



Lunenburg Academy of Music Performance

Creating the next generation of outstanding performing artists within the walls of a Canadian architectural treasure

After the old Lunenburg Academy (near the Town Hall) was destroyed by fire in 1893, it became necessary to build a new school. H.H. Mott, a noted architect from Saint John, N.B. was contracted to provide plans for the new school and tenders were advertised in July 1894. The contract was secured by the Oxford Furniture Company, the agreed price being \$25,000.00. Construction began in the fall of 1894 and proceeded smoothly until early 1895 when the Oxford Furniture Company went bankrupt. At that point, work was continued under the direction of Solomon Morash, a local master builder. The final cost of the building was \$30,000.00. It was opened on November 7, 1895.

The Lunenburg Academy is the only intact 19th century Academy building surviving in Nova Scotia. The Academy is entirely a wood frame structure. It is 96 x 125 feet in dimension and stands three stories high with a mansard roof. The front and rear elevations each have a large central projecting frontispiece flanked by towers of slightly different design. At roof level large, segmental dormer windows flank the towers.

The Educational Review of February, 1896 described the Academy as follows:

"The new school building occupies one of the finest and most commanding sites in the Province, being visible for many miles around. The ground floor contains six large classrooms with separate cloakrooms for boys and girls. The second floor contains six classrooms, cloakrooms, laboratory and library. There is a large assembly hall (on the third floor) capable of seating over 160. The ceilings throughout are of white wood and beautifully panelled. The floors and wainscoting are of white birch while the rest of the interior is finished in ash and birch. Four towers adorn the building in one of which a large bell weighing over 600 pounds has been placed." (Note: the Lunenburg Iron Company cast this bell).

Standing on top of "Gallows Hill," the Academy, like a great Victorian Matriarch, surveys her family of distinctive and beautiful homes in the old Town. Visible for miles around, it is an outstanding landmark and one of the most remarkable heritage buildings in the Province. It has been designated as a Municipal, Provincial and Federal Heritage site, and was recently restored.

Managing Career Trajectory in Higher Education

Wednesday, October 18, 2017 | Noon – 3 p.m. at The Lunenburg Academy at the top of Gallows Hill in Lunenburg, Nova Scotia

For centuries, Lunenburg's affinity with the sea has shaped her destiny. Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, National Historic District, winner of the Communities in Bloom most beautiful small town in Canada, Prettiest Painted Places in Canada, Port City of the Year and Society of American Travel Writers' awards. Picturesque Lunenburg lies nestled along the scenic shores of southern Nova Scotia. Experience the Lunenburg way of life as we tour the village's historic architecture, attractions and amenities in the morning, followed by lunch and a Career Development Workshop for those who choose this option, or lunch and afternoon on your own. at 3 p.m. sharp. Guests and/or Deans are also invited to ride to Lunenburg with the group; tour the village with us in the morning; and enjoy lunch and afternoon on their own.

- 8:00 a.m. Buses depart the Conference hotel, Halifax Marriott Harbourfront Hotel, and travel by highway to Lunenburg
- 9:30 – 11:45 a.m. Enjoy a guided tour of Lunenburg
- 11:45 – Noon Participants in the Career Development Workshop walk up the hill to the Lunenburg Academy, at the top of Gallows Hill
- Noon – 3:00 p.m. Managing Career Trajectory in Higher Education
- 3:00 p.m. sharp Buses will depart for a two-hour waterfront drive back to Halifax

Managing Career Trajectory in Higher Education: Candidate Best Practices with Paul Chou, Co-Managing Director, Global Education Practice, Korn Ferry International

This presentation will focus on providing some general guidance around candidate best practices in developing a career in higher education administration. The goal will be to fully inform attendees about the nuances in what is often a very ambiguous process. Paul will provide useful insights and suggestions for how to effectively prepare for professional opportunities to advance your career. Paul will provide some context on the client's perspective and how the process works behind the scenes. He will also share insights on how increase your chances for success by strategically positioning your job experience, building an appropriate narrative, properly preparing for an interview, and conveying the relevant leadership capabilities. Driven from his experience in working with hundreds of boards and search committees, the workshop will open with a presentation followed by a Q&A.

Early Bird: \$200 until September 1 | After that: \$225 per person

One-on-One Private Career Consultation

Presentation attendees may follow up for a one hour one-on-one career consultation with Paul Chou for an additional \$100/hour fee if registered before September 1 and space is available. After September 1, the fee is \$125/hour. Paul will make himself available between 8 am – 3 pm on Thursday, October 19, 2017. Bring your CV.

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CAREER DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP

REGISTRATION FORM

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\$200 through September 1 / \$225 per person after September 1.

\$50 per person for those who wish to join us on the bus to Lunenburg, for the morning tour, and to spend the afternoon touring on their own

Name(s) and Title(s) and mobile number(s) of those Attending: _____

Institution: _____

e-mail address of each person attending: _____

Please check here if you would also like one-on-one consultation on Thursday. Payment will be made to Korn Ferry. Paul will contact you to schedule.

Registrants are members of (please check all that apply):

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Please make your check payable to ICFAD and mail it to:

P.O. Box 331, West Palm Beach, FL 33402

VISA

MasterCard

\$200.00

(Prior to Sept. 1.)

\$225.00

(After Sept. 1)

\$50.00

(Bus/Morn Tour)

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Questions? Please contact Alison Pruitt at (561) 514-0810 or alison@icfad.org