

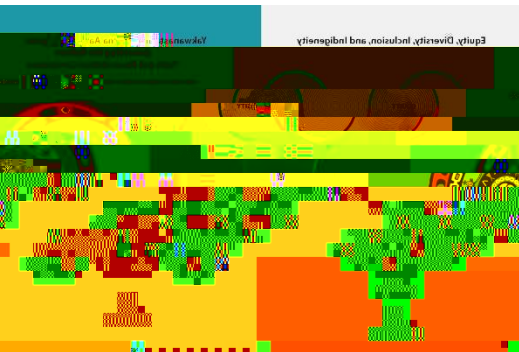
_____ Congratulations to [Opiyo Oloya](#) on being elected to the Committee! Thank you to [Alison Holt](#) for her service

Additionally, they are also accepting applications to present and facilitate discussions within their sponsored multidisciplinary panels. For more information about the conference, the specific panel themes, and a link to the submission portal, please visit <https://sgps.ca/sbbc/>

: Do you have any job opportunities in your workplace? Tap into the Queen's alumni network by posting on [MyCareer](#) to find new Queen's talent for your team. Do you want to be a career mentor for new Queen's graduates? Offer your guidance on the [Queen's Connects Career Network on LinkedIn](#).



Each year the Human Rights and Equity Office honours individual and group accomplishments in the areas of employment equity, accessibility, and human rights. If you know a Queen's individual, group, or organization who you'd like to recognize, please click the [HERE](#) for more information and to nominate. Deadline to nominate is



Queen's releases [yearly progress reports](#) on campus-wide equity, diversity, inclusivity, and Indigenization initiatives.

Read and share the [2019/20 Equity, Diversity, Inclusivity, and Indigenity Annual Report \(pdf\)](#) in its entirety.

Read and share the [Yakwanastahentéha Aankenjigemi \(Extending the Rafters\) implementation report \(pdf\)](#) in full.



The Student Experience Office recently hosted a virtual [Queen's Reads Teach-in](#) focused on Remembering Blackness and Anti-Blackness at Queen's. The event was an opportunity to learn more about the history and impact of anti-Blackness in the community and some of the work being done by the community of Black students and researchers at Queen's today. A recording can be found on the Student Experience Office [website](#).

[In Memory & In Honor Giving](#): A commemorative gift is a meaningful way to express your lasting affection and gratitude for a friend, relative or colleague while at the same time, supporting Queen's University. The commemorative giving program features two components, Memorial Gifts (honour a friend or loved one who has passed away) and Honorary Gifts (thank you, birthday, graduation, retirement or any special occasion).

Make your [memorial or honorary gift now](#).

Find a [list of commemorative funds](#).

For more information on this program, please email [Alumni Relations and Annual Giving](#)



[Queen's Enrichment Studies Unit](#) connects students in Grades 7-12 with challenging and inspiring university experience programs to help uncover their potential. Winter Programs offer a variety of online courses in various academic disciplines like pathology, engineering, web development, marine biology and drama! [Registration](#) for winter programs opens on January 12th.



Every weekday morning, thousands of college and university leaders across North America and around the world benefit from Ken Steele's unique perspective and insight in our free email newsletter, the *Eduvation Insider*. Keep abreast of the latest COVID19 developments, higher ed news, trends and innovations, bright ideas and promising practices. If interested, [subscribe to the mailing list](#).

In light of COVID-19, in-person gatherings have been suspended, but online activities are still taking place! Check the calendar to review upcoming [Alumni events](#) or [Queen's Events Calendar](#).

– Queen's University observed holiday – the university will be closed.

(and mark your calendars for April 12, 2021): _____
 _____ was established to coordinate, monitor, and report on the progress of university-wide initiatives to address racism and promote equity, diversity, and inclusion. This Council helps to shape the vision and strategy of the university and serves as a critical voice for diversity and inclusion at Queen's. UCARE normally meets three times per calendar year.

UCARE membership includes two members of the Kingston community or alumni. In addition, the following Sub-Councils were finalized at the last UCARE meeting:

1. Student Recruitment, Support and Success
2. Inclusive Community
3. Academic and Curricular Diversity
4. Faculty and Staff Recruitment, Retention and Support

If you are interested in attending a meeting, or joining UCARE or one of the sub-councils, please contact Jill Christie at jjc@queensu.ca

[Dr. Jackie Davies on Empowering Others: Carving Spaces in the Academy](#)

Speakers share what brought them to academia, some of the challenges they've faced, and how they have carved a space for themselves and others in their fields. By creating space for balanced representation and illuminating diverse lived realities in academic contexts, we might all be empowered to learn about our own journeys in academia. Free event. Register at <https://empoweringothersseries.eventbrite.com> This event is supported by Queen's Inclusive Community fund and the Sociology Department/

Please join the [_____](#)
on Zoom. Councillor [Cathy Matthews](#) will discuss the
nomination and election process for becoming a University Councillor.
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One theory on why Frontenac refused to fund the building states that it was simply too much to ask, as Frontenac was not a rich county and was populated mostly by farmers. The other theory is that the refusal was the result of a grudge: Grant publicly opposed abstemious county councillors' plan to ban the sale of alcohol in the county. As a result, in 1901, they withdrew their support - despite an emotional plea by the now weak and ailing Principal.

Such was the devotion that Grant inspired in his students that they stepped in, raising the necessary \$35,000 over the winter of 1901-1902, one third of which came from the students themselves, many of whom lived on the poverty line. They named the building Grant Hall to honour the 25th anniversary of his Principalship in 1905. Grant, unfortunately, died in May, several months short of that anniversary, and so the building was named for him posthumously on its completion in 1905.

Grant Hall was designed in the Victorian Romanesque style by Symons and Rae, an architectural firm from Toronto that also designed [Kingston Hall](#) and [Ontario Hall](#). The original tower clock was designed by [Nathan Dupuis](#), a professor of mathematics and other sciences and Dean of Practical Science at the turn of the century.

After years of unreliable service, the old clock was replaced in 1993 with an electrical mechanism designed in England and - like the building itself - paid for by students. The old clock mechanism is on display in [Stirling Hall](#). Grant Hall is located at the south end of [University Avenue](#).



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