Take part in the festivities with upcoming events, conferences, exhibitions and much more.

UPCOMING EVENTS


May 3 & 4, 2022

Join some of McGill’s astronauts and the world’s top academic researchers, business pioneers, and government leaders in space and aerospace for two days of cross-industry exchange in Montreal. Register now!

McGill Libraries Exhibitions

Physical & digital exhibits

Objects, photographs, and ephemera offer fragments and glimpses of life in another time. These items also tell us about the way that institutions create and maintain their own memories. Learn more about McGilliana: 200 Years of Student Life. In addition, listen to the ROAAr Podcast, Voices from the Footnotes, to explore some of the hidden histories at the McGill University Library and Archives.

FACULTY FOCUS
Schulich School of Music
“A musical history worthy of being told”

In 1899, Chancellor Lord Strathcona brought celebrated Hungarian pianist Clara Lichtenstein to McGill, which laid the cornerstone for what is today the Schulich School of Music. Lichtenstein’s vision and dedication helped overcome a prevailing attitude at McGill that music was not “an intellectual pursuit worthy of academic credit”.

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Faculty of Science
The mystery of McGill’s Botanical Gardens

In 1890, there is evidence that McGill University leased nine acres on Cote des Neiges just south of The Boulevard in Westmount. There were several conservatories, including a camellia house, a greenhouse, and an Australian house. Plants from around the world were housed in the greenhouses.

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UNSUNG HEROES

Recognizing those who have shaped McGill behind the scenes.

Tina Venetis
Research and Innovation
1993 – Present

Gina Ceolin
Desautels Faculty of Management
2009 - Present

Sue Laver
School of Continuing Studies
2007 – Present
A McGill Moment in History

1904

The McGill French Summer School

In 1904, Professor Hermann Walter of the Department of Modern Languages launched the residential French Summer School, an intensive immersion program that introduced Anglophone students to Quebec’s culture and language. Through guest lectures, trips to theatres, churches and concerts, Anglophone students delved into Francophone culture.

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