

# VCCT Fall Newsletter 2018

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## VCCT IS MOVING!

VCCT will be moving into a brand new location in the early months of 2019. We have been in our present location for over a 15 years, but we are ready to say good-bye and move to a more modern and easily accessible learning environment. We will be closer to the Main Street/Science World SkyTrain Station and a variety of nearby food and beverage options. The new location is only blocks away from our current location, making the transition for student easygoing. More details will be provided in the near future.

## Registrations for 2018

VCCT is currently accepting applications for registrations for the 2018/2019 year. Please contact Alice Kang at [admissions@vcct.ca](mailto:admissions@vcct.ca) or Rob Monk at [outreach@vcct.ca](mailto:outreach@vcct.ca) if you have any questions call 604-683-2442 and ask to speak to Alice or Rob.



## Weather-related School Closures

Winter is approaching! If weather conditions become too harsh during the winter months and it is deemed unsafe for students to travel, we may need to inevitably close the school until there is an improvement. **For information on weather-related school closures, please check the VCCT blog at ([www.vcct.ca/blog](http://www.vcct.ca/blog) or 'B' icon on VCCT website). If nothing is posted on the blog, it means VCCT is open!**

## Student Counselling Students

If you do not have a supervisor, VCCT can help you find one. If you are interested in more information, please contact Alice Kang at [admissions@vcct.ca](mailto:admissions@vcct.ca) or Rob Monk at [outreach@vcct.ca](mailto:outreach@vcct.ca)

Students that are interested in receiving free counselling from student counsellors are more than welcome to contact Alice or Rob as well.

## New ACCT Direct-Client Hours Requirement

In June, ACCT [www.acctcounsellor.com](http://www.acctcounsellor.com) made an announcement that the association will be making changes to its membership requirements. As of July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2018, ACCT requires all new members to have acquired at least 100 hours of direct-client hours in addition to their instructional hours. These hours must be completed through paid or non-paid work within an agency or through private practice under supervision of a qualified counselling supervisor. Students who have difficulty acquiring the direct-client hours as defined by ACCT, or simply choose not to join ACCT, will have the option to register with the CPCA [www.cpcarpc.ca](http://www.cpcarpc.ca) instead. CPCA continues to recognize and accept practical hours completed within a recognized counselling program. CPCA members must successfully complete a comprehensive exam and receive a minimum of 70% to join the association.

For more information, please contact the associations directly or contact Alice or Rob at VCCT.

## VCCT UPCOMING SCHOOL CLOSURES

**Monday October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Thanksgiving**

**Monday November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Remembrance Day**

**December 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Christmas**

**January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019 – New Year's Day**

**WINTER BREAK**

**December 24<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019 (VCCT will remain open during the Winter Break)**

# ***Congratulations to all 2018 VCCT Grads!***



Jessica Wilkinson	Della Heuchert	Lisa Frank	Anette Effe	Janet Delpierre	Aida Tajbakhesh
Teresa Kingshott	Olivia Marie Waham	Jaydee Bardy	Emma Childs	Kyle Martin Olin	Caroline Deschenes
Jacquelyn Wallace	Aida Tajbakhesh	Jaclyn Warnock	Nicole Danielle Clark	Robert Riede	Pollyanna Stokes
Melanie Torres	Behnam Kazemi	Julia Hudson	Wayne Kallen	Amanda Kuurne	Jody Lynn Oakes
Amy Charlebois	Michelle Irene Duncalfe	Loren Christine Thompson	Delano Christopher Spies	Christopher Owen Urae	Angela Bodaly
Ashley Lequyer	Kristine Laurel Reil	Katie Suen	Heather Rosa Eliza Pascua	Candice Lucey	Meghan Wiles
Andrew Jacob Schubert	Herman Lay	Stephanie Jewel Artuso	Sanna Jessica Rabago	Peter T. Bowen	Dawn Agno
Behnam Kazemi	Sanya Muncherji	Danielle Skalnik	Candice Hilliker	Azadeh Nasrollahi-Niya	Leigha Briscoe
Miranda Wing Ngor Ng	Ekaterina Kosorukova	Hailey Smith	Sarah M.R. Sylvester	Mary Jean Fentie	Conrad Good
Foroozandeh Shamloo	Ryan Jones	Krista Robinson	Byron King	Gordon Rillie	Leanne Paquette
Lorrie A. Landers	Stacey Marple	Kenta Nakagawa	Michael Francis Mountain	Jennifer Sheila Shelswell	Carin Freimond
Calum Middleton	Lorilee Lessard	Joao Ricardo Simczak Prates	Julie Lier	Karlyn Baskin-Keatings	Colin Nicholas Hutzul
Travis Lavern McCaig	Emily Strang	Timo Lamsa	Maranda Cali Belanger	Jessica Catherine McLeod	Anne Ralean Cavers
Fatima Mursel	Se Won Hwang	Gianoula Kioussis	Sherril Billey	Tiffany Schnider	Hannah Harrison
Danielle Lummis	Anna Morozova	Heather Hirtle	Rebecca Lockhart	Christopher Owen Urae	Stephanie Jewel Artuso
Lara Diana Sayad	Tamara Pearse	James Linklater			