

- i. **Academic degrees** - I earned my BA in Political Science from Victoria College at The University of Toronto and my MA from The University of Toronto and my PhD from UBC.
- ii. **Current occupation** – Assistant Dean, Development & Alumni Engagement, Faculty of Education
- iii. **Current and past academic, societal, government, or commercial offices held** – CV attached
- iv. **Current professional or business interests** – Higher Education advancement and alumni engagement
- v. **List of publications – MA and PhD**

Education for Child Garment Workers in Bangladesh: A case study of the Memorandum of Understanding involving the International Labour Organization, UNICEF and the Bangladesh Garment Manufacturers and Exporters Association. 1997

<http://www.collectionscanada.gc.ca/obj/s4/f2/dsk2/ftp04/mq28719.pdf>

Canadian philanthropy and higher education: funding shifts, organizational restructuring and the repositioning of academic culture in university museums. 2011

<https://open.library.ubc.ca/cIRcle/collections/ubctheses/24/items/1.0064645>

Suzanne Scott

EDUCATION

Ph.D. Educational Studies (2011)

The University of British Columbia

Philanthropy and Higher Education: Funding shifts, organizational restructuring and the repositioning of academic culture in university museums.

M.A. Adult Education & Community Development (1997)

University of Toronto, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education (OISE)

B.A. Political Science (1993)

University of Toronto, Victoria College

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Assistant Dean, Development & Alumni Engagement (May 2018 – present)

Faculty of Education, The University of British Columbia

- Direct a team of development and alumni engagement professionals to achieve a fundraising goal of \$2M and alumni engagement goal of engaging over 70,000 alumni to support the funding priorities of the Faculty of Education.
- Led a team of Education faculty staff to unveil the first ever Faculty of Education donor wall.
- Design and execute alumni & donor engagement events including the 400+ guests at the Margaret Trudeau talk, 3 Frankly Speaking series, 4 Dining with the Dean events and ongoing personal stewardship of high net worth prominent Canadians.
- Steward lead donors in the \$1M + level on priority projects such as Indigenous Education, Mental Health Education, Sexual Orientation and Gender Identity – inclusive education, and the Veterans Transition Program
- Travel regularly with the Dean to meet alumni, donors and prospects provincially, nationally, and in Hong Kong to attend the Yidan Education Prize.

Manager, Major Gifts Surgery + Imaging Portfolio (March 2016 – May 2018)

St. Paul's Foundation

- Managed the fundraising activities of 15 medical departments at St. Paul's Hospital and 150+ major gift donors valued in excess of \$2.3M annually.
- Grew major gifts from \$750K to \$2.3M, doubled 'physician family' gifts and increased annual gifts from \$220K to \$450K
- Developed and presented proposals in the over \$1M range to major donors in priority areas of ENT, Radiology, and Colorectal surgery.
- Led team effort to close two \$1M gifts and led three outstanding multimillion dollar asks on redevelopment of St. Paul's Hospital campaign.
- Led comprehensive information campaign to capture hospital priority needs in capital & equipment, research and talent ensuring alignment with hospital leadership.

Development Officer, Major Gifts (September 2015 - March 2016)

St. Paul's Foundation

- Connected the needs of hospital departments with the philanthropic interests of over 250 major gift donors. Closed gifts in the \$50-\$75K range.
- Succeeded as a frontline fundraiser managing donor stewardship and yielding in excess of \$750K annually. Hosted key donors and lead physicians at signature events.
- Developed and implemented a comprehensive fundraising strategy to identify, cultivate, solicit and steward gifts and track results in Raiser's Edge.

Community Development Officer (February 2015 – June 2015)

Ronald McDonald House, Vancouver

- Hired on maternity leave contract to manage the Family Meal Program for 150 corporate and community volunteers per month who visit the House to prepare more than 1,500 meals for our families.

Candidate for Vancouver City Council with the Non-Partisan Association

(August - November 2014 Municipal Election)

- Received 55,486 votes in the Vancouver municipal election. Placed 13th out of 10 seats.
- Presented municipal platform at community centres and townhalls across Vancouver.

Auction Chair, Heart & Stroke Foundation of BC/Yukon (2014, 2015)

- As a senior volunteer leader, chaired a committee of high net worth Vancouver women to spearhead the live and silent auction items for the Heart of Gold Gala and raised \$250K+ worth of donated live and silent auction items each year.
- Worked together with Gala Chairs Charmaine Crooks, Olympian ('14) to raise \$900K+ and Charlene Ripley, VP Legal Goldcorp ('15) to raise \$1.4M in 2015 at the annual Heart of Gold Gala.

ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATIONS

- Women in Educational Leadership, Harvard, 2019
- Certificate in Advanced Major Gift Success, Madison Institute 2017
University of Wisconsin School of Business, USA
- Marketing & Fundraising Management Certificate, 2005
British Columbia Institute for Studies in Technology (BCIT), Vancouver, BC
Practicum: Designed the Planned Giving program for the Vancouver Writer's Festival.

VOLUNTEER LEADERSHIP ROLES

Board Director for the Vancouver Academy of Music 2016 - present

Stewardship committee member at St. Phillip's Anglican Church, Dunbar 2018- present

Board Director for the Non-Partisan Party of Vancouver 2015 & 2016

Auction Chair for the BC Heart and Stroke Foundation Gala 2014 & 2015