## TRADES & TECHNOLOGY Awards Ceremony





As Dean of the School of Trades and Technology, it is my pleasure to congratulate this year's Trades and Technology Awards recipients on their accomplishments, and to express our sincere gratitude and thanks to our generous donors who help to make these awards a reality. Each year, the School of Trades and Technology serves more than 3,000 students, who come to Camosun with their own goals, their own experiences, and their own dreams, and it has been a joy to witness the life-changing learning, which occurs on a daily basis.

Unfortunately circumstances this year dictate that we cannot gather physically to celebrate you and the student recipients at an awards ceremony. In hopes to brighten your day we have enclosed some information and a thank you from the student who won your award. We know it isn't the same as meeting in person, but do hope it it gives you some connection and conveys our heartfelt appreciation. hank you again for your support, Fric

**Eric Sehn** Dean, School of Trades and Technology

For a full listing of awards and winners please visit: http://camosun.ca/2020-trades-tech-awards

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## **Columbia Industrial Supplies Award** Donated by Columbia Industrial Supplies Awarded to a student who displays an interest in wood finishing, and

completes a wood finishing project using a variety of techniques to a high standard.

## About Lee

Lee has a natural talent for design, and spent his time in the Fine Furniture Program refining his own unique style. Lee came to the program with a background in industrial finishing; right from the beginning he focused on incorporating the finishing component of his projects as a major design element. Lee was so enthusiastic he would stop by our sponsor, Columbia Industrial Supplies, to pick up new products he wanted to try! Lee spent may hours in the finishing room selflessly helping other students with their projects, too- he was always willing to help others by sharing his technical knowledge and skills.



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Dear Columbia Industrial Supplies,

I Just wanted to thank you for voting me best finishing for the fine furniture program 2020. I have been taking full advantage of the shop and supplies you have provided quite a lot over the last 8 months.

Also, I have been encouraging other students to get in the booth and get behind the gun. with mixed results haha.

Our year ended so abruptly due to Covid-19, however, I was fortunate enough to have a friend over at Columbia in Trevor to help me find work.

I am now finishing over at Douglas Grant Cabinetmakers and really enjoying it most days. Finishing is a pain at times. but with the skills I learned, and thanks to your donations, I feel like it can be a career for me.

Thanks, I will be by the store soon!

Lee Barron

