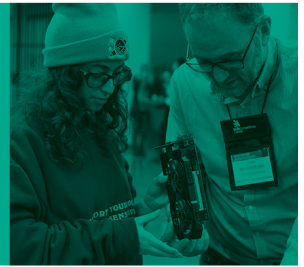


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### Skills/Compétences Canada Alumni Biographies



**Britnee Mishak**  
*National Alumni Committee Member*

Britnee Mishak first learned of the Skills Competitions when she competed in Graphic Design Technology and won a silver medal at the Skills Saskatchewan provincial competition in 2015. She completed her diploma in graphic communications at SIAST (now Saskatchewan Polytechnic) the same year. Since her provincial skills competition, Britnee has been on the Skills for Success Youth Forum as a participant and as a leader. She was honored to be a part of the Canada 150 Alumni event at the Skills Canada National Competition 2017, in Winnipeg. She spent the next seven years being a part of the National Alumni Committee where she worked to establish and promote the Skills Canada Saskatchewan Alumni

Association as the President. Her work life now consists of an administrative position, after having worked in the printer and bindery related aspects of her diploma at the City of Regina for the past eight years.



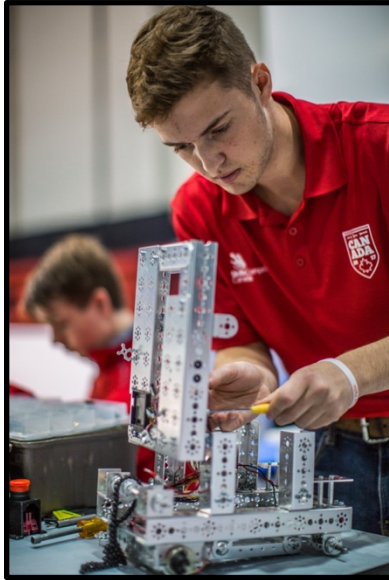
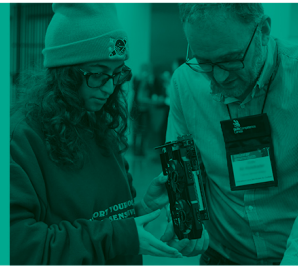
**Clyde Abanid**  
*WorldSkills Team Canada 2024 Competitor*

Clyde chose Graphic Design as a career because he loves how he can create and express himself. His career goal is to work as a Graphic Designer. He first got introduced to Skills Competitions by his instructors at Sask Polytech. The competition experience was amazing as he got to see other people with the same amount of passion, competing against each other. He was ecstatic when he realized that he was going to be competing at the WorldSkills Competition 2024, in Lyon, France! This allowed him to realize the heights he could reach by doing what he loves to do. His biggest challenge was adapting to a different and bigger stage. Although

having to compete against people from all over the world made him anxious, he was very excited to compete. He strongly believes that being able to adapt is what separates a good graphic designer and a great one. Being adaptable and versatile in this trade has definitely helped him.

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### Bo Chiasson

*Skills/Compétences Canada Alumni*

Bo Chiasson lives in Moose Jaw with his wife, Jessica, and works as a journeyman instrumentation technician at Mosaic Belle Plaine. With a passion for technical skills, Bo competed in the WorldSkills Competition 2013, in Leipzig, in Mobile Robotics. In 2017, he returned as a trainer for his brother who was competing in the same trade. Over the years, Bo has stayed actively involved with Skills Canada Saskatchewan and Skills/Compétences Canada, taking on various roles to support and promote skilled trades. His dedication to both his profession and the skills community continues to make an impact.



### Brock Chiasson

*Skills/Compétences Canada Alumni*

Brock competed at the WorldSkills Competition 2017, in Abu Dhabi, in Mobile Robotics. Before going to the WorldSkills Competition, his team placed first at the Skills Canada National Competition (SCNC) in 2015 and in 2016 for Mobile Robotics. He also helped support his older brother in his skills journey in Mobile Robotics. He is now a registered nurse in the emergency department in Moose Jaw. He enjoys working on many hobbies such as ring making, wood working, and soldering! He has also been involved with Skills/Compétences Canada as a judge in Mobile Robotics at SCNC 2019, in Halifax, and he was a team leader with his brother in 2023 and 2024.