



TRAILL TALES

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A message from our College Principal, Dr. Michael Eamon

Dear Traillites,

I knew that the spring-like weather was too good to be true! For those who love lots of snow and ice, this is the time to capitalize upon what the recent snowstorm has left behind. The mix of inclement weather and the lack of classes have made things a little bit quieter (but not a lot) around Traill this week. In fact, this week we were happy to welcome the Trent University **IT Department** to The Trend where they held a staff retreat. I hope that they enjoyed the change of scenery and the culinary stylings of our own **Chef Christopher**. We also welcomed the staff and volunteers at **Hospice Peterborough** for various training sessions held in Bagnani Hall. It was wonderful to have such auspicious guests using our facilities.

Next week (and until the end of term), it is full-speed-ahead for activities at Traill College. On Wednesday evening the College is happy to support the launch of **Dr. Hugh Hodges** new book, *The Fascist Groove Thing: A History of Thatcher's Britain in 21 Mix Tapes*. Join us in Bagnani Hall, at 7 PM for an evening of literary and musical fun.

On Thursday, we are honoured to welcome **Senator Donna Dasko** to Bagnani Hall who will be speaking as part of the Canadian Studies 50th Anniversary Series. Her public lecture is entitled *Women in Politics. How Can We Do Better?* The event begins at 7 PM and everyone is welcome to participate in what should be a provocative and enlightening evening.

On a personal note, I will be joining the **Peterborough Singers** this Saturday for our *Back in Full Swing!* concert featuring some great big band, swing, and crooning tunes. I hope that you have been having a good Reading Break and look forward to seeing you at the College soon.

Take care,



Needing an Appointment?

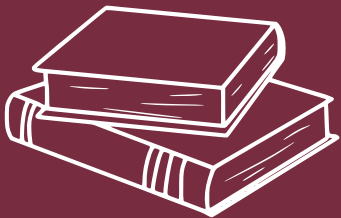
**Academic Advising
Same-Day Appointments
for Trail College: Fridays**
9am - 4pm
Booked by the College Office



**Academic Skills
Appointments**
Monday-Friday
Afternoons; appointments
available to book at 9am.

Cabinet Corner

Check here to keep
up to date with
cabinet events!



To keep up to date with the
college, follow us on social
media!



Looking to book an academic appointment?



Visit the [advising website](#) for the full schedule. Trail College offers same-day appointments Fridays from 9:00am - 4:00pm. To book, call the Academic Advising Line at 705-748-1011 ex. 7333. Same-Day Appointments start at 9am and appointments are first-come, first-served.

Academic Skills appointments are available for booking by logging on to the [Student Experience Portal](#) and selecting an available date and time.

If you are a **Graduate Student** and require Academic Advising support, please reach out to graduate@trentu.ca or your home department.



Swag Shop



Click [here](#) to view our online swag shop and order by contacting 705-748-1011 ext. 7020 or traill@trentu.ca!





Backwoods Baking Presents:

Easy Homemade Nachos
by Spend With Pennies



INGREDIENTS

- Tortilla chips
- Cheese of your choosing
- Beef w/ taco seasoning
- Black beans
- Add these before baking: Sliced black olives, red onions, canned or grilled corn, fresh jalapenos
- Add these after baking: pickled jalapenos, diced tomatoes, green onions, diced avocado, cilantro.
- Add these on the side for dipping: guacamole, pico de Gallo, salsa, sour cream, lime wedges

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Make meat mixture: Brown beef, stir in taco seasoning, water, and black beans. Simmer until the water has evaporated.
2. Layer on a pan: Layer chips with cheese, beef and bean mixture, and green onions according to recipe below.
3. Bake: Bake until the cheese is melted and bubbly.
4. Garnish and enjoy: Remove from oven and load 'em up!



Videos posted every other Wednesday, starting May 25, 2022

Learn essential life skills from upper-year Trent students. Learn everything from doing laundry to budgeting

Click [here](#) to check out Trail College's Happy Box How To's!

Learn some healthy (and not so healthy) recipes, skills for academic work, laundry, moving tricks, College podcasts and more.

Trail Mix

HAHAHA

What do you call a pile of cats?
A meowntain!



What's going on at the College on the Hill?



When: March 1 at 7pm
Where: Scott House - Junior Common Room

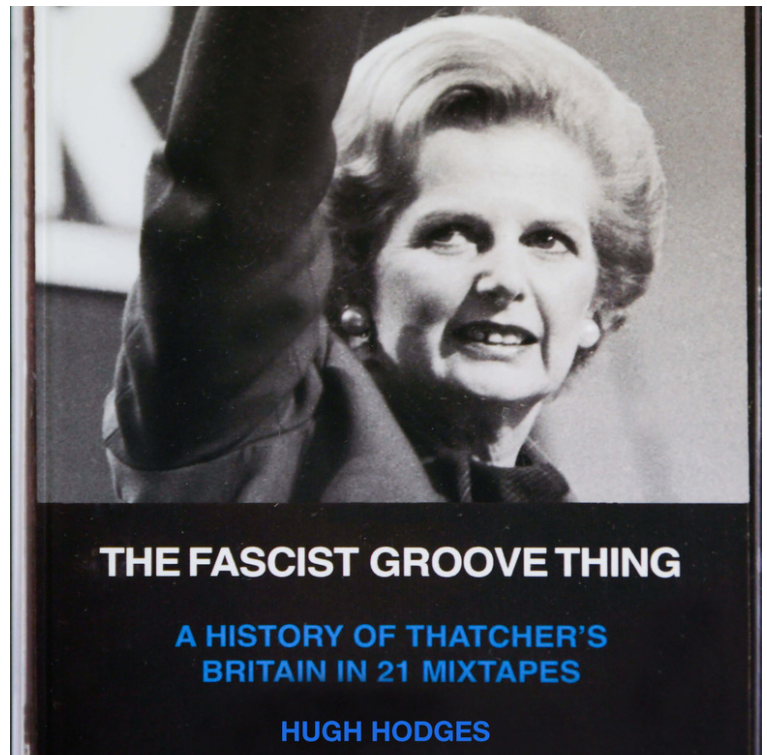
Bring your friends, for this free drop-in event!

Board Game Night

Let's play some games, there's lots to choose from! Here's some of what we'll have:

Twister • Operation • Battleship • Hungry, Hungry Hippos • Cranium • The Game of Life • Trivial Pursuit

Join Traill College for a fun-filled board game night on March 1st at 7pm in the Junior Common Room, Scott House, Traill College. Bring your friends and there is no registration required!



THE FASCIST GROOVE THING

A HISTORY OF THATCHER'S BRITAIN IN 21 MIXTAPES

HUGH HODGES

Join Traill College for the launch of The Fascist Groove Thing: A History of Thatcher's Britain in 21 Mixtapes by Hugh Hodges at 7:00 PM on March 1st 2023 in Bagnani Hall, Traill College.

Trail College is Hiring!

Hey Traillites!

Do you have college spirit? Do you want to be a part of a supportive team? Apply today! Trail College has 3 summer positions available:

- Continuing Education and Programming Intern (JOB ID: 30667)
- Orientation and Outreach Facilitator (JOB ID: 30668)
- Summer Programming and Events Intern (JOB ID: 30670)

Apply through the Job Board on your Student Experience Portal through your MyTrent account!

Deadline: Tuesday, February 28, 2023 at 12:00pm



Traill College is hiring for Summer Positions! The three positions available are: Continuing Education and Programming Intern, Orientation and Outreach Facilitator, and Summer Programming and Event Intern. Apply through the Job Board on the [Student Experience Portal](#) before February 28.

What's going on at Trent University?



Trent alumna Anita Erskine '99 (Otonabee College) has been named the 2023 CEO-in-Residence with the Trent School of Business.

Twice ranked one of the 100 Most Influential Women in Africa, Erskine is an award-winning communications professional, broadcast journalist, television producer and CEO of Anita Erskine Media.

Erskine's work and leadership have been recognized through numerous awards and honours including the 2017 Radio Host of the Year, 2015 TV Hostess of the year (City People Awards, Nigeria), and 2014 TV Female Entertainment Host of the Year (Radio & TV Personality Awards). Erskine, who was

born in Jerusalem and grew up in Ghana, was ranked as one of the Top 100 Most Inspirational Women in Ghana. Her multi-faceted consultancy blends audio/visual content, motivational events, business and entrepreneurship training sessions to empower people, showcase products, and market services of African origin.

She will be on campus from Feb 27 to March 3, and there are a number of incredible opportunities to hear from her and to meet her.

Engagement by Design Series:

Critical, Inclusive, & Open Pedagogies

Centering Social Justice
in Teaching & Learning

Trent University (Room CCS 307) & online
1600 West Bank Drive Peterborough, ON
27 February 2023, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM



with Dr. Rajiv
Jhangiani

trentu.ca/teaching/workshops

This event is supported by the Distinguished
Visiting Teaching Scholar Fund.

CENTRE FOR
TEACHING & LEARNING

Join us on February 27th at 6:30 PM in CCS 307 for a public lecture by Dr. Jhangiani is the Vice Provost, Teaching and Learning at Brock University in Ontario. The architect of Canada's first zero textbook cost degree programs, his scholarship focuses on open educational practices, student-centered pedagogies, and ethical approaches to educational technology.

What's going on at Trent University?

THREE MINUTE PAPER COMPETITION

You're Invited!



March 7th
7pm
Nozhem
Theatre

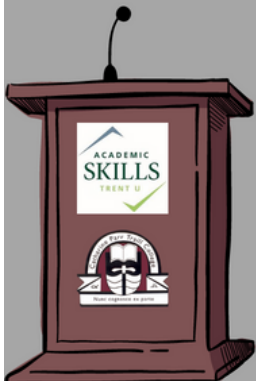


Is there space in your calendar on March 7th? Join us at the annual undergraduate 3 Minute Paper Competition. Things kick off at 7pm in Nozhem Theatre, attached to Enwayaang on Symons Campus. After the sixteen riveting three minute talks, there will be voting and refreshments, with evening wrapping up with award presentations.

Survival Strategies for your Thesis Defense

Thursday, March 9th
2:00pm-3:30pm
Room 105 Scott
House, Traill College
or Via Zoom

Register for the Zoom link



This workshop will help graduate students to:

- understand the thesis defense process
- outline your thesis talk
- create strategies to handle the question period

Come learn from our Academic Skills instructor about what the thesis defense process is, how to create your thesis talk, and tips on how to prepare for the question period. Happening in person at Traill College on March 9th at 2pm or over zoom

TRENT UNIVERSITY
SPIRITUAL AFFAIRS

NEW DATE!

Meet and Greet with Farheen Khan
March 2nd, 2 pm-3:30 pm
Registration link in bio!

Members of the Muslim community at Trent are invited to meet with Farheen Khan, founder of the Women's Mosque of Canada and spiritual care provider with the [Multi-Faith Network at Trent University](#). Farheen Khan will speak about her experience founding the Women's Mosque, and will facilitate a space for the Muslim community to share about their experiences at Trent.

TRENT UNIVERSITY
CONTINUING EDUCATION

IN-PERSON 6-WEEK
COURSE \$200

Save 25%
REGISTER BEFORE
MARCH 1

Spring
INTO LEARNING

WONDERS OF EGYPT: TOMBS, TEMPLES & TOWNS OF THE PHAROHS

WEDNESDAYS | MARCH 22 - APRIL 26, 2023
6:30-8:30 p.m.

trentu.ca/continuingeducation

Check out the Continuing Education Course - Wonders of Egypt, taught by Egyptologist Laura Ranieri Roy: A 6-week course to learn all about the temples, tombs and towns of the Pharaohs. Register [here](#)

What's going on at Trent University?

Introducing Trent University's

New Registration System!



Student Planning is a self-serve system that combines optional degree planning with course search tools and registration, in a new, easy to navigate online environment.

Review the video tutorials on the Academic Advising website to learn how to navigate the common features of Student Planning.

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To all students who are planning on coming back to Trent next year or who would like to register for summer courses!

Take the time to familiarize yourself with our new registration system. You can also reach out to us by email or by phone. Our extension is 6037.

Academic Skills Learning Labs

Facilitated by Academic Skills in the Colleges

Are you interested in practicing student-tested tips, tools, and strategies to help you learn at university?

Join an Academic Skills instructor and an experienced Trent student in weekly **Learning Labs** over Zoom or in-person.



Learn more at trentu.ca/academicskills/



Are you interested in gaining more academic tips and tools? Join an Academic Skills instructor and a Trent student in our Academic Skills Learning Labs through Zoom or in-person! Want more information about our Academic Skills Learning Labs? Visit our Academic Skills website [here](https://trentu.ca/academicskills/)

HOW DO I?...

Drop Winter Courses?

before March 10, 2023

Step 1

Log in to myTrent, click the Academics tab and select the Self Service icon

Step 2

On the Self Service homepage select student Planning & Registration

Step 3

Find the course in the Winter term you wish to drop, click the Drop Button

Step 4

A pop up window to Register and Drop sections will appear. Use the checkbox to confirm which course to drop and click update.

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For students who need to drop a class, there is a new system available to you! However, these four easy steps should not be taken for granted! You should talk to an academic advisor before dropping any course! Call us to make an appointment today!



ACADEMIC SKILLS
TRENT U

FUNDamental FRIDAYS Writing Skills Drop-in

Join Lori Steers, Academic Skills/ESL Instructor to review fundamental writing skills and work on your assignments.

FALL 2022
Fridays 1 - 3 pm
Morton Reading Room (CCS 303)

Review fundamental writing skills and work on your assignments with Lori Steers, Academic Skills/ESL Instructor. To find the schedule and sign up, visit the Academic Skills website [here](https://trentu.ca/academicskills/)



Student Supports

We want you to know you are supported on-campus and in the Peterborough community. Every week we will rotate through groups who can support your unique self.



This week we're focusing on **Careerspace's Virtual Career + Experience Expo**

Find the right job for you and your career aspirations. Trent will be hosting 70+ employers who want to bring their part-time, full-time and summer employment opportunities to students on March 9, 2023 from 11am-2pm.

Register [here](#) and keep an eye out for "Career Expo Prep" workshops that will help you build your resume, prepare for an online expo, and hone your networking skills.

Hello!



PEER SUPPORT

AT TRENT UNIVERSITY

Check out the Student Experience Portal at ccr.trentu.ca to book a session.

Monday to Thursday 12-3pm.

Fun Fridays from 12-2pm.

@peersupporttrent on IG or FB

Looking for another student's perspective? Book a peer support appointment Monday to Thursday 12pm-4pm through the **Student Experience Portal!**

Here to listen and support. Let's connect.



CAREERSPACE

CAREERS & EXPERIENCES

Careerspace continues to offer our services! Book an appointment on trentu.ca/sep or by phone and our student staff can assist. Appointments continue through the built-in video chat feature in the Student Experience Portal, or by [phone](#). Still have questions? You are welcome to visit our office on the third floor of the Student Centre where you can speak with our student staff. We're happy to help!

Wellness Resources

We hope you are having a restful and rejuvenating reading week!

This week's wellness resource is "take 15 minutes just for you".

As classes resume it's important to still practice self care and to take little breaks to keep you motivated to finish the school year strong.



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"To leave the world better than you found it, sometimes you have to pick up other people's trash."
— Bill Nye