



**SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
FACULTY MEETING  
DECEMBER 2, 2014**

- BSc and BA Major in Mathematics
    - Stage 1 approved by Faculty Council and Provost Council; next Program Planning & Priorities
  - Cyclical program reviews for Mathematics & Chemistry this year; self-assessment since they offer only Minors
  - Fisheries and Aquaculture – concept for Major & Minor reviewed by Faculty Council; Dave Witty will make a report to Senate in the new year with the expectation of guidance or direction from Senate as to redevelopment
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- Forestry – 1<sup>st</sup> Year transitioned to iPad technology
  - *Earth Science Major*
  - *Helen Gurney-Smith selected as VIU nominee for a Canada Research Chair (Shellfish & Genomics)*
  - VIUFA Assisted Leave
    - Stefanie Duff (January 2015)
    - Rosemarie Ganassin (2015/2016 academic year)  
*Seeking Immortality: Development of Fish Cell Lines*
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- *Canada Foundation for Innovation Grant*
    - *Erik Krogh and Chris Gill - \$1 million for “Real-time mobile mass spectrometry laboratory”*
  - Continued investments to enhance capabilities at Deep Bay, the Centre for Shellfish Research and the International Centre for Sturgeon Studies
  - External Opportunities
    - VIEA
    - Fisheries & Oceans
    - Tula Foundation and Pacific Salmon Foundation
    - BC Salmon Farmers Association
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- Health & Science Building
  - VIUFA Assisted Leave
  - Budget – <https://www2.viu.ca/budget/>  
<https://www2.viu.ca/financialplanning/financialstatements.asp>
  - Strategic Resource and Capital requests
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