

MASTER OF MANAGEMENT & PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING PROGRAM

## AWARDS AND CELEBRANTS' NIGHT

Wednesday, March 5th, 2003

6:30 PM

Four Seasons Hotel (Regency West Ballroom) Avenue Road, North of Bloor Street



### **Opening Remarks**

# Alan White Professor of Investment Strategy Chair of the Executive Committee of Faculty Council Rotman School of Management

Presentation of Awards

### Leonard J. Brooks

Professor of Business Ethics & Accounting Director, Master of Management & Professional Accounting Director, Diploma in Investigative & Forensic Accounting Executive Director, The Clarkson Centre for Business Ethics

Irene Wiecek
Associate Director, Master of Management & Professional
Accounting

Reception to follow

### 2002-2003 STUDENT AWARDS RECIPIENTS

### **DEAN'S LIST**

The Dean's List recognizes MMPA students who were ranked in the top 10% of their class. Recipients achieved a 3.65 GPA or higher. Distinction\* is accorded students receiving a GPA of 3.85 or higher.

### Graduands

Cara Allaway Ali Charyk Shawn Shanmuganathan Donald Stoyle Amy Tse\* Adam Zaley

### **First Year Courses**

Matthew Boucher Jeffrey Ku Agnes McKenzie James Spearing

#### **DIRECTOR'S LIST**

The Director's List recognizes students who have completed the first year of the Program that have achieved a cumulative GPA of 3.65 or higher and are in the top 10% of their class.

Shira Babins Zhimei (Mary) Chen Meghan Davis Christopher Killi Paul Spitzen Theresa Yim

### THE W. BARRY COUTTS MEMORIAL PRIZE

Awarded to the graduating student with the highest academic achievement.

Amy Tse

### THE GORDON CRESSY STUDENT LEADERSHIP AWARD

Recognizes graduating students for their outstanding contributions to the University through extra-curricular involvement and their strong academic standing.

James Spearing

### ANDREW ALEXANDER KINGHORN FELLOWSHIP

Presented to the students who have demonstrated academic excellence in the first and second years of the Program.

Matthew Boucher Jeffrey Ku Agnes McKenzie James Spearing

### **DELOITTE & TOUCHE ACCOUNTING AWARD**

Presented to the second year Deloitte & Touche student who achieved the highest grade point average in the first year of the Program.

Matthew Boucher

### **ERNST & YOUNG ACCOUNTING AWARD**

Recognizes the Ernst & Young student who achieved the highest grade point average in the first year of the Program.

Andre Greenwood

### **KPMG** ACCOUNTING AWARD

Presented to an outstanding KPMG student who has demonstrated leadership, as well as academic excellence based on the student's cumulative GPA.

Paul Spitzen

### KROLL LINDQUIST AVEY ETHICS AND LEADERSHIP AWARD

Presented to a first year student who has demonstrated leadership and outstanding performance in the Business Ethics course.

Gavin McIntosh

#### PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS ACCOUNTING AWARD

Presented to an outstanding first year PricewaterhouseCoopers student who has exhibited academic excellence, based on the student's cumulative GPA, and leadership.

Christopher Killi

### PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS MMPA ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to an outstanding first year student who has exhibited academic excellence and extra-curricular involvement. Students must write an essay to be considered for this award.

Sydney Richardson

### RICHTER USHER VINEBERG ACCOUNTING AWARD

Presented to a Richter Usher Vineberg student who has exhibited academic excellence, based on the student's cumulative GPA, and extra-curricular involvement.

Brian Creech

# RICHTER USHER VINEBERG LEADERSHIP AWARD IN HONOUR OF PHILLIP RUDSON

Presented to an MMPA student who has best demonstrated leadership behaviour, skill and competencies that have had a positive impact on an individual or group. Students must write an essay to be considered for this award.

Chang (Jennifer) Liu

#### CMA CANADA STUDENT OF MERIT AWARD

Presented to a graduating student who has demonstrated academic excellence in the MMPA and CMA Programs.

Shumin (Sophie) Yang

### MMPA ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIP

Presented to students who demonstrate academic excellence, leadership and a commitment to extracurricular activities upon entering the Program. This year three scholarships have been awarded.

Meghan Davis Qi (Cecily) Huang Fang (Vanessa) Jiang

### 2002-2003 MMPA COMPETITION AWARD RECIPIENTS

### **KPMG TAX RESEARCH AWARD**

Presented to the student group that displayed excellence in tax research in the second taxation course of the Program.

Matthew Boucher Sheri Erlick Hannes Portmann James Spearing Jeremy Stepak

### CIBC WORLD MARKETS CASE COMPETITION AWARD

Presented to the student group which placed first in the Annual CIBC World Markets Case Competition. This case involves an oral presentation and integrates financial reporting and finance.

Brian Creech Chang (Jennifer) Liu Jose Jimenez Yanni (Laura) Xi Yi Li Hong (Rose) Zhu

### MMPA AUDIT FILE CONTEST

Presented to the student group which placed first in an oral presentation of an audit planning memorandum to a panel of external judges including partners and managers of CA firms.

George Bagovich Ling Fang Wanxia (Sherry) He Christopher Killi Yi Li Chang (Jennifer) Liu

# MMPA INTEGRATIVE CASE COMPETITION IN STRATEGY, FINANCE AND FINANCIAL REPORTING

Presented to the student group which placed first in the annual Strategy, Finance and Financial Reporting Case Competition.

This is a two part competition involving two separate oral presentations in which students perform an industry analysis, quality of earnings analysis and value a company.

Yan Dai Jeffrey Ku Li Li Agnes McKenzie Olga Miklas

### **UFE CELEBRANTS**

The MMPA Program congratulates the following graduates of our MMPA Class 2002 who passed the Uniform Final Examination for Chartered Accountants in 2002.

Onaiza Ahmed Dalia Marzook Cara Allaway Naureen Merchant Ali Charyk Heather Rutledge

Helen Cheung Shawn Shanmuganathan

Michael Gottlieb Amy Tse Ying-Wai Lee Adam Zalev\*

Candy Leung

A significant number of our Alumni also successfully completed the examination.

Ayeza Ahmed Amrit Samtani Ronald Chiu Paul Sanghera Nomita Dan Jason Shields Shehryar Hussain Jonathan Sylvestre

Grace Lee Sylvia Turk
Mark Levine James Wong
Kenneth Lo Ling (Cindy) Xu

<sup>\*</sup>Placed 12th in Ontario on the Chartered Accountancy examinations.

### PROFESSIONAL EXAMINATION CELEBRANTS

The MMPA Program congratulates the following graduates who passed the qualifying professional examinations for the CMA, CPA and CFA designations in 2002.

### **CMA**

Qiang Cui Caren Feng Brian Xia Shumin (Sophie) Yang Victor Zhou

### **CPA**

Ligang Bai Liping Rui
Kelvin Chi Susan Song
Yimin (Amy) Liu Min Tang
Graham Moylan \* Jing (Jennifer) Zhao
Belinda Pan Victor Zhou

### **CFA**

Qiang Cui Yulia Hidajat Xiaoyun (Tracy) Tian Jiansu (Jacqueline) Wang Shuman (Sophie) Yang

<sup>\*</sup>top 10 in Colorado

# FOURTH ANNUAL ELECTRONIC COMMERCE CASE COMPETITION FOR GRADUATE BUSINESS STUDENTS

### Special Mention - First Place

The MMPA Program is especially proud of our team's first place standing in the Fourth Annual Electronic Commerce Case Competition for Graduate Business Students, hosted by the University of New Brunswick. This year the case required competitions to assist the National Research Council of Canada in formulating an action plan and research agenda to develop an Electronic Health and Welfare cluster within the province of New Brunswick. Students competed against other MBA students from universities across Canada.

Team Members: Jeffrey Ku

Karl Michael

Hannes Portmann Radhika Ruparell Adam Zalev

### JOSEPH L. ROTMAN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

The Rotman School of Management at the University of Toronto provides management education programs aimed at creating the next wave of Canada's business leaders. In addition to the Master of Management & Professional Accounting Program, the Rotman School offers a variety of Programs including: Full-time MBA, Part-time MBA, Executive MBA, Global Executive MBA, Doctoral, Executive Development, Bachelor of Commerce (with Arts & Science) and Diploma for Investigative and Forensic Accounting. The following Combined Degree Programs are also offered LLB/MBA, Master of Nursing/MBA, Master of Russian and East European Studies/MBA, and the Jeffrey Skoll BASC (Engineering)/MBA.

The School is housed in two modern facilities that feature state of the art technology for teaching and learning and are located in and near the heart of Canada's financial community. Our proximity to the business community and our student's ability to access other parts of Canada's leading university enriches the learning experience of our students. Each year we attract an elite group of outstanding men and women from Canada and around the world

who represent some of this generation's most promising knowledge assets.

The Rotman School also supports a series of research centres to promote the discovery of new knowledge, turning the country's best minds to the issues and problems facing managers and businesses today. Students benefit from the efforts and initiatives of the following centres of excellence: Bonham Centre for Finance, Canadian Centre for Marketing, Clarkson Centre for Business Ethics and Board Effectiveness, Capital Markets Institute, and Institute for International Business.

The Rotman School would like to thank the MMPA Award sponsors for their generosity. Their contributions make a significant difference to the MMPA Students and their development.