

Conference 2015 Highlights

Awards

Dr Arthur Jorgensen Chair Award

This award is presented by the Mathematics Council of the Alberta Teachers' Association (MCATA) to encourage students enrolled in education programs in postsecondary institutions throughout Alberta to pursue and commit to mathematics education.

2015 Recipient

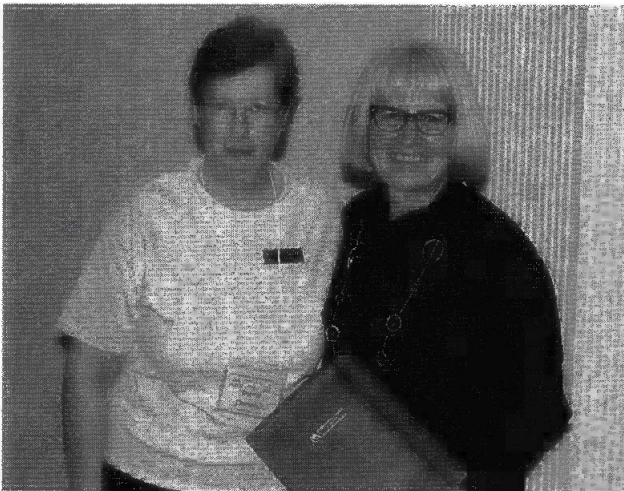
*Matthew McDonald,
presented by John Scammell*



Friends of MCATA Award

This award formally recognizes deserving individuals who have given MCATA faithful and dedicated service in various ways over the years, through the kind and generous sharing of their time, efforts and expertise. MCATA recognizes its debt of gratitude and extends to them our most sincere regards and our warmest thanks.

2015 Recipients

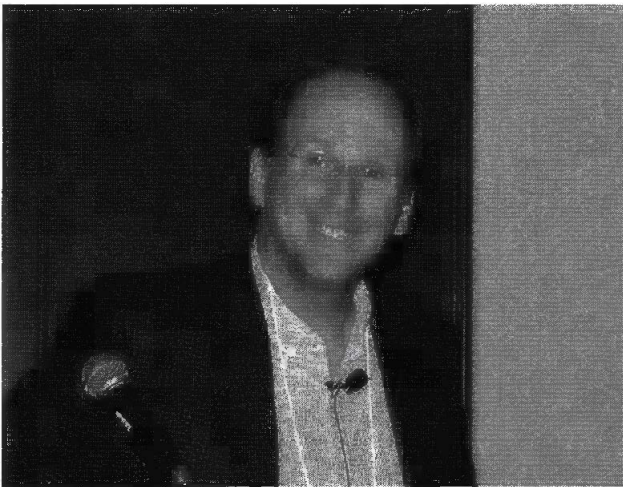


*Val Olekshy,
presented by Donna Chanasyk*



*Gladys Sterenberg,
presented by Tancy Whitehouse*

Keynote Speakers



*Steven Strogatz is an applied mathematician at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York. He has published several best-selling and accessible books on mathematics, including *The Joy of x* and *The Calculus of Friendship*. He wrote a series of popular and fun articles on math in the *New York Times*; check them out at <http://goo.gl/A880oT>.*



*Chris Hadfield is a Canadian astronaut, who may be most famous for singing in space. He has just released the album *Space Sessions: Songs from a Tin Can*. He has published books including *An Astronaut's Guide to Life on Earth* and *You Are Here*.*

