



Celebrating Print in the West

In late February, members from Western Canada's printing community gathered in Calgary at the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT) to celebrate International Printing Week, with students in the Digital Graphics Communication (DGC) program. Printing students from nearby NorQuest College in Edmonton joined in the celebration, sponsored by the Alberta Graphic Arts Industry Network (aGain) and Productivity Alberta. ☘

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Luda Paul, President of aGAIN and SAIT DGC instructor.



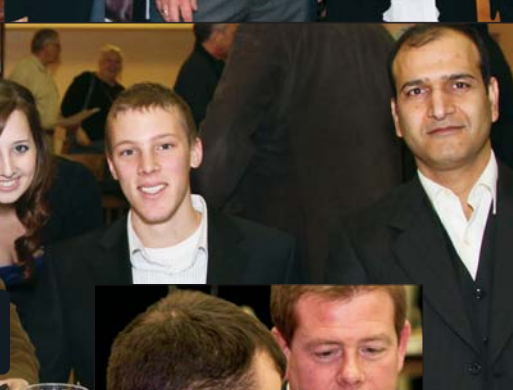
Josh Ramsbottom of NorQuest College; Dean McElhinney of Unicom Graphics; Grant and Jamie Menzies of Menzies Printers, Willem Sijpbeer of SAIT Polytechnic; and Kevin Henderson of Unicom Graphics.



Liz Babiak of CPISC, Abe Giesbrecht of Friesens and Marie Eveline of CPISC with SAIT's Willem Sijpbeer and Mo Keshavjee.



SAIT DGC students Terra Pope, Jeff Fair, Cara Bennett, Jordan Neustaeter and Alireza Hosseinpour.



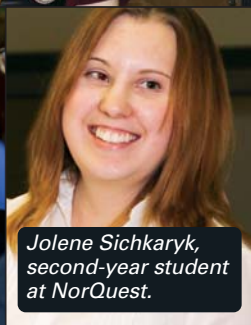
Wayne Boxall, DGC instructor at NorQuest College.



SAIT DGC students Paul Doad, Riordan Tayles and Miso Stojic.



Abhay Sharma, visiting professor at NorQuest College.



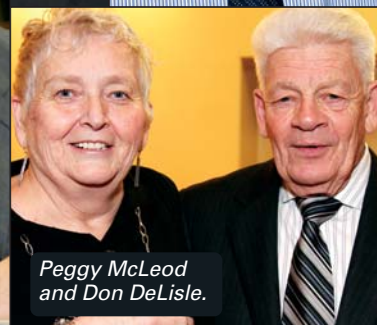
Jolene Sichkaryk, second-year student at NorQuest.



Bain Spielman of the Printing and Graphics Industries Association of Alberta.



Dave Yoner (right) of Little Rock Document Services.



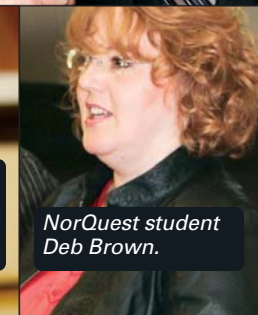
Peggy McLeod and Don DeLisle.



Alesha Thompson and Karla Poznikoff, second-year students from SAIT's DGC program.



SAIT student Thomas Turner.



NorQuest student Deb Brown.