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Student Committee 2024 Annual Meeting Report

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Overview

This year, we welcomed 69 students representing 25 diverse schools from across Canada, including Members from British Columbia, Alberta, New Brunswick and Ontario.

**Deanna Auger Student RGD**

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[View Profile](#)**Rachel Burbidge Student RGD**

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[View Profile](#)**Josiah Chung Student RGD****UI UX WEB DESIGN**

Hi Everyone, my name is Josiah. I am a second year Graphic Design student at Durham College. I am learning more about different areas of Graphic design while applying myself in different areas of life. I t...

[View Profile](#)**Paige Currie Student RGD****EDITORIAL MARKETING UI**

Based in London, Ontario, graphic designer Paige Currie specializes in editorial design, marketing, and UI. She is in her final year of earning her diploma in Graphic Design at Centennial College. Guided b...

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#HeyRGD x Career Week

This year, we made the decision to revamp #HeyRGD, shifting its focus away from its association with DesignThinkers to enhance student engagement. By integrating it with RGD's portfolio reviews, students received a free portfolio review with their #HeyRGD application.



Events Committee

This is our latest initiative aimed at fostering closer connections among designers on RGD's Emerging Designers Discord server through casual networking. As part of this effort, we've organized Trivia and Pictionary Nights.



Discord

This year, we've established a networking platform catering to Students, Provisional Members, and Junior Affiliate Members. Our digital events, such as a Design Thinkers watch party and a resource exchange week, garnered fantastic participation.

Our membership has grown to over 500 Members, marking significant growth and engagement within our community.



Awareness

We're currently working on poster resources to spread the word about RGD in schools across Canada. Additionally, we're staying active on Instagram, producing reels and stories for the RGD account to showcase a diverse range of topics and engage our audience.



Thank You to Our Guest Speakers

- Amanda DeVries RGD
- Mo Bofill RGD
- Andrea Rodriguez RGD
- Vanessa Eckstein RGD
- Sebastian Abboud RGD

Thank You to Our Members

- Shannon Boyko
- Emily Rest
- Briet Savard Gudjonsdottir
- Marina Walsworth
- Trudy Wong
- Anny Garcia
- Carmen Huang
- JJ Eng
- Louis Yau
- Siobhan Barry
- Cameron Skorulski
- Paige Currie
- Leah Dunn
- Matteo Ferralasco
- Ellie Kim
- Bella Sanchez
- Beatrice Labbe
- Sam Loiselle
- Luciana Loucel
- Michelle Tieu
- Jules Hayward
- Sam Sporich
- Jennifer Sutherland
- Madeline Belford
- Jen Gilbert
- Simran Kaur
- Nicole Urquhart
- Josiah Chung
- Natalie Chiovitti
- Pantea Kouhpayeh
- Sara Vargas Nessi
- Siyu Wang
- Pulomaja Gajraj
- Nazeem Junggee
- Soyinka Seguin
- Juanita Rodriguez
- Padmini Balkissoon
- Rachel Burbidge
- Leen Bakri
- Luke Spiteri
- Dima Lavrentiev
- Pegah Resalatpanah
- Alisa Luo
- Delsou Fouladi
- Ana Beatriz Leao Pimentel
- Hannah Ramirez
- Marc Santos
- Mudrika Soni
- Kaoutar Taghi
- TJ Devaras
- Vidhya Ganapathy Subramanian
- Jiyu Hwang
- Eri Spotton
- Deanna Auger
- Hannah Wiley
- Luis Vega
- Ling Meng
- Erin Donelson