



# SASKATCHEWAN

PROFESSIONAL PLANNERS INSTITUTE

## SPPI Annual Report 2013-2014

### 2013-2014 Executive Council

President:	Karen Bolton MCIP RPP
President-Elect:	Bill Delaine MCIP RPP
Secretary/Treasurer:	Autumn Dawson MCIP RPP
Promotion & Public Relations:	Melissa Austin MCIP RPP Danae Balogun MCIP RPP Sarah King
Professional Development	Samantha Mark Bonnie Gorelitz MCIP RPP
Admin & Governance:	Jenna Schroeder MCIP RPP Autumn Dawson MCIP RPP
Student Representative:	Brittney Beckie
Executive Director:	Marilyn Steranka

### Representatives:

University of Saskatchewan Senate	Carey Baker MCIP RPP
University of Regina Senate	Alan Parkinson MCIP RPP
Professional Standards Board	Diana Hawryluk MCIP RPP
Professional Standards Committee	Jennifer Taylor MCIP RPP
Accreditation Program Committee	Dana Kripki MCIP RPP
Professional Educational Program and Examination Committee	Autumn Dawson MCIP RPP

# OFFICERS REPORTS

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## **President**

Reflecting on the past year, I would certainly characterize it as busy and productive! The transformation process with the Canadian Institute of Planners (CIP) to establish new governance structure and affiliate relationships has been exciting and rewarding. Affiliate Presidents have been actively involved in the process of creating a responsive, relevant national organization and defining the roles and responsibilities of provincial affiliates – truly the beginning of a new era.

This year your Council worked hard to implement the strategic plan developed in 2013. Much work has been done to: brand the organization; introduce ourselves to a range of stakeholders with common interests; review and update processes and procedures for Candidate members outside of the Professional Standards Board certification process; engage with University of Saskatchewan's Planning Students Association (PSA); manage the RUP 413 work-study program; develop and deliver a professionally relevant annual conference; develop a comprehensive administrative bylaw; and to explore opportunities with a variety of partners for a provincial planning apprenticeship program focused on new graduates. Council is also pleased to provide members with an opportunity to recognize the great planning work that is occurring in the province with the introduction of the *Excellence in Planning Award*. This award seeks to recognize the efforts of planners and planning teams that demonstrate sustainable, integrated, innovative, relevant approaches to planning research, policy or design.

As of all of you know by now, SPPI is actively involved in planning the 2015 CIP conference in Saskatoon. An enthusiastic team of approximately 30 volunteers, led by Allan Wallace and Ryan Walker, are already planning like mad for what I am optimistic will be the conference of the decade; the excitement continues to build!

Indeed, volunteers are the folks who make it work. We rely on them, sometimes to be on the front lines, other times to work quietly in the background. When not front and center, they are sometimes overlooked, so this year, I would like to formally extend the thanks of SPPI Council on behalf of the members to the dedicated group of volunteers that, in some cases for many years, have unselfishly given their time to review log books and written exams, provide feedback to Candidate members and participate in the oral exam process, a Candidate's final step toward professional designation. Your contribution is greatly appreciated and continues to add value to the professional credibility of the Institute.

Continuing with the theme of acknowledging significant volunteer efforts, my sincere thanks to the 2013/14 Council (Bill, Melissa, Danae, Bonnie, Jenna, Brittany, Sarah, Autumn, and Sam) and all the volunteers associated various subcommittees of Council, your time, enthusiasm and commitment are exceptional and are hugely appreciated. Finally, thank you to our Executive Director, Marilyn Steranka, an organizational constant in our rapidly changing environment.

Please feel free to contact any member of Council or the Executive Director to talk about the Institute, the opportunity to participate, or to share ideas or raise issues, we welcome your involvement.

Respectfully submitted, Karen Bolton MCIP RPP

### **President-Elect**

As the SPPI representative on CIP National Council over the past two years, I have had an opportunity to play an active role in the continued evolution of our professional organization. National Council has been focused on redefining the purpose of CIP in response to the administrative changes resulting from the Planning for the Future initiative and changes in the Canada Not-for-Profit Corporations Act.

Over the past twelve months, three meetings have been held with the provincial and territorial institutes and associations (PTIA) to openly discuss and develop a revised vision for the future of our national organization. A statement of consensus emerged from these meetings redefining the purpose of CIP in promoting the planning profession in Canada. Generally speaking the proposed changes would see CIP moving away from membership administration and focusing on providing services and support to the PTIAs, representing the profession on national and international issues and acting as a knowledge centre for individual professional planners.

Some of these changes have already been realized this past summer with the majority approval of new Articles of Continuance at the Annual General Meeting in Fredericton which establish a framework for the modernization of our national institute punctuated by a change in our name to the "Canadian Institute of Planning."

The balance of changes are anticipated to be reflected through revisions to the national governing bylaws which will be completed over the next year with a national membership vote anticipated to occur as an electronic ballot in early 2015 with changes officially taking effect at the 2015 CIP AGM in Saskatoon.

CIP staff will be seeking to engage the broader membership over the upcoming fall and winter months to discuss the proposed new purpose and governance model in advance of a formal membership vote to ensure that the new direction reflects the interests of individual planners and the profession as a whole.

My term on the National Council has been extended to ensure continuity on the Board as we move to completion of this restructuring process. As an active member of the National Finance Committee the upcoming year will focus on translating a sustainable funding model from the new governance structure and CIP role moving forward. I look forward to seeing this process through to completion and transitioning into my new role as SPPI President next summer in Saskatoon. I would like to take this opportunity to extend special thanks to current President Karen Bolton for her commitment and dedication to our provincial institute and her willingness to extend her term to enable my continued participation in this nationally significant process.

Respectfully submitted, Bill Delaine MCIP RPP

## **Membership**

This has been another active year for membership in the association. We have seen an increasing number of student and non-resident members, and have had several members achieve their RPP designation. A special thanks to the members of our exam and log book committees for their countless hours of volunteer work spent reviewing logbooks, marking written exams and conducting oral exams.

### 2013-2014 Membership Profile

The SPPI currently comprises 275 members in the following membership categories:

<b><u>Membership Category</u></b>	<b><u>Number</u></b>
RPP	111
Candidate	88
Pre-Candidate	6
Non-Resident	33
Retired	3
Student	33
Subscriber	1

The following individuals were granted membership during the past year:

#### **RPP Members**

- April Gallays MCIP RPP
- Michelle Grenwich MCIP RPP
- Silke Turner MCIP RPP
- Ben Mario MCIP RPP
- Jenna Schroeder MCIP RPP
- Rylan Graham RRP MCIP
- Danae Balogun RRP MCIP
- Pamela Larson MCIP RPP
- Lauren Miller MCIP RPP
- Melissa Austin MCIP RPP
- Kylie McLean MCIP RPP
- Jeanna South MCIP RPP
- Adam Toth MCIP RPP
- Dylan Sather MCIP RPP

#### **Pre-Candidate Members**

- James McKnight
- Amarpreet Guliani
- Adam Nordquist
- Jeffrey Elkow
- Paul Hillsdon
- Gildas Fotso
- Robin Baxter
- Gale Hagblom
- Shanie Leugner

#### **Candidate Members**

- Sharif Ibrahim
- Robin Baxter
- Daniel McLaren
- Ellen Pearson
- Abby Besharah
- Michael Ruus
- Chris Hilash
- Teresa Ritemann
- Jonathan Pradinuk
- James McKnight
- Jennifer Barrett

## **Student Members**

- Courtney Wiens
- Jonathan Pradinuk
- Kristina Grant
- Michael Fitzsimmons
- Shuai Feng
- Gabe Senecal
- Teagan Kuling
- Kimberly Hoimyr
- Jonathan Zacharias
- Sanduni Kristhombu Baduge
- Jonathan Zacharias

## **Non-Resident Members**

- Dnyanesh Deshpande (APPI)
- Michelle Drylie (OPPI)
- Emma West (OPPI)
- Jason Petrunia (OPPI)
- Ben Petch (APPI)
- Jason Thorne (OPPI)
- Tim Jessop (OPPI)
- Mark Emery (OPPI)
- Calvin Brook (OPPI)
- Connie Gourley (APPI)

SPPI would like to welcome the following members that have transferred to SPPI during the past year:

- Jonathan Pradinuk, OPPI
- Eric Westberg, PIBC
- Brittany Shewchuk, MPPI
- Setta Tatsuyuki, APPI
- Riannon McVay, API

SPPI would like to thank the following members for their contribution to planning in Saskatchewan, and wish them success in their planning careers as they have transferred to another affiliate this past year:

- Richard Stuckenberg to APPI
- Jaiden Henry to APPI
- Melinda Francis to API
- Dustin Bisson to APPI
- Teresa Ritterman to PIBC
- Jaiden Henry to APPI

Respectfully submitted, Marilyn Steranka, Executive Director

## **Treasurer**

The 2013 budget met and exceeded forecasted expectations, with a lower than expected deficit of \$3240.45. SPPI Council chose to transfer funds out of reserves to cover this deficit, which was associated with the cost of the new website. SPPI still had significant revenue streams which included:

- \$10,771 from the 2013 AGM and Conference
- \$9,200 from SPPI Job Advertising.

After using reserve funds money to balance the operating budget (\$3240.45), at the end of 2013 the reserve was \$55,095.00. The majority of this amount is held in a Guaranteed Investment Certificate, with the balance in the SPPI chequing account.

As required on an annual basis:

*I recommend that SPPI pass a motion to waive the requirement for a formal audit of 2013 finances. The unaudited financial statements provided by Marcia Herback CA meet the needs of the Institute and provide a financial summary consistent with general accounting practices.*

Since the direction in 2012 to cover all administrative costs through memberships fees, SPPI Council spent a considerable amount of time re-organizing the SPPI Budget; separating the operating income and expenses from the discretionary income and expenses. The operating budget includes the items that SPPI needs to do as an organization and the discretionary budget includes the items that SPPI wants to do as an organization. In the past there was an expectation that our programming income would cover the cost of our operating expenses. Council felt this was not a sustainable approach as programming income is variable, and operating expenses are not.

FEE INCREASE: As a result of the budget review and increasing operating expenses, in 2015 SPPI membership fees will be increased to \$210 to help cover the operating expenses.

### **Secretary**

The Executive Council hosted eleven meetings over the past year including two “in person” meetings in Saskatoon. All Council meetings involved discussions concerning the membership register, membership and educational programming, policy formulation, and budget.

The current Executive Council comprises ten members holding the following portfolios:

<b>Position</b>	<b>Member</b>
President	Karen Bolton, MCIP RPP
President Elect	Bill Delaine, MCIP RPP
Treasurer/Secretary	Autumn Dawson, MCIP RPP
Administration and Governance Committee	Jenna Schroeder, MCIP RPP Autumn Dawson, MCIP RPP
Promotions and Public Relations Committee	Sarah King Danae Balogun, MCIP RPP Melissa Austin, MCIP RPP
Professional Development Committee	Samantha Mark Bonnie Gorelitz, MCIP RPP
Student Representative (RUP Program)	Brittney Beckie

This year there are three Council positions available. To accommodate a request from CIP for all current Council members to remain on Council to facilitate the completion of

their transformation projects, the term of the President and Pre-Elect have been extended for one year, through a motion of Council. Nominations and voting for President-Elect will take place in 2015.

Respectfully submitted, Autumn Dawson MCIP RPP

### **Administration & Governance**

The Administration and Governance Committee is responsible for:

- Communicating with government and other organizations to participate in legislative and policy issues related to the profession; and
- Effective implementation and administration of legislation and policies.

To achieve these responsibilities, the Administration and Governance Committee formed the Policy Subcommittee, completed *The Community Planning Profession Regulatory Bylaw* and worked to develop *The Community Planning Profession Administrative Bylaw*.

### **Policy Subcommittee**

The Policy Subcommittee represents Council at events and on committees, reports back to Council on events and committee meetings attended, and prepares position papers in response to local, regional and provincial planning topics and issues. Members of the Policy Subcommittee are Francis Wallace, Martino Verhaeghe, Mauricio Jiménez, Tatsuyuki Setta, Lenore Swystun and Robin Riehl.

Currently, the Policy Subcommittee represents SPPI Council on two committees: the Main Street Saskatchewan Advisory Committee and the Community Inclusion – Accessibility Priority Working Group.

The Main Street Saskatchewan Advisory Committee provides advice to the Ministry of Parks, Culture and Sport on the planning, implementation and periodic review of the Main Street Saskatchewan program, which is a comprehensive, community-driven program that revitalizes historic downtown commercial areas based on the principles and best practices of community organization, economic restricting, heritage conservation and design, and marketing.

The Community Inclusion – Accessibility Priority Working Group analyzes the issues and consultation findings of the Saskatchewan Disability Strategy public consultation process, and recommends potential actions and solutions. The Accessibility Priority Working Group specifically focuses on addressing policies, procedures and practices that can sometimes exclude people with disabilities from public and private services.

### ***The Community Planning Profession Regulatory Bylaw***

*The Community Planning Profession Regulatory Bylaw* (Regulatory Bylaw) was prepared pursuant to subsection 15(2) of *The Community Planning Profession Act, 2013*. Council approved this bylaw on October 16, 2013. The Ministry of Government Relations

approved this bylaw on November 28, 2013, and it was published in the Saskatchewan Gazette on December 20, 2013.

The Regulatory Bylaw:

- Prescribes the categories of membership;
- Establishes the requirement for all Registered Professional Planners to obtain a license, which is effective so long as the member remains in good standing;
- Outlines the procedures and requirements for member registration;
- Outlines the procedures for member resignation, cessation of membership and member re-admission;
- Adopts the Canadian Institute of Planners' Code of Professional Conduct and Code of Ethics as the Code of Professional Conduct and Code of Ethics for the Institute;
- Establishes the Professional Conduct Committee and Discipline Committee as statutory committees of the Institute;
- Prescribes the standards for advertising, promotion and marketing activities for members; and
- Enables members to demand special meetings of the Institute.

The Administration and Governance Committee periodically reviews and amends the Regulatory Bylaw, as necessary.

### ***The Community Planning Profession Administrative Bylaw***

*The Community Planning Profession Administrative Bylaw* (Administrative Bylaw) is prepared pursuant to subsection 15(1) of *The Community Planning Profession Act, 2013*. The Administration and Governance Committee began work on this bylaw in October 2013, and continues to make refinements to the bylaw.

In summary, the Administrative Bylaw outlines the following:

- Membership fees;
- Fiscal management;
- Council and committee organization;
- Nomination and election process;
- Procedures of Council;
- Corporate Seal of the Institute;
- Classes of membership;
- Continuous Professional Learning; and
- Describing the awards of Council.

The Administration and Governance Committee anticipates completion of the Administrative Bylaw by December 2014. Once approved, the bylaw will be periodically review and amended, as necessary

Respectfully submitted, Jenna Schroeder MCIP RPP and Autumn Dawson MCIP RPP



## **Professional Development**

Over the past year, the Professional Development Committee has been working on a variety of initiatives. As the Strategic Plan was solidified, the Committee was able to come together to work on a number of action items.

Under the Professional Development portfolio, the key areas include:

- U of S Regional and Urban Planning Program Liaison eg. RUP 413 now changed to PLAN 413
- Update CPL Guidelines
- Facilitating Candidate members to receive their RPP
- Provide professional development opportunities to members
- Organize awards nominations and process.

The RUP 413 Work Study Program has been renamed to PLAN 413 to ensure consistency in the names of the planning courses offered in the Regional and Urban Planning Program. The Work Study Program continues to grow each year with new hosts and more students. Last year, there were a total of five (5) hosts in and nine (9) students placed in fall 2013. In term 2, there were six (6) hosts and ten (10) students placed. At the end of each term and when the placement is completed, students are required to provide a report about their placement along with a feedback form. Last year we also introduced a feedback form specifically for the hosts. We have recently been sent the student applications and are currently organizing the placements.

We would like to share a big thank you to the members who participate in the Work Study Program. We appreciate the time and commitment you take to provide students with planning experience!

The Committee is currently working with the students enrolled in the Regional and Urban Planning Program to find additional ways to bridge the gap between students and employers/school and working. This work will be ongoing.

The Committee has been working on streamlining the process for candidate (nee provisional) members to submit their logbooks and take oral exams (when necessary) under the old system. The application forms have been updated and additional information drafted for both candidates and logbook reviewers. In addition to this, SPPI is working to provide assistance to new candidate members preparing to move to RPP status. This work is ongoing and information will be provided to members as it becomes available.

There are a number of awards presented by SPPI each year. This year an awards sub-committee was formed to review the criteria for each award and update the criteria to evaluate each nomination. The Awards Sub-Committee assisted in reviewing and providing a recommendation on the McLeod Jourdin Award which is a scholarship presented to a student/students in the Regional and Urban Planning Program. The Excellence in Planning Award is a new award and will be presented for the first time at the AGM this year.

In the last year, eight (8) Development Appeals Board workshops were held around the province. Government Relations provided the speakers for this one day workshop and SPPI organized the hosting and registration details. The workshops were well attended by planners, board members and municipal administration. Additional workshops can be requested by contacting either Co-Chair.

We are continually looking for new Continuous Learning opportunities for Professional Development. A mini-survey will be forwarded to members after the annual conference regarding professional development options. There is a wide range of opportunities and levels of knowledge that could be addressed. The mini-survey will provide a focus to what topics, delivery methods, and to whom development opportunities should be provided in the near future. We look forward to everyone's input.

The Professional Development Committee has been working on a number of other deliverables including:

- Identifying potential stakeholders, partners and collaborative relationships
- Preparing a communication piece on the new designations of SPPI for the website, an e-blast to members and information for employers
- Creating a list of volunteer opportunities for SPPI members
- Reviewing and assigning CPL units and opportunities
- Planning professional development and networking opportunities for this year's World Town Planning Day

Moving forward with the Profession Development Committee, many more opportunities are to come. Thank you for everyone's input and participation this year. It is greatly appreciated.

Respectfully submitted, Samantha Mark and Bonnie Gorelitz MCIP RPP

### **Promotion & Public Relations**

#### **Promotion & Public Relations**

The goal of the Promotions & Public Relations Committee is to ensure that SPPI is seen as the body of planning excellence in Saskatchewan with professional planning seen as an essential service. Over the past 12 months, the Committee has made significant effort to raise the profile of SPPI through a new website, new name, various communications and building new connections.

#### **Rebranding**

As of September 2013, the Association of Professional Community Planners of Saskatchewan (APCPS) officially changed its name to the Saskatchewan Professional Planners Institute (SPPI). The name is now consistent with other affiliates of the Canadian Institute of Planners (CIP). The transition to SPPI required the need for a new logo and new website to be created. The new logo and website were launched at the 2013 Conference. The Committee has aimed to profile the Institute with the new rebranding

where possible (i.e. media releases, supporting other conferences, attending student information evenings, etc). Additional strategies and ideas to raise the profile of the Institute are welcomed from the membership.

### **Website**

In the fall of 2013, [www.sppi.ca](http://www.sppi.ca) became live. The Committee worked hard to ensure that the website portrays the professional image of the Institute. All webpages have now been populated with content and the Committee continues to provide the latest planning news and upcoming events. The membership is encouraged to communicate with the Committee if there is additional information they would like to see on the website. Feedback on the website is always appreciated.

### **Communication**

The Committee strongly believes that two-way communication is the key to a successful communication. A bi-annual survey was introduced this year and conducted to ensure Council is continuing to pursue goals that are important to the membership. The new website has been instrumental in the execution of communications to the membership, in addition to the email blasts and social media ([www.facebook.com/SaskPlanning](http://www.facebook.com/SaskPlanning); [www.twitter.com/SaskPlanning](http://www.twitter.com/SaskPlanning)) that have been created and released this past year. Throughout 2014-2015, the Committee will be launching the Journal Committee, a sub-committee of the Promotions and Public Relations Committee that will gather planning-related articles for a semi-annual publication to members.

### **Annual Conference**

The 2014 SPPI Conference is to be held at the Elk Ridge, Waskesiu from September 22-24, 2014. The 2014 SPPI Conference theme is GROWING STRONG. This year's Conference focuses on regional planning, and is intended to discuss and examine the many factors that contribute to regional growth. Planners play a role in ensuring municipalities and the regions they are located within, address growth and support the coordination of infrastructure and land use in a sustainable manner. The goal of this year's conference is to emphasize the importance of regional planning and demonstrate best practices including processes, methodologies and planning models to build and maintain balanced and viable communities. This theme explores issues & opportunities planners face in shaping the lives, growth and futures of our communities and regions. It is anticipated that attendees will be able to take away practical and applicable information to address the implications of regional planning.

Thank you to the following members of the 2014 Conference Committee for all their hard work, time, and effort that they put into making the 2014 Conference a success!

#### **Program Coordinators**

Jenna Schroeder  
Wes Holowachuk  
Ian Williamson

#### **Social Coordinators**

Brad Toth  
Rebecca Row

#### **Sponsorship Coordinators**

Jana Jedlic  
Brittney Shewchuk

#### **Student Liaison**

Brittney Beckie

## **Conference Chairs**

Melissa Austin  
Sarah King  
Danae Balogun

## **SPPI Executive Director**

Marilyn Steranka

## **CIP 2015**

SPPI, in association with CIP, is proud to announce that Saskatoon, SK will be hosting the 2015 CIP-SPPI Annual Conference. The conference will take place at TCU Place, from June 27-30, 2015. Conference Steering Committee Co-Chair's that will be leading the 2015 CIP/SPPI Conference Organizing Committee are Alan Wallace and Ryan Walker. The 2015 Conference Steering Committee and sub-committees are looking forward to showcasing Saskatchewan's past, present, and future contributions to Planning. The goal of THRIVE 2015 is to bring together planners from across Canada and other countries to experience, learn, and share what it takes to create thriving cities, towns, and regions. The conference program will engage delegates actively, intellectually, culturally and socially. It will foster dialogue and exchange between planners and allied professionals in urban design, land use, transportation, municipal management, real estate development, natural resource management, and geomatics. Members of the public and elected officials will help to ground the program and increase capacity locally. Conference information is available at [www.thrive2015fleuir.ca](http://www.thrive2015fleuir.ca). Updates on conference details will be posted on the website and social media ([www.facebook.com/thrive2015](https://www.facebook.com/thrive2015); [www.twitter.com/Thrive2015](https://www.twitter.com/Thrive2015)) as they become available.

## **Great Places**

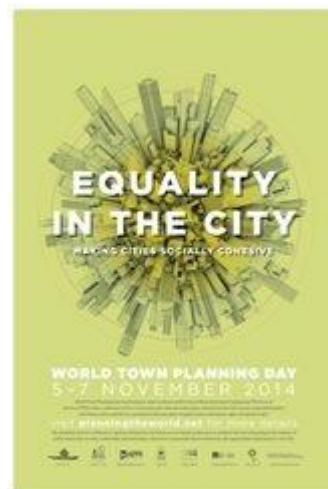
This annual contest encourages people to nominate and vote for the place they love most in Canada. The competition is open to all Canadians and the purpose of the contest is to elevate the public's recognition of great planned places and planning in general. There are three categories of great places – great public spaces, great neighbourhoods and great streets. There is also a people's choice winner for each category, which is decided based on how many votes are received. Once a great place is nominated, the summary and pictures submitted by the nominator are posted on the website [www.greatplacesincanada.ca](http://www.greatplacesincanada.ca). One place in Saskatchewan has been nominated under the Public Places category – Kiwanis Memorial Park in Saskatoon. Voting is open until September 25<sup>th</sup> and the winners will be announced on November 7<sup>th</sup> – World Town Planning Day!

## **World Town Planning Day**

World Town Planning Day is an opportunity to promote a better understanding and awareness of Canadian Planners and planning to the local community and all levels of government. Since 1949, World Town Planning Day has been celebrated in more than 30 countries on four continents worldwide. The World Town Planning Day online conference runs from November 5-7, 2014. This year the theme is Equality in the City – Making Cities Socially Cohesive, this focuses on plans and policies around the world that advance equity, justice, and human rights. To access the conference you can visit <http://www.planningtheworld.net/>. Many Canadian planners and municipalities also hold their own events to educate and promote the value of planning within their

communities. If you are holding an event and would like to share the details of the event, please contact SPPI. As part of our continuing efforts to make greener choices, posters will not be printed. Rather, e-Posters are now available for download from the CIP website.

Respectfully submitted, Melissa Austin MCIP RPP, Danae Balogun MCIP RPP, Sarah King



### Past Presidents

1975-1976	Bob Linner PPS MCIP	1996-1998	Denton Yeo PPS MCIP
1976-1978	Ron Cope PPS MCIP	1998-2000	Ralph Leibel PPS MCIP
1978-1989	Dewell Linn	2000-2001	Diana Hawryluk PPS MCIP
1979-1980	Lorne Sully PPS MCIP	2001-2002	Andrew Hanna PPS MCIP
1980-1981	Walter McNeil PPS MCIP	2002-2003	Diana Hawryluk PPS MCIP
1982-1984	Peggy Clark	2002-2004	Tim Steuart PPS MCIP
1984-1986	Lehman Walker MCIP	2004-2005	Andrew J. Hanna PPS MCIP
1986-1988	Mohammad Afsar PPS MCIP	2005-2006	John Wolfenberg PPS MCIP
1988-1990	David Klippenstein PPS MCIP	2006-2008	Jim Walters PPS MCIP
1990-1992	Laurent Mougeot PPS MCIP	2008-2010	Bob Bjerke PPS MCIP
1992-1994	Tim Steuart PPS MCIP	2010-2012	Paula Kotasek-Toth PPS MCIP
1994-1996	John Wolfenberg PPS MCIP	2012-2014	Karen Bolton MCIP RPP

### Awards

#### The Andy Campbell Award

The Association of Professional Community Planners of Saskatchewan annually presents a \$200.00 award and a Certificate to a full-time fourth year student registered in the Regional and Urban Development Program. The student must be eligible for graduation and obtain the highest scholastic standing in the third and fourth year courses as designated by the College of Arts & Science. The recipient must also be a Student Member in standing with SPPI. Past recipients are:

1979-1980	Ronald Fournier	1986-1987	Gordon Falk
1980-1981	Felix Paul Hoehn	1987-1988	Pennie Conacher
1981-1982	Donald G. Meikle	1988-1989	Edmund Kaufhold
1982-1983	Bill Holden	1989-1990	Russell Dauk
1983-1984	Catherine Holstlander	1991-1992	Dwayne Whiteside
1984-1985	Debbie Bryden	1992-1993	Jim Flath
1985-1986	Paula Sali	1993-1994	Brenda Ireland

1994-1995	Ronald Fournier	2004-2005	Not awarded
1995-1996	Jill Harriman	2005-2006	Chelsea Jersak
1996-1997	Livia Kellett	2006-2007	Leanne Delong
1997-1998	Carey Baker	2008-2009	Jordan Gasior
1998-1999	Kathy Coles	2009-2010	Janelle Anderson
1999-2000	Felix Horne	2010-2011	Danae Lockert
2000-2001	Lyla Peter	2011-2012	Heather Rogers
2001-2002	Not awarded	2012-2013	Kyle Witiw
2002-2003	Dana Irvine		
2003-2004	Not awarded		

### **Fraser-Gatrell Planning Awards**

These awards are designed to recognize the efforts of both members and non-members of SPPI as they promote and enhance community planning in our communities.

#### Distinguished Contribution – Planner

Presented to a member of SPPI deserving of such recognition as a result of major achievement in one or more of the following areas:

- i. Long time service and contribution to the Planning Profession;
- ii. Work-related achievements including development plans, redevelopment projects, regional plans, policy plans and other projects where the planning process has been exercised;
- iii. Public participation including community service, education, committee/task force work, dispute resolution and other related work involving the enhancement of planning from a public perspective.

1992	Dr. J. H. Richards	2010	Larry Billett
1998	H.E. Wellman	2012	Andrew J. Hanna
1999	Ray Crozier	2013	Ralph Leibel
2002	Lorne Sully		
2009	Glen Grismer		

#### Citizen's Planning Award

This award is presented to a person who is not a member of SPPI but has made a significant contribution to the promotion of Planning. The potential recipient could be a politician, educator, journalist, civil servant, or any other person who has directly enhanced the planning profession.

1993	Ralph K. Leibel Sr.	2000	Stu MacFadden
1995	Kate Waygood	2001	Dr. Edmond H. Dale
1996	Ken Redekopp	2003	Joseph Bourgault
1997	Tom Morgan	2004	Mitch Holash
1998	Lucy M. Eley	2005	Bev Robertson
1999	Ned Kosteniuk	2006	Fred Sutter

2008 Ken Achs  
2011 Dorothy Johnston

2013 Mark Bobyn

#### Fraser–Gatrell Memorial Scholarship

The Fraser–Gatrell Memorial Scholarship has been endowed in memory of two Saskatchewan community planners who were tragically killed in northern Saskatchewan in 1993. The late Tom Fraser was the manager of the Provincial Government's Northern Community Planning office. The late Darren Gatrell was an excellent student who graduated from the RUD program in 1992 and had begun his career in the same office.

The '*Fraser–Gatrell Memorial Scholarship Award*' is intended to be funded for fifteen years, through annual earnings of a trust established by donors to be awarded by the University of Saskatchewan. The value of the Scholarship is estimated at \$1,200, based on University practices regarding trust value preservation.

Selection for the award is based on a completed project or paper dealing with planning or development in Canada, north of the 53<sup>rd</sup> parallel, on overall achievement of the applicants, and on their community involvement. Applicants for the scholarship award may include individual students or groups of students, full-time in RUP, who submit an urban design project or research paper on urban, regional or community planning in Northern Canada.

The Selection Committee, comprised of the Dean of the College of Arts and Science, and representatives from the RUP Administrative Committee and SPPI/CIP, determines the winning candidate. All competition entries must be submitted to the RUP Chair in three copies. RUP does not commit itself to grant the award if no deserving submissions are made in a particular year. The deadline for submissions of entries for the Fraser-Gatrell Memorial Scholarship Award is the last working day February of each academic year.

#### **Volunteer Recognition Award**

The purpose of this award is to recognize the efforts of an SPPI member based on a personal commitment to planning; and to recognize extraordinary services and a significant contribution to the Association by a volunteer.

2011 Elisabeth Miller MCIP RPP  
2012 Jim Walters MCIP RPP  
2013 Martino Verhaeghe MCIP RPP