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UWinnipeg Cultivates Stronger Canada-US Relations

WINNIPEG—The University of Winnipeg will make a major announcement regarding a new partnership with the prestigious Fulbright program, celebrating fresh opportunities for bi-national scholarship and research at UWinnipeg.

Major UWinnipeg Fulbright Announcement
Thursday, March 29, 2007
9:45 a.m. (sharp)
Eckhardt-Gramatté Hall (3rd Floor, Centennial)
The University of Winnipeg

The media are welcome to attend.

Fulbright Lecture:
Positioning Academia to Address Environmental Issues in the 21st Century
Dr. Deborah Swackhamer, Interim Director, Institute on the Environment,
University of Minnesota
Thursday, March 29, 2007
10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
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This lecture is free and open to the public.

The Canada-U.S. Fulbright Program is a bi-national program supported by the Government of Canada, through the Department of Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada, the Government of the United States, through the Department of State, and a large number of public and private sector partners.

The mandate of the Canada-U.S. Fulbright Program is to enhance mutual understanding between the people of Canada and the people of the United States by providing support to outstanding graduate students, faculty, professionals and independent researchers. These individuals conduct research, lecture, or enroll in formal academic programs in the other country. Educational exchange allows for the development of future leaders, it encourages a more nuanced appreciation of each other, and it contributes to a more thoughtful and more reasoned public policy debate in both countries.

Located in the heart of downtown, The University of Winnipeg is a compact, diverse, multicultural academic community committed to access and excellence. Home to more than 9,200 full- and part-time students, UWinnipeg has been ranked by our graduates in the Top Ten of all Canadian universities when asked about their “Entire Educational Experience” (Maclean’s Graduate Survey, June 2006). The Globe & Mail 2006 Report Card gives The University of Winnipeg an overall ‘A’ grade in the areas of quality of education, teaching quality, class sizes, faculty-student interaction, and the availability of faculty outside classroom hours. Find out why. Visit www.uwinnipeg.ca

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