

Dr. Stephanie Bangarth



Dr. Stephanie Bangarth is an Associate Professor in the Department of History teaching Canadian History and comparative Canadian-American History. Her research and teaching interests

are very closely linked. She is a social and political historian specializing in Canadian and American human rights advocacy, the North American immigrant experience, and the impact of social movements on Canadian history. Her courses include Canadian Social History, Power to the Peoples: Rights in North America, Canadian-American Relations and Canadian Foreign Policy. As well, Dr. Bangarth is an active researcher and publisher, and she also supervises graduate students via the Collaborative Graduate Program in Migration and Ethnic Relations at Western.

Through understanding how Canadians historically confronted inequality, injustice or various other challenges, she brings insight as to how we can become active participants in our society today. By looking at the history of Canadian politics and foreign policy from a variety of viewpoints, students also come to appreciate the complex relationships we face in today's world. By engaging in the historian's craft of reading, writing, and informed analysis, our history students gain skills that form an important foundation for their future directions.

An alumna of King's herself, Dr. Bangarth is delighted to be part of an institution which believes in educating the whole person, encouraging faculty-student interaction and recognizing that Liberal Arts is the study of all of us, past and present.



For more information

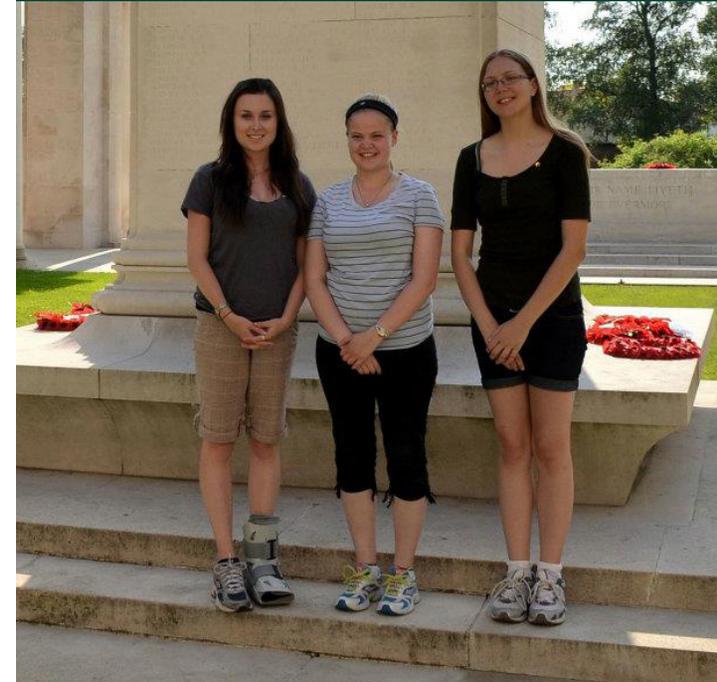
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- 20th Century Totalitarianism
- Canadian, American, and European History
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- Conspiracy Theories
- War and Society
- Slavery
- Philosophy of History and Historical Methodology
- History Field Placements and Internships



Degree programs:

- Honors Specialization in History
- Honors Double Major
- Four Year Major in History
- Three Year Major in History
- Minor in History when combined with another module

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**Darryl King, King's History BA '97,
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"One can learn from the past only if one understands all of the elements that went into that history. Not repeating the mistakes of history, building success from troubled history and predicting the future history is really what strategic management is all about. If I could do it all over, I would have taken exactly the same path in studying history, as it provided me the foundation for my graduate school work and my career."

**Richard Dixon, King's History BA '78,
Vice President and Human Resources
Officer, NAV Canada**