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University of Lethbridge highlights for the week of November 23 to 28

The University of Lethbridge has a number of events lined up this week that may be of interest to your readers, viewers and listeners. Members of the media who are interested in covering these events are encouraged to contact the individual event organizer directly.

Archaeology as Installation — Dr. Lisa Snyder

Tuesday, Nov. 24, 10:50 a.m. to 12:05 p.m., Room L1170a, U of L Library

Snyder, an architectural historian and research scholar with UCLA, will discuss the landmark installation for the Davidson Center in Jerusalem that gives visitors the opportunity to take a virtual tour with an archaeologist guide in an interactive classroom before exploring adjacent excavations. Visitors are then better able to understand both the excavations and the archaeological process.

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AGILITY Innovation Series — Innovation in Agriculture

Tuesday, Nov. 24, noon to 1 p.m., Students' Union Ballroom A

Chris and Harold Perry, brothers and local agriculture entrepreneurs, call themselves 'spud farmers' but they are also progressive leaders when it comes to integrating environmental stewardship and innovative technology into agriculture. The Perry brothers will be sharing their experiences and insights on decreasing dependence on non-renewable resources in the agriculture sector.

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Music at Noon — Janet Youngdahl, soprano, and Vivian Montgomery, fortepiano

Tuesday, Nov. 24, 12:15 to 1 p.m., W570, Recital Hall

In their presentation of Pin Cushion Wit in the Drawing Room, Youngdahl and Montgomery bring their skills as researchers and performers together to explore songs of social satire by 19th century women composers. Satirical songs were often an avenue for expressing dissatisfaction with gender issues at the time.

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Carrie: The Musical

**Tuesday, Nov. 24 to Saturday, Nov. 28, nightly from 7:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. and 1 p.m.
Saturday**

Jay Whitehead is the director and choreographer for this production based on the novel by Stephen King. Audiences can expect a spectacle that, underneath the horror, shows a human story of relationship, coming of age and the consequences of poor decisions.

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**Women Scholars Speakers Series — Internationalized Oppression in First Nations
Wednesday, Nov. 25, noon to 1 p.m., AH100, Andy's Place**

Dr. Martha Many Grey Horses, who joined the U of L this past summer as the FNMI director, will talk about the devastating impact of the residential school experience.

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**The Blackfoot digital dictionary project — Dr. Inge Genee
Wednesday, Nov. 25, 3 to 4 p.m., E690, University Hall**

Genee will talk about the U of L's work toward creating a digital dictionary of Blackfoot for speakers, learners and teachers.

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**PUBLIC Professor — Sitting, Standing and Stepping: The Health Implications of Our
Daily Behaviour**

Thursday, Nov. 26, 7 to 9 p.m., City Hall

Dr. Jennifer Copeland, a kinesiology professor and researcher, will talk about the continuum of human movement and examine the current research about how daily movement practices impact health.

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Crossing Boundaries Speaker Series — Daniel MacIvor

Thursday, Nov. 26, 7 p.m., PB210, Dr. Foster James Penny Building, 324 5 St. S.

MacIvor, the author of numerous award-winning theatre productions, will deliver a presentation called Practical Playwriting. His works have been translated into many other languages and he received the Governor General's Literary Award for Drama for his collection of plays titled I Still Love You.

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Prentice Brown Bag Event — Inequalities and Social Exclusion

Friday, Nov. 27, noon to 1:30 p.m., L1102, Prentice Boardroom, Library

A trio of presenters, including Dr. Alexander Darku, economics professor, Peter Kellet, PhD student and nursing instructor, and Dr. Rossitsa Yalamova, professor of finance, will talk about the serious social, economic and health consequences of extreme inequality.

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