

PLMA Class of 2017 Bio's

Danielle Schapansky

Graduation Date: Spring 2017

Employment Status: Land Administrator, Raging River Exploration Inc. October 2015 – Present

Industry Mentor: Claire Jenkins

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Danielle loves to travel and is passionate about building sustainable projects in developing countries. This past summer, she and a team of students brought over forty U of C undergraduates and MBA students down to rural Honduras with Global Brigades Calgary to provide access to clean water, help local businesses and educate on common health risks. Danielle has also enjoyed working in industry since fall 2015, the PLMA classes have proven to be invaluable and she looks forward to graduating this spring.

Andjela Calic

Graduation Date: Spring 2018

Employment Status: Seeking employment

Industry Mentor: Kristin Rennie

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Andjela has lived in Calgary almost all her life and is tremendously keen to begin her career in the oil and gas industry. Her favorite aspects of PLM are learning about the driving forces behind Alberta's economy and the welcoming land community. She loves travelling, hanging out with friends & family and staying healthy through a fit, active lifestyle. She additionally enjoys helping others, volunteering as a teacher's assistant and running a food-drive throughout the year. Her newest volunteer activity is acting as VP of Finance for the Petroleum Land Undergraduate Society. Andjela is also an avid hockey fan, following the Calgary Flames consistently throughout the season.

Taylor Jensen

Graduation Date: Spring 2017

Employment Status: Seeking employment in Land

Industry Mentor: Marah Graham

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Taylor is in her final year of business and is thankful for all the opportunities that Haskayne and the PLM program have provided her during her undergraduate degree. What initially sparked Taylor's interest in land was her previous work experience at Toscana Energy Income Corporation, as it helped her fully appreciate the numerous aspects of land and what a critical role a Landman plays in the energy sector. In her spare time, Taylor is actively involved in fitness, exploring the outdoors, reading and spending time with her family and friends. She is

eager to begin her career and is excited about the opportunity to meet, network and learn from her industry peers.

Aaron Lang

Graduating Date: Spring 2018

Employment Status: Mineral Land Analyst, Shell Canada since May 2016

Industry Mentor: Cindy Cameron

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Aaron was born and raised in Calgary, and has been working in the oil and gas industry since the age of 19 as a Leasehand/Floorhand on the drilling rigs across Alberta and Saskatchewan. While pursuing his BComm, Aaron gained a keen interest in geoscience and has since added a minor degree in Geophysics to gain further understanding of the technical data that he may come across in his career. In his spare time, he continues his ongoing research on the ghost towns of Alberta and Western Canada (<http://www.ghosttownsofcanada.com/>), plays bass in a touring band, and is a proud member and current Grand Master of the Mu-Lambda chapter of the Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

Sarah Hebner

Graduation date: Spring 2018

Employment Status: Surface Land Student-CNRL May-August 2016

Industry Mentor: Ken Buckley

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Sarah has combined her Bachelor of Commerce with a Bachelor of Arts in Applied Energy Economics to broaden her knowledge of the oil and gas industry. She has volunteered for the Calgary SWAP team for 6 years and has united her passion for the fashion industry with helping those in need; clothing and money raised are all donated to local charities. In her spare time, Sarah loves to travel, hike, and golf.

Steven Stanford

Graduation Date: Spring 2017

Employment: Land Summer Student, Whitecap Resources. May-August 2016

Industry Mentor: Wayne Ellis

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Steven is a dedicated and hardworking individual. The majority of his time during the school year is spent on the ice, as the goaltender for the U of C Dinos, and in the classroom. During the summer he spends most of his weekends at the lake with his wife and dog. Steven takes pride in the details and is an avid fly fisherman who enjoys building his own rods and tying flies. He transferred from UBC specifically to enroll in the PLM Program and looks forward to a future in land.

Keven Blencowe

Graduation Date: Spring 2017

Employment Status: Mineral Land Negotiations Student, Canadian Natural Resources (May 2016 – Current)

Industry Mentor: Aaron Williams

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Keven was born and raised in Calgary, and is excited to be a part of Alberta's energy future. He loves anything to do with sports and played two years of Junior Football with the Calgary Colts before deciding to focus on his studies. He is also an avid skier. Currently Keven serves as the Vice President of Events for the Petroleum Landman Undergraduate Society and is looking forward to building new relationships throughout the land community.

Shameer Jina

Graduation Date: Spring 2017

Employment Status: Seeking Employment

Industry Mentor: Craig Stayura

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Shameer was born and raised in Calgary, and is looking forward to being part of the future of Alberta's oil and gas industry. He enjoys taking on leadership roles and is currently serving as the President for the Petroleum Landman Undergraduate Society. Outside of school, he can often be found on the soccer field and volunteering his time. He volunteers his time with various organizations that seek to bring social change and alleviate the difficulties of those who are affected by global poverty. Shameer is eager to begin his career and is excited to meet, network and learn from the land community.

Brendon Grande

Graduation Date: Spring 2017

Industry Mentor: Brian Postma

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Brendon is 22 years-old and born and raised here in Calgary. He has really enjoyed his experience in PLMA and looks forward to opportunities in the oil & gas industry. Brendon has been involved with organizing events with the Commerce Undergrad Society as well as the CSR-SD forums. Brendon is currently in Sweden completing a five-month exchange program finishing his Law and Society Minor.