

Banham recognized for her work

Given Certified General Accountants Association of Canada fellowship (FCGA) designation

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Kelowna's Heather Banham has been honoured with a fellowship by the Certified General Accountants Association of Canada. The fellowship (FCGA) designation is awarded to certified

general accountants in recognition of exemplary service to the association, the profession or the community.

Banham holds a doctorate in business administration from the University of Southern Queensland in Australia and a master of business administration in international management from the Asia Pacific International Graduate School of Management.

She is the dean of the Okanagan School of Business at the Okanagan College at the KLO

Campus. As dean, she is responsible for the operation of the School of Business, including budget development, financial management, human resources management, academic integrity of programs, as well as student recruitment, engagement and retention.

Prior to her appointment as dean, Banham served as associate dean, director of a special small business human resources project, chairperson of business administration and accounting professor.

Banham received her CGA des-

ignation in 1992 and is currently the second vice chair of CGA-BC's board of governors. As an active member of the profession, Banham is involved in various committees, including the discipline, education appeals and education advisory committees. On a national level, she is a member of CGA-Canada's National Education Committee. For her efforts in promoting the CGA designation, Banham received the CGA-BC Ambassador of Distinction Award in 2012.



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