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Commissioner announces OIPC Young Scholars Project

VICTORIA—BC Information and Privacy Commissioner Michael McEvoy announced the launch of the OIPC Young Scholars Project today, on the International Day of Education.

The OIPC Young Scholars Project was developed to showcase the work of exemplary students in access and privacy studies. Professors from BC post-secondary institutions submitted student papers on topics such as right to be forgotten, consent, social media, and data residency. The selected submissions are published on the OIPC website.

“I can’t think of a better time to recognize the work of young scholars in the privacy and access field than on the International Day of Education. This year’s theme, ‘Changing Course, Transforming Education’ succinctly captures the situation in BC, as new amendments to our public sector access and privacy legislation come into force. I am encouraged to see the exceptional work of our youth, the future minds of privacy and access,” said BC Information and Privacy Commissioner Michael McEvoy.

The inaugural set of selected papers are available at <https://www.oipc.bc.ca/news/>

If you are a student or professor interested in participating in future submissions, contact clemiski@oipc.bc.ca

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