

## **Ministers' Statements for September 15, 2021**

**Minister David Joanasié**

**Nunavut Arctic College**

### **Bachelor of Social Work Program**

Mr. Speaker, I would like to take this time to recognize the hardworking Nunavut Arctic College (NAC) community in Cambridge Bay for their efforts in the delivery of NAC's first ever Bachelor of Social Work Program.

This program, developed and delivered in partnership with Memorial University, is drawing on graduates of the College's Social Service Worker diploma program to ladder into the third year of Memorial University's Bachelor of Social Work program.

This program is an articulated degree program. This means eligible Social Service Worker Diploma courses have received credit from Memorial, and the courses taught at Memorial University will be delivered in Nunavut. This program has been enriched through the inclusion of the Nunavut and Inuit context. I can assure Members that in working together, NAC and MUN have succeeded in bringing the best of both institutions to Nunavummiut through this program.

Through a diverse range of classes and practicums, students of this program will expand their understanding of the Social Work field. This is truly a dynamic program.

Thinking to the future, in addition to creating a pool of candidates to fill social worker positions in the territory, NAC hopes that graduates from the BSW will share their expertise with different sectors across Nunavut. The College also hopes some graduates are inspired to enrol in the Master's in Social Work program offered online by MUN and consider coming back to the college to teach. As all members can appreciate, there will be so many options for graduates of this program.

I believe the Bachelor of Social Work program, the partnership with Memorial University, and the work of the college team in Cambridge Bay supports the Turaaqtavut mandate, specifically the priority area of Sivummuqaqpalliajjutivut in supporting a robust educational system that will assist Nunavummiut in developing knowledge and skills that we need in Nunavut.

I invite all members to join me in recognizing the students and staff of Nunavut's first ever Bachelor of Social Work program.

Qujannamiik

**Minista David Joanasie**

**Nunavunmi Ilihaqpaalivik**

**Naunaitkutaa Inulirijikkut Havaakhamun Pinahuaruti**

Ilitarijumajatka havakpiaqpaktun Nunavunmi Ilihariaqpaalivingmi (NAC) havaktin Iqaluktuuttiami havagutimingni tuniunikkut Nunavunmi Ilihariaqpaaliviup (NAC) hivulliqaangujumi uuminnga Naunaitkutaa Inulirijikkut Havaakhamun Pinhuarutimik.

Una pinahuaruti, piliuqtaujuq tunihimajuqlu paannariplugin Memorial University (Iliharvigjuaq), naahurijain iniqhimaliqtun uumani Iliharvijuami Inulirijikkut Havaktimi titiraqalirnikkut pinahuarutimi qulvahiktirnikkut uumunga pinghuanun ukiunganun uvani Memorial Universitymi uumani Naunaitkutaa Inulirijikkut Havaakhamun pinahuarutimun.

Una pinahuaruti naammagijauniaqtun iliharutit nuutiraangat aallamun iliharvingmun pinahuaruti. Una tukilik pijaaqtun Inulirijikkut Havaktikhami Titiraqarniq iliharutikhat pihimajun inirhimajun Memorial-min, ukuallu iliharutit ilihagtitaunjun Memorial University-mi ilihagtitauniaqtun Nunavunmi. Una pinahuaruti pimmarighijuummiqtuq talvuuna ilaupkainingani Nunavunmin Inuinnarnillu ilaurudjutainni. Ilihimatkujatka Katimajit taimaatun havaqatigiikhuni, NAC unalu MUN nakuujumik inirhijun tuniutinirmi nakuutqijaujunik tamarmingnik iliharviingnik Nunavunmiunnun uvuuna pinahuarutimi.

Talvuuna aallakkiini iliharutikhani ajuirharutikhanilu, ilihagtun uumani pinahuarutimi angikliharniaqtait kangiqhihimanirmingnik uvani Inulirijikkut havaakhani. Una piuqpiaqtuq hivumuuraanginnaqtumik pinahuaruti.

Ihumagiplugu hivunikhaq, ilaujuq piliurnikkut amigaittunik havaktukhanik inulirijikkut havaakhani nunaptikni, NAC niriuktuq iliharnirmin-inirhimajun uumanga BSW-min tuniutiniaqtait ajuiqhimajamingnik ukununani aallakkiiktuni havagviinni tamaani Nunavunmi. Ilihariaqpaalivik niriuktuqlu ilangin iliharnirmin-inirhimajun pijumaliqtun ilihaffaalirlutik uvani Master'smi Inulirijikkut pinahuarutimi manimajuq qaritaujakkuurutikkut MUNkunnin ihumalutiklu qaiffaalurik ilihariaqpaalivingmun ilihailutik. Tamaita katimajit ilihimajun, piqarniaqtuq amigaittunik qanuriliurutikhanik iliharnirmin-inirhimajunun uumanga pinahuarutimin.

Uppirijara una Naunaitkutaa Inulirijikkut Havaakhamun pinhuaruti, paannaqatigiingniit Memorial Universitymi, havagutainninlu ilihariaqpaalivingmi lqaluktuuttiami ikajuqtaa una Turaaqtavut havagutikhaq, taapkualluallu hivulliuujumanikkut uumani Sivummuaqpalliajjutivut ikajurnikkut aullariktumi iliharutini ikajurumajait Nunavunmiutat pivallialiurnikkut qangiqlihimanirnik ajuirhimanirniklu ihariagijaptiknik Nunavunmi.

Ilauqaitiqujatka tamaita katimajit ilitarinikkut ilihagtunik havaktiinniklu Nunavunmi hivulliqpaangujumi uumani Naunaitkutaa Inulirijikkut Havaakhamun pinhuarutimi.

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**Le ministre David Joanasié**

**Collège de l'Arctique du Nunavut**

**Programme de baccalauréat en travail social**

J'aimerais profiter de cette occasion pour souligner l'excellent travail réalisé par le personnel du Collège de l'Arctique du Nunavut de Cambridge Bay pour offrir le tout premier programme de baccalauréat en travail social du Collège.

Ce programme, élaboré et offert en partenariat avec l'Université Memorial, permet aux étudiants du programme de diplôme en travail social du Collège d'entrer directement en troisième année du programme de baccalauréat en travail social de l'Université Memorial.

C'est un programme articulé menant à un grade. Cela signifie que les cours admissibles du programme de diplôme en travail social ont reçu des crédits de l'Université Memorial, et que les cours enseignés à l'Université Memorial seront également offerts au Nunavut. Le programme a été enrichi de manière à tenir



