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**Career Panel Bios**  
**Thursday, February 28, 2013**

**Janet MEREDITH'74**

Janet Meredith lives in Denver, Colorado where she moved 15 years ago after living in Vancouver and Toronto.

Ms Meredith's career has been in for-profit and non-profit, in Canada and the US, either in marketing or in management. While in marketing she worked in a range of industries: packaged goods, wine, culture and health. About 17 years were spent working in art galleries and museums.

Ms Meredith is now the executive director of a health non-profit in Aurora, Colorado, which she does half time. The other half of her time is spent on grant funded work, primarily an oral history project interviewing museum directors about the art museum field. This research will live at the Smithsonian's Archives of American Art.

Ms Meredith has two teenaged sons, one at university in Chicago and one in Grade 11 at the Denver School of the Arts.

**Heather CARTWRIGHT'88**

Heather Cartwright is a consultant, specializing in athletic recruiting. She designed the recruiting and marketing for Row to Podium, Canada's official rowing talent identification and development program for future Olympians and Paralympians. She also provides guidance to high school students competing to secure athletic scholarships and admissions to top US colleges and Canadian universities.

Ms Cartwright is a National Coaching Certification Program Level 4 Rowing Coach and a graduate of the National Coaching Institute of Ontario. She spent eight years in the United States, coaching at Princeton, Boston University and Harvard. At Harvard, she was the Head Coach of the Lightweight Women's Rowing Team, but had to resign in 2011, due to health issues related to her heart condition.

Prior to professional coaching, Ms Cartwright spent 10 years in technology production, sales and marketing in Toronto, most notably at Indigo Books, Telus Mobility and LegalOutfitters, a legal service company she co-founded and sold in 2003.

Ms Cartwright is a graduate Western University with a degree in English and Women's Studies and the Vancouver Film School. She volunteers on the Alumnae Executive at Branksome and is Co-Deputy Chair of Athletics on the Executive Committee for Western University's \$750 million dollar capital campaign.

**Amy INGRAM Colborne'96**

Ms Colborne studied engineering at McMaster University with a primary concentration in Mechanical Manufacturing Engineering. She is a licensed engineer using her expertise in the automotive and banking industry.

Ms Colborne has learned to balance family and career with two young children and is currently working for the Bank of Montreal deploying a bank-wide digitization strategy.

**Houston MAUSNER'04**

Houston Mausner graduated from Branksome in 2004 and was the Community Service Prefect. She went on to study marketing at Dalhousie University in Halifax, where she volunteered her time with the Make a Wish Foundation and the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

Upon her return to Toronto she worked as Private and Corporate Event Manager for Uniq Lifestyle where she oversaw event bookings for six restaurants and nightlife destinations in the downtown core.

Just over a year ago, Ms Mausner took over the family business, a 75-seat restaurant called Dr. Generosity in Bloor West Village.

### **Linda SCHABEREITER Stephenson'83**

Linda Stephenson is someone who knows the secret to beautiful skin is really quite simple.

At university, Ms Stephenson studied Chemistry and Biology, with a minor in Botany, and this resulted in a passion for beauty. She worked at various companies in the health care and beauty industries and began overseeing product development for world-class cosmetic brands.

With a growing family and new-found priorities, Ms Stephenson left corporate life to launch her own consultancy. She went on to create an effortless line of multi-purpose products, and Mereadesso (her company name) was born.

Today, the expanded line is praised by beauty bloggers, journalists, makeup artists and clients of every age and skin type.