

Program Schedule

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Conference hash-tag:
#aufgs2012

**Friday
Evening**

September 14, 2012

1900-
2100

Social Event, Meet and Greet (sponsored by AUGSA)

Saturday

September 15, 2012

0730-
0830

Registration, set up posters, coffee

0830-
1000

Conference Opening

- Greetings from Dr. Frits Pannekoek, President Athabasca University
- Greetings from Dr. Donna Romyn, Acting Associate Vice President Research

Keynote:

- [Dr. Terry Anderson](#), Professor & Canada Research Chair in Distance Education, Athabasca University: *Living, Learning, and Researching in a Networked Era*

(**Chair:** Dr. Pamela Hawranik, Dean Faculty of Graduate Studies)

1000 -
1030

Break and [Poster Sessions](#) (HTML)

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1030-
1130

Plenary Session:

- [Dr. Gina Wisker](#), Professor of Higher Education & Contemporary

Literature, Head of Centre for Learning and Teaching, University of Brighton, United Kingdom

Learning Journeys and Success: Perspectives on Conceptual Threshold Crossings for Graduate Students and Supervisors— Learning Leaps and 'Nudging'

(**Chair:** Jan Thiessen, Multimedia Instructional Designer/Editor, Faculty of Business)

1135-
1235 **Graduate Student presentations**
(3 concurrent sessions, 3 rooms with 3 presenters 20 minutes each)
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1235 -
1330 Lunch & Networking
Students and faculty networking and students sharing their research at tables.

1330-
1430 **Graduate Student presentations**
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1430-
1500 Break and [Poster Sessions](#) (HTML)
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1500-
1600 **Panel:** [Dr. Raphael Foshay](#), [Debbie Fraser](#), [Dr. Susan Moisey](#): *Publish or Perish—Survival for Students and Faculty*

1615-
1705 **Graduate Student presentations**
(3 concurrent sessions, 3 rooms with 3 presenters 20 minutes each)
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1800 **Dinner & Entertainment with the Big River Band**

Sunday

September 16, 2012

0730 –
0830 Coffee

0830 –
0930 **Keynote:**

- [Katherine Janzen](#), RN, MN Assistant Professor, Mount Royal University (2011 MHS): *From Staff Nurse to University Professor: Five People and Decisions that Changed My Life*

(Chair: Dr. Sharon Moore, Associate Professor, Centre for Nursing & Health Studies)

935 – **Graduate Student presentations**
1035 (3 concurrent sessions, 3 rooms with 3 presenters 20 minutes each)
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1035 - Break
1050

1050 – **Graduate Student Presentations**
1150 (concurrent sessions)

1150- **Conference closing:**
1300

- **Panel:** [Dr. Mark McCutcheon and Dr. Caroline Park](#): *Summing Up and Looking Ahead*

(Chair: Dr. Pamela Hawranik)

1300 **Pick up Box Lunch**