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Our website to learn more @ BoothUC.ca/Alumni
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THE END IS BUT A NEW BEGINNING: Over to You Graduates!

"The world needs people like these graduates. People who understand their convictions and are prepared to act accordingly," said Commissioner Brian Peddle during the morning Baccalaureate Service at Booth UC’s Hetherington Chapel. "Seize every moment to serve, in a world so desperate and in need. Do the extraordinary day by day."

Held on April 27th, this year’s Convocation was marked with several poignant moments, endings and new beginnings. Emily Marie MacFarlane crossed the stage as the first graduate of Booth’s Bachelor of Business Administration program. Booth UC’s Chancellor, Commissioner Brian Peddle, presented The Chancellor’s Medal to Lani Marie Thiessen Zastre and The General’s Medal to Major Darlene Jayne Morgan. Special recognition was also given to the final graduating class of the Certificate of Management program – who celebrated their achievements at an earlier ceremony in British Columbia. (To better meet the Army’s needs, Booth UC in partnership with Simon Fraser University launched a new Certificate in Not-for-profit Management program in May 2014.)
Bryant discusses Booth UC with exhibit hall. Below, Professor UC’s program offerings in the and raise awareness of Booth identify trends in social work, best practices and innovation, great opportunity to share around the world, it was a delegates in attendance from Florida. With nearly 1000 Management Conference in Social Services and Disaster Salvation Army’s 2014 National Bryant, recently attended The Program, Professor Bonnie Bachelor of Social Work The head of Booth UC’s March 25 CONFERENCE SERVICES NATIONAL SOCIAL REPRESENTED AT BOOTH UC - 28, 2014 Emily Marie MacFarlane. first Bachelor of Business Administration graduate, all grads pictured here). ABOVE left: bringing that vision a step closer to reality.” We are going out into a world where hurt, despair and various other towards becoming the agents of change that Booth has molded us to be. "Today is the beginning of a future in which we take the first step individuals who have received an education for a better world. currently carry the immense responsibility of continuing their new journey as students all from the British Columbia Division, a testament to the forward thinking, planning and commitment of the leaders in this part of our Canada & Bermuda Territory,” said Major Philip Davison, Associate Dean at Booth UC's School for Continuing Studies. "Your ongoing work together will continue to keep BC on the cutting edge of faithful service to others in our communities.” This year’s Valedictorian, BSW graduate Faven Mergia, was born and raised in a refugee camp in Kenya, arriving in Canada with her family at age 14. For the past three years she has been working with Peaceful Village, an after school program funded by the Manitoba School Improvement Program that assists refugee youth by providing academic and recreational support. Most recently, Faven was hired into The Salvation Army’s Life Enhancement and Employability Program (LEEP) at the Barbara Mitchell Centre. During her Valedictorian address, Faven reminded graduates that they now carry the immense responsibility of continuing their new journey as individuals who have received an education for a better world. “Today is the beginning of a future in which we take the first step new cohort deserves special mention. This particular group has consisted of students all from the British Columbia Division, a testament to the forward thinking, planning and commitment of the leaders in this part of our Canada & Bermuda Territory,” said Major Philip Davison, Associate Dean at Booth UC's School for Continuing Studies. “Your ongoing work together will continue to keep BC on the cutting edge of faithful service to others in our communities.” This year’s Valedictorian, BSW graduate Faven Mergia, was born and raised in a refugee camp in Kenya, arriving in Canada with her family at age 14. For the past three years she has been working with Peaceful Village, an after school program funded by the Manitoba School Improvement Program that assists refugee youth by providing academic and recreational support. Most recently, Faven was hired into The Salvation Army’s Life Enhancement and Employability Program (LEEP) at the Barbara Mitchell Centre. During her Valedictorian address, Faven reminded graduates that they now carry the immense responsibility of continuing their new journey as individuals who have received an education for a better world. “Today is the beginning of a future in which we take the first step new cohort deserves special mention. This particular group has consisted of students all from the British Columbia Division, a testament to the forward thinking, planning and commitment of the leaders in this part of our Canada & Bermuda Territory,” said Major Philip Davison, Associate Dean at Booth UC's School for Continuing Studies. “Your ongoing work together will continue to keep BC on the cutting edge of faithful service to others in our communities.” This year’s Valedictorian, BSW graduate Faven Mergia, was born and raised in a refugee camp in Kenya, arriving in Canada with her family at age 14. For the past three years she has been working with Peaceful Village, an after school program funded by the Manitoba School Improvement Program that assists refugee youth by providing academic and recreational support. Most recently, Faven was hired into The Salvation Army’s Life Enhancement and Employability Program (LEEP) at the Barbara Mitchell Centre. During her Valedictorian address, Faven reminded graduates that they now carry the immense responsibility of continuing their new journey as individuals who have received an education for a better world. “Today is the beginning of a future in which we take the first step