



MARITIME PROVINCES HIGHER EDUCATION COMMISSION - The Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission celebrates 50 years.

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Fredericton (NB) — The Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission (MPHEC) proudly celebrates its 50th anniversary, marking half a century of advancing higher education in the Maritime Provinces.

“The MPHEC is proud to recognize the long history of collaboration between the three Maritime provinces and their joint commitment to enhancing the post-secondary learning environment in the region,” said Dr. Greg Naterer, Chair. “We wish to thank the three Maritime provincial governments for their continued investment in the MPHEC.”

The MPHEC looks forward to another 50 years of ensuring the quality of university programs in the region and providing data and research to support decision-making by universities, governments, students and their families.

“As we look towards the future, we express our gratitude to all those who have contributed to the success of the Commission over the last 50 years,” said Catherine Stewart, Chief Executive Officer. “We would like to thank our many talented and dedicated Commission and committee members who generously contribute their time and expertise, as well the MPHEC staff for their hard work, commitment and professionalism.”

To celebrate its 50th anniversary, the MPHEC will provide opportunities for its staff, board members, committee members and its various partners to come together to celebrate this important milestone.

More information on the Commission and its activities can be found at www.mphec.ca

About the MPHEC

Established in 1974, the Maritime Provinces Higher Education Commission is an arm’s-length organization accountable to the Ministers responsible for post-secondary education in the Maritimes. The Commission Board is made up of 20 members representing universities, the public-at-large (including students), and the three Maritime provincial governments. The Commission’s mission is to assist institutions and governments in enhancing the post-secondary learning environment. It achieves this by providing assurances that university programs in the region meet established standards of quality and by conducting research on post-secondary education.

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