



## Preliminary Program

**2020 Conference**  
**Canadian Society for the**  
**History of Medicine**

**30 May – 1 June 2020**

Western University  
London, Canada



## Préliminaire Programme

**2020 Conférence**  
**Société canadienne d'histoire**  
**de la médecine**

**Du 30 mai au 1<sup>er</sup> juin 2020**

Western University  
London, Canada

CSHM-SCHM session locations / lieux des séances:

- FIMS & Nursing Building (FNB)
- International & Graduate Affairs Building (IGAB)
- Windermere Manor (200 Collip Circle)
- Kresge Building (KB) \*interdisciplinary session with / session interdisciplinaire avec CSHPS



**FRIDAY MAY 29 | VENDREDI 29 MAI**

18:00 – 21:00

**CSHM Executive Meeting | Réunion de l'exécutif de la SCHM**

**SATURDAY MAY 30 | SAMEDI 30 MAI**

08:00 – 08:30

**Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**

FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

08:30 – 09:00

**Welcoming Remarks | Mot d'ouverture**

FNB 1240

09:00 – 10:30

**Concurrent Sessions | A1 – A3 | Séances simultanées**

09:00 – 10:30

**A1: Medicinal Plants and Drugs**

FNB 1200

**A1: Plantes médicinales et médicaments**

Chair/président: James T.H. Connor (Memorial University of Newfoundland)

*Missionaries and Patent Medicines in the Seventeenth Century Medical Marketplace*  
Justin Rivest (University of Cambridge)

*Galenizing the New World: Joseph-François Lafitau's "Galenization" of Canadian Ginseng, c.1716–1724 \**

Gianamar Giovannetti-Singh (University of Cambridge)

*Experimental Andes: Exploring Invocations of Indigeneity in Mid-Twentieth Century Peruvian Psychiatry \**

Taylor Dysart (University of Pennsylvania)

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09:00 – 10:30  
FNB 1220

**A2: Science, Bodies and Evidence**  
**A2: Science, corps et preuves**

Chair/présidente: Sasha Mullally (University of New Brunswick)

*The 'Atypical' Example: Gender and Racial Bias in the Canadian Anatomy Classroom \**  
Carly Naismith (York University)

*"Go Take a Look at Millie Now": What Murder and Tattoos Reveal About Museums, Bureaucracy, and Access to Information in Quebec*  
Jamie Jelinski (Queen's University)

*What made medicine modern?*  
Jonathan Fuller (University of Pittsburgh)

09:00 – 10:30  
FNB 1240

**A3: Psychiatric Institutions and Practices**  
**A3: Établissements et pratiques psychiatriques**

Chair/présidente: Esyllt Jones (University of Manitoba)

*Behind Closed Doors: The Regulation of Patient Movement in English and Scottish Insane Asylums, 1890-1914 \**  
Vesna Curlic (University of Edinburgh)

*A European Failure? The medico-pedagogical method in France and Scotland, 1870-1914 \**  
Axelle Champion (University of Edinburgh)

*The Birth of Autism: Discovery, Credit, and Consensus Formation in Science*  
Marga Vicedo (University of Toronto)

10:30 – 11:00

**Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**

FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

11:00 – 12:30

**PATERSON LECTURE | CONFÉRENCE PATERSON \***

FNB 1240

**Kim Anderson**, Canada Research Chair in Indigenous Relationships  
University of Guelph

**“A 2020 view on Ethics and Indigenous Health Histories: Are we Asking the Right Questions?”**

**Financial support for this session was provided by Associated Medical Services**  
**Cette session est financée par Associated Medical Services**

In this lecture, Kim Anderson will discuss how the last two decades of scholarship on Indigenous research methodologies have shifted the landscape on how research pertaining to Indigenous peoples and lands has changed. Discussions in Canada were at first primarily focused around ethical conduct in health research. As universities take up processes of “Indigenizing the academy,” ethics offices have an opportunity to review their processes, to ponder, “Are we asking the right questions?” In the context of self-determined Indigenous research, questions about what is ethical are much broader, crossing methodological lines. Using story-work from her own practices in oral history and drawing from conversations with colleagues who do Indigenous health history, Dr. Anderson will invite conference participants to engage in a 2020 visioning of how our disciplines might move forward in ethically co-constructing Indigenous health histories.



**About the Speaker:** Dr. Kim Anderson is a Metis scholar with a PhD in history from the University of Guelph. She holds a Canada Research Chair in Indigenous Relationships and is an Associate Professor in the Department of Family Relations and Applied Nutrition at the University of Guelph. Dr. Anderson has published seven books and over thirty peer reviewed articles on subjects including gender and Indigeneity, Indigenous health and well-being, Indigenous research methodologies and Indigenous knowledge transfer in urban settings. Much of her work involves oral history. Her latest book publication is a co-produced memoir with Anishinaabe artist Rene Mesake, entitled *Injichaag, My Soul in Story: Anishinaabe Poetics in Art and Words* (University of Manitoba Press, 2019).

12:30 – 14:00

FNB 1240

**CSHM Annual General Meeting (with lunch provided)**  
**Assemblée annuelle de la SCHM (avec dîner)**

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14:00 – 15:30

**Concurrent Sessions | B1 – B3 | Séances simultanées**

14:00 – 15:30

**B1: Emotions and Ethics**

FNB 1200

**B1: Émotions et éthique**

Chair/présidente: Isabelle Perreault (Université d'Ottawa)

*"Joy Comes in the Mourning": The Science and Politics of Post-Abortion Trauma \**  
Megann Licskai (Yale University)

*Troubling Archives: Enchantment and Emotion at Palo Seco Leprosarium*  
Caroline Lieffers (King's University)

*En archives psychiatriques et judiciaires : quelques enjeux et considérations éthiques dans la mouvance de « l'affect turn »*  
Isabelle Perreault (Université d'Ottawa)

14:00 – 15:30

**B2: Medical Education in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century**

FNB 1220

**B2: L'éducation médicale au 20e siècle**

Chair/président: Geoffrey Hudson (Lakehead University)

*Mission Plus Accreditation Equals Conformation: Catholic Ideals and Institutional Transformation During the Formative Years of University of Ottawa's Medical School, 1945-1965*  
Susan Lamb (University of Ottawa)

*The role of the Pernkopf atlas in modern medical education \**  
Arita Alija (Western University)

*The Historical Evolution of Postgraduate Medical Education (PGME) in Canada, 1990-2020 \**  
Hasan Kettaneh (Queen's University)

14:00 – 15:30

**B3: Infectious Diseases in the 19<sup>th</sup> Century**

FNB 1240

**B3: Les maladies infectieuses au 19e siècle**

Chair/présidente: Shauna Devine (Western University)

*Cholera Mortality Patterns in Victorian London Revisited \**  
Rebecca Stieva (McGill University)

*Reclaiming the role of food security in health history: Evidence from Colonial South Asia*  
Sheila Zurbrigg (Independent Scholar)

*'The Great Conflagration': Disease and Death in the Ashes of the Great Fire of 1892 \**  
Daniel B. Rees (Memorial University of Newfoundland)

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15:30 – 16:00            **Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**  
FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

16:00 – 17:30            **Concurrent Sessions | C1 – C3 | Séances simultanées**

16:00 – 17:30            **C1: Mental Illness and Treatment**  
FNB 1200                **C1: Maladie mentale et traitement**

Chair/présidente: Susan Lamb (University of Ottawa)

*Du « Désordre mental » des soldats marocains rapatriés de la guerre d'Indochine au chemin de la résilience soixante ans après*  
Aziza Doudou (Independent Scholar)

*Crafting Care: Postwar Discussions of Veteran Mental Health in Canada, 1918-1939 \**  
Heather Ellis (Western University)

*A Clear View of the Self: LSD's Ego-Enhancing Effects in Psychiatry, 1950-1970 \**  
Andrew Jones (University of Toronto)

16:00 – 17:30            **C2: Medical Experiences in Nova Scotia**  
FNB 1220                **C2: Expériences médicales en Nouvelle-Écosse**

Chair/président: Travis Hay (Lakehead University)

*Private Bodies and Public Immunity: Nova Scotia's Unique Approach to Smallpox Vaccination \**  
Adriana Fraser (University of Pennsylvania)

*Communities of Healing: Nova Scotian Networks and the Medical Humanitarian Impulse*  
James Burnham Sedgwick (Acadia University)

*Shubenacadie Indian Residential School: Biomedical Experimentation on the Mi'kmaq in Twentieth-Century Nova Scotia \**  
Courtney Mrazek (University of New Brunswick)

16:00 – 17:30  
FNB 1240

**C3: Revealing Outlets: Art and Magazines**  
**C3: Révéler des débouchés: Art et magazines**

Chair/présidente: Delia Gavrus (University of Winnipeg)

*Diagnosing Images of Injury: Sir Charles Bell's Watercolours and Compassion in a Warzone \**  
Kaitlyn N. Carter (Brock University)

*Confinia Psychiatrica: Patient Art and Diagnosis of Mental Illness*  
Jacalyn Duffin and Lynda Mikelova (Queen's University)

*Not For The Waiting Room: An Analysis of a 1990's Canadian Medical Humour Magazine \**  
Kelly Salman (Queen's University)

17:30 – 19:30      **Graduate Student Happy Hour | Cinq à sept des étudiants diplômés**

Location to be determined / Emplacement à déterminer

**SUNDAY MAY 31 | DIMANCHE 31 MAI**

08:30 – 09:00      **Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**  
FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

09:00 – 10:30      **Concurrent Sessions | D1 – D3 | Séances simultanées**

09:00 – 10:30      **D1: Tuberculosis in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century**  
FNB 1200            **D1: La tuberculose au 20e siècle**

Chair/président: Kevin Siena (Trent University)

*Veterans, Tuberculosis and the Politics of Non-Visible Disability, 1914–1939 \**  
Eric Story (Wilfrid Laurier University)

*Diagnosis and Dispossession: Tuberculosis X-ray survey programs in northern Ontario, 1923–1951 \**  
Leah Wiener (Simon Fraser University)

*“Symbol of the IGA”: The International Grenfell Association Hospital Ship Strathcona III and medical surveillance in northern Labrador, 1971 \**  
John R.H. Matchim (University of New Brunswick)

09:00 – 10:30      **D2: International Encounters in Health Practice**

FNB 1220            **D2: Rencontres internationales en pratique de la santé**

Chair/président: David Wright (McGill University)

*Instrumentalisation des discours scientifiques européens et prédominance de la race blanche dans l’Uruguay du 19e siècle*  
Nancy Gonzalez-Salazar (Université Paris 8)

*Black Bodies & Blue Helmets: How the colonial history of international health law impacted the Haitian cholera epidemic \**  
Adam R. Houston (University of Ottawa)

*Le contexte international et l’éradication de la nécrose maxillaire au Canada \**  
Kathleen Durocher (Université d’Ottawa)

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09:00 – 10:30  
FNB 1240

**D3: Physician Impact**  
**D3: Impact sur les médecins**

Chair/présidente: Lucy Vorobej (University of Waterloo)

*De l'expérience locale aux préoccupations globales : Dre. Jessie MacBean et la médecine préventive en Chine du Sud, 1906-1935*  
Kim Girouard (Université d'Ottawa)

*Medical Adventures in Newfoundland and Labrador: The 1968 Summer Autobiographical Travel Log of Don G Bates MD (UWO '58) PhD*  
James T.H. Connor (Memorial University of Newfoundland)

*'It All Started in 1968 As the Result of a Fishing Trip': H.W. Bain and the History of the University of Toronto Sioux Lookout Project*  
Kristin Burnett and Travis Hay (Lakehead University)

10:30 – 11:00  
FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

**Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**

11:00 – 12:30  
FNB 1240

**PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS | ADRESSE PRÉSIDENTIELLE**  
Catherine Carstairs, University of Guelph

**“Diversity and Discrimination in Dentistry”**

12:30 – 14:00      **Lunch Break (on your own) | Heure du dîner (tout seul)**

14:00 – 15:30      **Concurrent Sessions | E1 – E3 | Séances simultanées**

14:00 – 15:30      **E1: Medical Delivery, Theory and Letters**  
FNB 1200            **E1: Livraison médicale, théorie et lettres**

Chair/présidente: Jacalyn Duffin (Queen's University)

*Medical Access in Deir el-Medina \**  
Bianca Grier (University of Toronto)

*"Some Writers Would Pronounce them Different Races": Disease, Class and Race in Eighteenth-century Stadial Theory*  
Kevin Siena (Trent University)

*"Nothing Hidden:" Place and the Private Self in Wilder Penfield's Correspondence with his Mother*  
Annmarie Adams (McGill University) and Delia Gavrus (University of Winnipeg)

14:00 – 15:30      **E2: Medical Research and Innovation in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century**  
FNB 1220            **E2: Recherche médicale et innovation au 20e siècle**

Chair/président: Kenton Kroker (York University)

*Cold War, Cold Room: Alan C. Burton and the Science of Environmental Physiology*  
Matthew S. Wiseman (Western University)

*Physician Advertising, Patient Demand, and the Laparoscopic Revolution in Surgery \**  
Cynthia L. Tang (McGill University)

*Bridging Clinical Investigation with Ethical Regulation: Four Pioneering Gynecologic Cancer Trials in Canada, 1974-1984*  
Fedir Razumenko (University of Calgary)

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14:00 – 15:30

**E3: Paradoxes of Progressive Intervention: Public Policy and Medical Care in Indigenous Communities**

FNB 1240

**E3: Paradoxes de l'intervention progressive: Politiques publiques et soins médicaux dans les communautés autochtones**

Chair/présidente: Mary-Ellen Kelm (Simon Fraser University)

*"They would feel more confidant with older doctors": Trainees and the Mental Health Services at the Sioux Lookout Zone Hospital, 1969-1996*

North de Pencier, Gerald McKinley, Allison Crawford (University of Toronto)

*Mothers' milk: health promotion, community-based research and environmental contamination in the Sioux Lookout Zone*

Mary-Ellen Kelm (Simon Fraser University)

*Race and Reproductive Politics in 1970s*

Maureen K. Lux (Brock University)

15:30 – 16:00

**Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**

FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

16:00 – 17:00

**Concurrent Sessions | F1 – F3 | Séances simultanées**

16:00 – 17:00

**F1: Healthcare Encounters in Ireland**

FNB 1200

**F1: Rencontres de santé en Irlande**

Chair/présidente: Jenna Healey (Queen's University)

*The Introduction of Insulin Therapy into Ireland \**

Lauren Young (Queens University Belfast)

*"It was the best of times, it was the worst of times,": Providing healthcare during the Northern Ireland Troubles \**

Ruth Coon (Ulster University)

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16:00 – 17:00  
FNB 1220

**F2: Women's Bodies, Medicalization and Colonialism**  
**F2: Corps des femmes, médicalisation et colonialisme**

Chair/présidente: Catherine Carstairs (Guelph University)

*Dirty Bodies, Bloody Women: Managing Menstruation in Colonial Punjab (1885-1947) \**  
Nikita Arora (University of Oxford)

*The French Colonial Medical Regime Comes to the Levant: Sex Work in Interwar Lebanon and Syria*

Pascale N. Graham (McGill University)

16:00 – 17:00  
FNB 1240

**F3: Indigenous Perspectives and Medicine**  
**F3: Perspectives autochtones et médecine**

Chair/présidente: Maureen Lux (Brock University)

*Sacred Medicine Songs of the Anishinaabeg in Ontario*  
Bimadoshka Pukan (Western University)

*Death of Tecumseh: perspectives of history*  
Vivian McAlister (Western University)

17:00 – 18:00

**Book Launch | Lancement de livres**  
**International & Graduate Affairs Building Atrium**  
IGAB 0A01

18:30 – 21:30

**CSHM-SCHM Banquet**

**Windemere Manor**  
200 Collip Circle

**MONDAY JUNE 1 | LUNDI 1er JUIN**

08:00 – 08:30      **Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**  
FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

08:30 – 10:00      **Concurrent Sessions | G1 – G3 | Séances simultanées**

08:30 – 10:00      **G1: Women's Health, Women's Professionalism**  
FNB 1200            **G1: Santé des femmes, professionnalisme des femmes**

Chair/présidente: Annemarie Adams (McGill University)

*British prestige, hygienic modernity and nation building: the story of Ethiopian nursing in the postcolonial era*  
Sioban Nelson (University of Toronto)

*Gender, Body and Health: Women's College Hospital (Toronto, Canada) \**  
Denisa Popa (University of Toronto)

*A Panel Decision for Every Woman: Therapeutic Abortion Committee at Kingston General Hospital, 1970 – 1988*  
Kuan Ting (Michael) Chen (Queen's University)

08:30 – 10:00      **G2: Disease Treatment and Monitoring**  
FNB 1220            **G2: Traitement et surveillance des maladies**

Chair/présidente: Vincenza Mazzeo (Johns Hopkins University)

The use of alternative medicine to treat cancer in nineteenth century Belfast and Dublin \*  
Eugenie Scott (Ulster University)

*Electricity, Needles, Hooks, and Herbs: Treating Blindness in Nineteenth-Century North America \**  
Joanna L. Pearce (York University)

*Material cultures of diabetic sugar monitoring and the redistribution of expertise*  
Elizabeth Newald (Brock University)

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INTERDISCIPLINARY SESSION WITH | SESSION INTERDISCIPLINAIRE AVEC  
CANADIAN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION | SOCIÉTÉ HISTORIQUE DU CANADA

08:30 – 10:00      **G3: Mobilizing Medicine: Doctors, Dangers and Disease**  
FNB 1240                  **during the Second World War**  
**G3: Mobiliser la médecine: médecins, dangers et maladies**  
**pendant la Seconde Guerre mondiale**

Chair/président: Jonathan Vance (Western University)

*Weapons of Mass Pollution: The Health and Environmental Hazards of Canada's Munitions Industry During the Second World War*

Alex Souchen (Trent University)

*"The First Wealth is Health": The Health League of Canada and Venereal Disease Education in Wartime Canada \**

Enrico Moretto (York University)

*'A Necessary Evil:' Canadian Doctors Respond to Public Health Insurance and Socialized Medicine, 1942-45*

David Blocker (Independent Scholar)

10:00 – 10:30      **Coffee & Networking | Café et réseautage**  
FNB Atrium, 1<sup>st</sup> floor / 1er étage

10:30 – 12:00      **Concurrent Sessions | H1 – H3 | Séances simultanées**

10:30 – 12:00      **H1: Public Health, Class and Race**  
FNB 1200                  **H1: Santé publique, classe et race**

Chair/présidente: Heather MacDougall (University of Waterloo)

*Historical Analysis of Occupational Therapy in Public Health, 1914-2019 \**

Kathryn Lewis and Michelle Lehman (University of Toronto)

*A Little Agitation for Better Health: National Negro Health Week and Black Health Activism in Cleveland and Detroit, 1915-1930*

Michael Aloisio (Independent Scholar)

*Sanitary Cordons in Southern Italy in the Early 19th Century*

Alberto Tanturri (Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Milan)

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10:30 – 12:00  
FNB 1220

**H2: Historical Perspectives on the Health of Canadian Soldiers and Veterans**  
**H2: Perspectives historiques sur la santé des soldats et vétérans canadiens**

Chair/présidente: Kandace Bogaert (Wilfred Laurier University)

*The Fight Against the Flu: The Canadian Army Medical Corps and Pandemic Influenza During the Final Months of the First World War \**  
Renée Davis (Université d'Ottawa)

*Deaths by Suicide and SIW Commemorated in the C.E.F. Roll of Honour, 1914-1919*  
Kandace Bogaert (Wilfred Laurier University)

*"Every Effort Has Been Made To Effect A Cure": The Long-Term Consequences of Venereal Disease among First World War Veterans*  
Lyndsay Rosenthal (Wilfred Laurier University)

12:00 - 12:15  
FNB 1240

**Student Prizes | Prix étudiants**  
**Closing Remarks | Mots de clôture**

**INTERDISCIPLINARY SESSION WITH | SESSION INTERDISCIPLINAIRE AVEC**  
**CANADIAN SOCIETY FOR THE HISTORY AND PHILOSOPHY OF SCIENCE**

13:30 – 15:00  
KB 203

**Roundtable / Table ronde: *Stanley's Dream: The Medical Expedition to Easter Island* (MUQP, 2019) with / avec Jacalyn Duffin**

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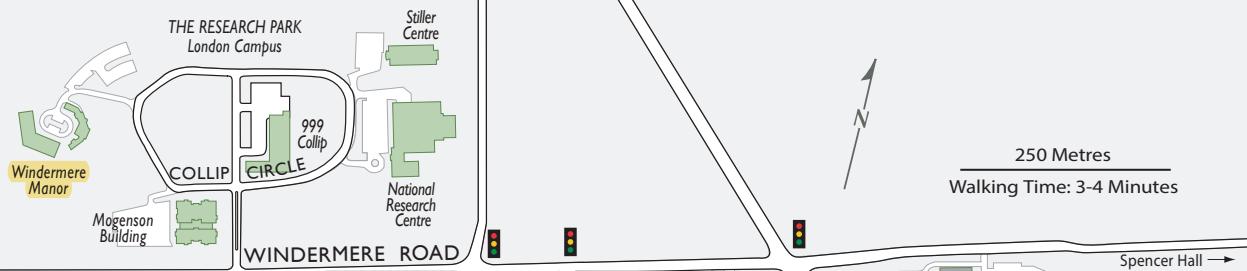
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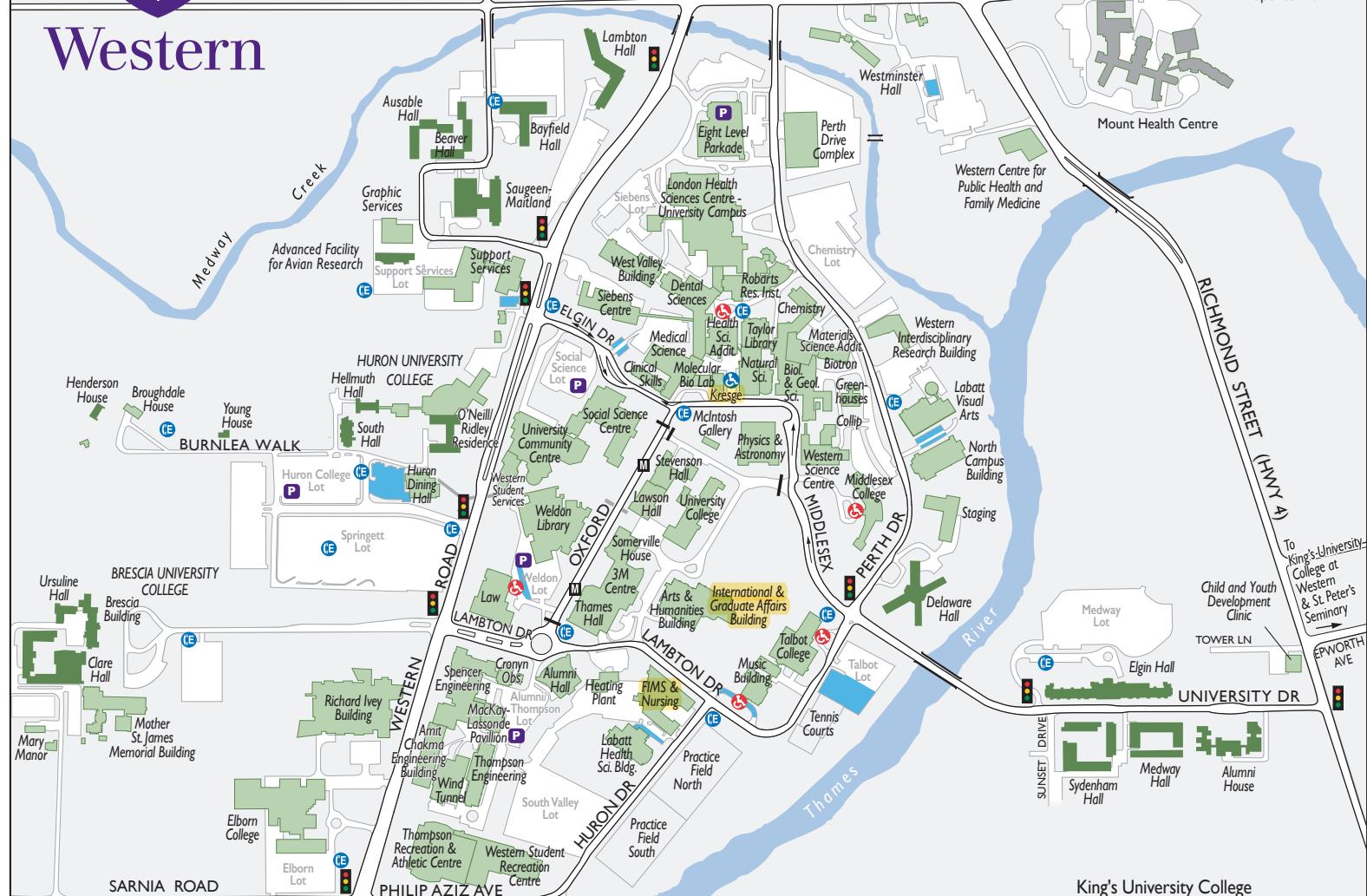
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# 2020 CSHM Meeting at Western

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## Western

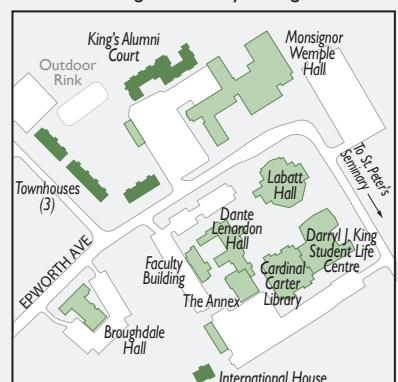


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See detailed parking maps for additional visitor parking at meters.

- [green square] Student housing
- [grey square] Off-campus buildings housing Western facilities

### King's University College



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