

## Message from Jean Côté, Director

March 2018.

It's hard to believe that another academic year is almost wrapping up.

This winter marked the 50th Anniversary of the Historic Hockey event on February 10th (see below for photos). I was honoured to act as the 'coach' for the Queen's team who tied with RMC in the first game, but lost to Petawawa in game two. Despite the snow covered rink, everyone played well and had a great time. We are very proud of all of our students who participated. We had the only co-ed team (the other teams were men-only), and our MVP was Sarah Bailey who was an outstanding goalie.

I am happy to let you know that we have posted the alumni profiles that we've received so far on our website (see: [SKHS website](#)). Please take a look and consider submitting yours if you haven't already.

In other news, I am very pleased to announce that Dr. Courtney Szto will be joining the SKHS on July 1st as a new faculty member in the socio-cultural studies of sport area. Courtney recently completed her PhD at Simon Fraser University in the School of Communication. Her dissertation sought to reveal disconnects between the experiences of racialized Canadians and the belief that hockey unites the diverse Canadian populace. Courtney's diverse research background ranges from social justice to critical race studies, postcolonial feminism, intersectional justice, corporate social responsibility and media studies. Interviews for the new faculty position in physical activity epidemiology are underway, and I look forward to updating you about this hire in the next alumni e-newsletter.

Yours sincerely,

Jean Côté, Ph.D.  
Director, SKHS

## Winter Adapted Games (WAG) 2018!



WAG 2018 was a great success with 135 volunteers, 21 committee members, 91 participants, Queen's first aid, Queen's bands, cheer and dance team and even more all involved in the day. Everyone together made it happen!



WAG is organized by students in SKHS and the School of Rehabilitation. Offered annually since 1991, the event offers a fun-filled day of non-competitive games and activities for children and youth with disabilities from the Kingston community. For more photos, see: <https://winteradaptedgames.weebly.com/wag-2018-pictures.html>

## New research in SKHS - Health Promotion

### Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council

Insight Development Grant Recipient, Jennifer Tomasone  
School of Kinesiology and Health Studies (\$70,267)

Dr. Tomasone will be investigating how to optimize participation in the Revved Up program by examining the subjective experiences of members and mini stream interns. Over the next two years, her research team will be asking Revved Up members and interns to complete surveys and interviews to better understand how their perceptions of a quality experience change throughout their participation in the exercise program, and whether there are certain program features that influence their perceptions. Findings from this research will contribute to the development of practical recommendations for how to foster full and effective participation in physical activity programs for persons with disabilities.



### Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council

Insight Grant Recipients, Jeff Masuda  
School of Kinesiology and Health Studies (\$236,767)



Drs. Masuda and Audrey Kobayashi's (Geography) research contributes to an improved understanding of the history of housing activism in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. Focusing on the Single Room Occupancy Hotel, they partner with academics at Simon Fraser University (Dr. Nick Blomley) and the University of Northern British Columbia (Dr. Sarah De Leeuw) as well as several community organizations working at the forefront of human rights activism in order to bring attention to and to resolve long-standing violations to the wellbeing and dignity of low-income tenants.

## Faculty in the News

**Mary Louise Adams.** [Striking new NYPD data suggests the movement to expose sexual misconduct isn't confined to famous men](#), Business Insider, December 14, 2017.

**Amy Latimer-Cheung** [New guidelines for children's activity](#), Ottawa CTV News, November 2017.

**Geoffrey Smith (retired).** [City of Kingston is looking to crack down on out of control house parties](#), CKWS, February 5, 2018.

## Alumni in the News

**Ryan Bechmanis (PHE '05).** [Ryan Bechmanis returns to Queen's football as assistant coach and defensive coordinator](#), Gaels News, February 8, 2018.

**Susan Belyea (SKHS PhD '18).** [Ban Righ Foundation awards honour inspirational women](#), Queen's Gazette, August 16, 2017 and [Celebrating inspirational leaders](#), Queen's Gazette, October 23, 2017.

**Curtis Carmichael (PHE '16).** [Expanding access to Queen's](#), December 19, 2017.

**Kari Galasso (PHE '83).** [Walking club heading 'across' Canada](#), Whig-Standard, November 29, 2017.

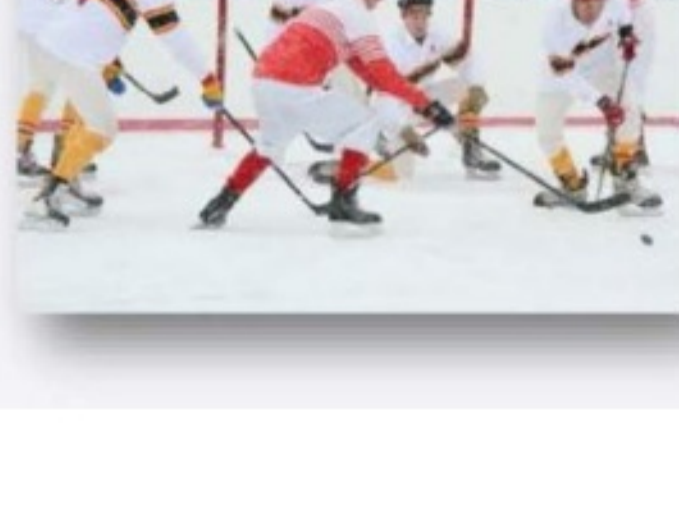
**Jennifer Turnnidge (SKHS PhD '18) and Dany MacDonald (SKHS PhD '10).** [A women's hockey juggernaut, brought to you by small cities and towns](#), Macleans, February 21, 2018.

## Historic Hockey 2018 - 50th Anniversary

Historic Hockey 2018 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary  
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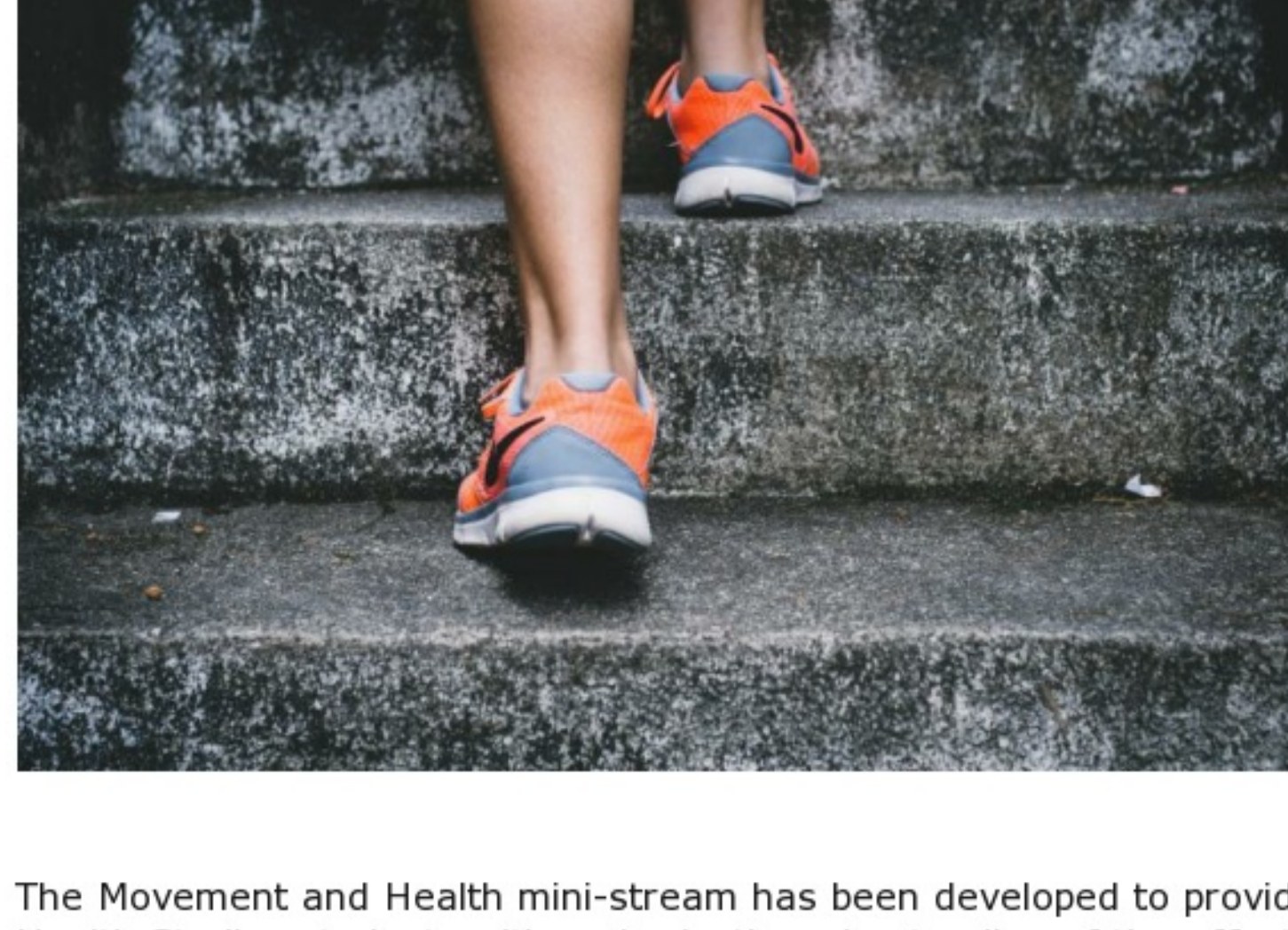
Using square pucks and *old-school* rules, teams from the Royal Military College, RCHA Petawawa and Queen's battle it out on the open-air rink in Springer Market Square behind Kingston's City Hall.



It was a wonderful (and snowy) afternoon on Saturday for our PHE/KIN 4<sup>th</sup> years who were representing Queen's in the Historic Hockey series! The first game resulted in a very exciting tie against RMC. Queen's lost the second game to the overall winners, RCHA Petawawa. The team played extremely well both games and represented Queen's proudly!

Congratulations team on two great games!

## New experiential learning opportunity: Movement & Health mini-stream



The Movement and Health mini-stream has been developed to provide Health Studies students with an in-depth understanding of the effects that movement and sedentary behaviour have on health and well-being and the determinants of these movement behaviours. Students in this mini-stream will have multiple opportunities to participate in, plan, implement, and evaluate movement interventions in schools and community settings.

For more information about this and other hands-on learning opportunities in SKHS, please visit: <https://skhs.queensu.ca/programs/undergraduate-studies1/hands-on-opportunities/>

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