada Works Application for the Young Canada Works in Heritage Organizations (Summer Jobs) and Young Canada Works in Building Careers in Heritage programs.

You'll get a quick run-down of both programs and a quick intro on signing up for an account, before getting into the nitty-gritty of how to build a strong application.

Date: January 10, 2020

Location: Dalnavert Museum (61 Carlton Street, Winnipeg)

There are no fees for this workshop and space is limited to 30 participants, so register EARLY.

[More information and to Register.](#)

Holiday Hours

The AMM office will close for the holidays on Friday, December 20 and will re-open on Monday, January 6, 2020.

Holiday Breakfast

Thank you to everyone who joined us for this year's Holiday Breakfast at the Hotel Fort Garry. It's always such an enjoyable way to get together while enjoying great food and a lovely atmosphere.



Budget 2020 Consultations Update

Manitoba Finance has moved the December 6 meeting at the New

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Nominations may be made at anytime.

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Iceland Heritage Museum in Gimli to **Thursday, January 9, 2020** from 3 to 5 PM.

Information on upcoming public consultations will be posted at <https://engagemb.ca>.

CCI & CHIN Podcast

For nearly 50 years, museum and heritage professionals worldwide have looked to the Canadian Conservation Institute (CCI) and the Canadian Heritage Information Network (CHIN) for their expertise.



Now, CCI and CHIN are looking share their histories through interviews with current and former staff members as well as key figures within the fields of conservation and collections management. If you are starting a career in cultural heritage or are simply curious to learn about what goes on behind the scenes at CCI and CHIN, this is the podcast for you.

[Visit website...](#)

Youth Ambassadors

Manitoba 150 is looking for a few good people between the ages of 18 to 29 who have stories they'd like to share about their communities as MB150 Youth Ambassadors.

Stories can be varied and diverse, and can profile local celebrities or champions, historical or current events, or infamous relics, places or things that put your community on the map! In this program, storytelling can be more than writing, although there will be a writing component as you report back to Volunteer Manitoba on the project's progress.

Application deadline is **December 9, 2019**.

[Read more...](#)

Royal Winnipeg Ballet

80th Anniversary

The Royal Winnipeg Ballet is celebrating its 80th season!

To celebrate they have created a costume exhibit showcasing the design and craftsmanship that the Company has been known for throughout its history.

This exhibit celebrates the artists involved in the creations, as well as the artists who have worn the costumes over the years. They are aiming to engage the community by creating displays in 5 locations that are easily accessible to the public.

In order to put the exhibit together they are looking for a few items:

Become a Member

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FREE Advertising!

Send your pamphlets to us and we'll add them to our display stand for FREE! Our audience includes concert goers, opera enthusiasts, city council members, city employees, a mayor, and visitors to the Manitoba Museum and Planetarium.



MISSION STATEMENT

The Association of Manitoba Museums will strive to become the primary museum related service organization in Manitoba providing innovative training, advocacy, resources and responsive leadership to a diverse and growing membership. It will promote Manitoba museums in the wider community from a secure financial base.

VISION STATEMENT

- 22 X female adult mannequins
- 4 X male adult mannequins
- 4 X child sized mannequins
- 24 X stands for mannequins
- 14 X mannequin heads

Platforms/plinths with adequate combined space for 8 mannequins to stand on

If you can help them out please contact:
Bryce Creasy at 204-957-3491 or Ryan Rogocki at
RRogocki@rwb.org

University of BC

UBC's Master of Museum Education is a unique graduate degree program focusing on the study of education and learning that occurs in museums and other informal learning contexts (such as, art galleries, science centres, parks, historic sites, etc.). This program draws together Museum professionals, educators and those with an interest in using the community to support teaching and learning to further their thinking and scholarship around museums as sites of education and learning.

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Canadian Heritage

Job Opportunity

Three, one-year paid internships are available with Canadian Heritage. Application deadline is Friday, December 13, 2019.

[Read more...](#)

Whyte Museum

Job Opportunity

The Whyte Museum acquires, preserves, interprets and makes accessible the history, and culture of the Canadian Rockies through our collections, exhibitions, and programming. The Whyte Museum is looking for a Digital Imaging Technician to digitize holdings, create metadata, and prepare existing digital holdings for uploading to the Archives and Library database and online catalogue.

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Member News & Events!

Check out what's happening at museums in Manitoba

[Arborg & District Multicultural Heritage Village](#) (Arborg) •

The Association of Manitoba Museums, as the voice of our museum community, is dedicated to promoting excellence in preserving and presenting Manitoba's heritage.

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- [Art Gallery of Southwestern Manitoba](#) (Brandon)
- [Buhler Gallery](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Charleswood Historical Society](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Children's Museum](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Dalnavert Museum & Visitors' Centre](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Daly House Museum](#) (Brandon)
- [Fort la Reine Museum](#) (Portage la Prairie)
- [Gallery 1c03](#) (Winnipeg)
- [La maison Gabrielle-Roy](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Lac du Bonnet Historical Society](#) (Lac du Bonnet)
- [Living Prairie Museum](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Manitoba Agricultural Museum](#) (Austin)
- [Manitoba Crafts Museum & Library](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Manitoba Museum](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Mennonite Heritage Village](#) (Steinbach)
- [New Iceland Heritage Museum](#) (Gimli)
- [Oak Hammock Marsh Interpretive Centre](#) (Stonewall)
- [Oseredok - Ukrainian Culture & Education Centre](#) (Winnipeg)
- [RCA Museum](#) (Shilo)
- [School of Art Gallery](#) (University of Manitoba, Winnipeg)
- [St. Andrews Heritage Centre & Rectory](#) (St. Andrews)
- [Transcona Museum](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Winnipeg Art Gallery](#) (Winnipeg)
- [Winnipeg River Heritage Museum](#) (Saint-Georges)

Is a link to your event not here? Sorry if we missed it. Please send your events, news & photos to the [AMM office](#) so we can share them!

Classifieds

Deaccessioned Items

The Canada Science and Technology Museum located (Ottawa, ON) is offering some deaccessioned artifacts for transfer to non-profit museums/institutions as part of its collection development and rationalization program.

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Shipping costs will be the responsibility of the receiving institution.

The Association of Manitoba Museums acknowledges that we are on Treaty 1 territory, the traditional territory of Anishinaabeg, Cree, Oji-Cree, Dakota, and Dene Peoples, and the homeland of the Métis Nation.

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