

JUNE 2015 – Alumni Spotlight



Allison Roberts achieved her Master of Industrial Relations (MIR) through the Professional part-time program in 2013. Inspired by her experience at Queen's she is now pursuing a second graduate degree in Theology: Spiritual Care and Psychotherapy with the Wilfrid Laurier University Seminary.

Allison has been with the Human Resources department of Wilfrid Laurier University since 1999 and currently holds the position of Director, Employee and Labour Relations, which provides strategic oversight for both faculty and non-academic employee groups. Allison is the university's Chief negotiator for all six unions and has extensive experience with Human Resources and Labour Negotiations.

In addition to her career and busy family life Allison believes in giving back to the community. She currently holds the position of Administrative Vice –President of the YWCA of Kitchener-Waterloo Board of Directors and President of the Association of University Human Resource Professionals (AOUHRP). She and her family provide foster care for Pet Patrol which is a Kitchener based volunteer-run, non-profit cat rescue organization.

A proud Queen's alum, Allison promotes lifelong learning and strives for a holistic lifestyle that values career, family, health and community.