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Edmonton arts scene champion honoured as a Distinguished Alumni

Edmonton—MacEwan University is proud to announce that Megan Dart has been honoured as a Distinguished Alumni. Dart is a graduate of the Bachelor of Applied Communications in Professional Writing (2006).

In 2013, The Wanderer Online named dart one of the Top 100 Influential Women in Business, backing up its choice with Dart’s CV, which is filled with arts-related credentials: curator, artist liaison and publicity manager for Nextfest; publicity manager for Expanse Festival; street team member with the Arts Touring Alliance of Alberta; board member with both the Good Women Dance Collective and artsScene Edmonton; and a committee member with Theatre Network and Edmonton Theatre Project.

In addition to her role in the arts community, Dart coordinated a national lobbying campaign involving more than two million Canadians and 2,000 commercial fitness facilities, which led to the introduction on the children’s fitness tax credit.

About the award

The Distinguished Alumni award is granted to individuals who exhibit outstanding achievements or make significant contributions in one or more of the following areas: service to the community, business, the arts, human development, the environment, lifelong learning, post-secondary education, and/or government

Dart will receive her Distinguished Alumni award at the Spring Convocation ceremonies.

When: Tuesday, June 17
Where: Francis Winspear Centre for Music
Time: 3:00 p.m.

Founded in 1971, MacEwan University inspires its students with a powerful combination of academic excellence and personal learning experiences. Offering more than 65 programs including undergraduate degrees, applied degrees, diplomas, certificates, continuing education and corporate training, the university provides a transformative education in a creative, collaborative and supportive learning environment where creativity and innovation thrive. Located in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada, MacEwan University offers a unique student experience that opens up diverse pathways for achievement and growth.

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