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PROGRAM AND YEAR OF GRADUATION:
FULL-TIME MBA 2020

Why did you decide to pursue an MBA at SFU's Beedie School of Business?

When I decided it was time to pursue an MBA, I searched for top programs in Canada whose values aligned with mine, in terms of innovation and community engagement, and offered the best MBA education at an attractive cost. The school is also located in one of the most beautiful cities in the world. What's not to love!

What is it like to study and live in Vancouver, Canada?

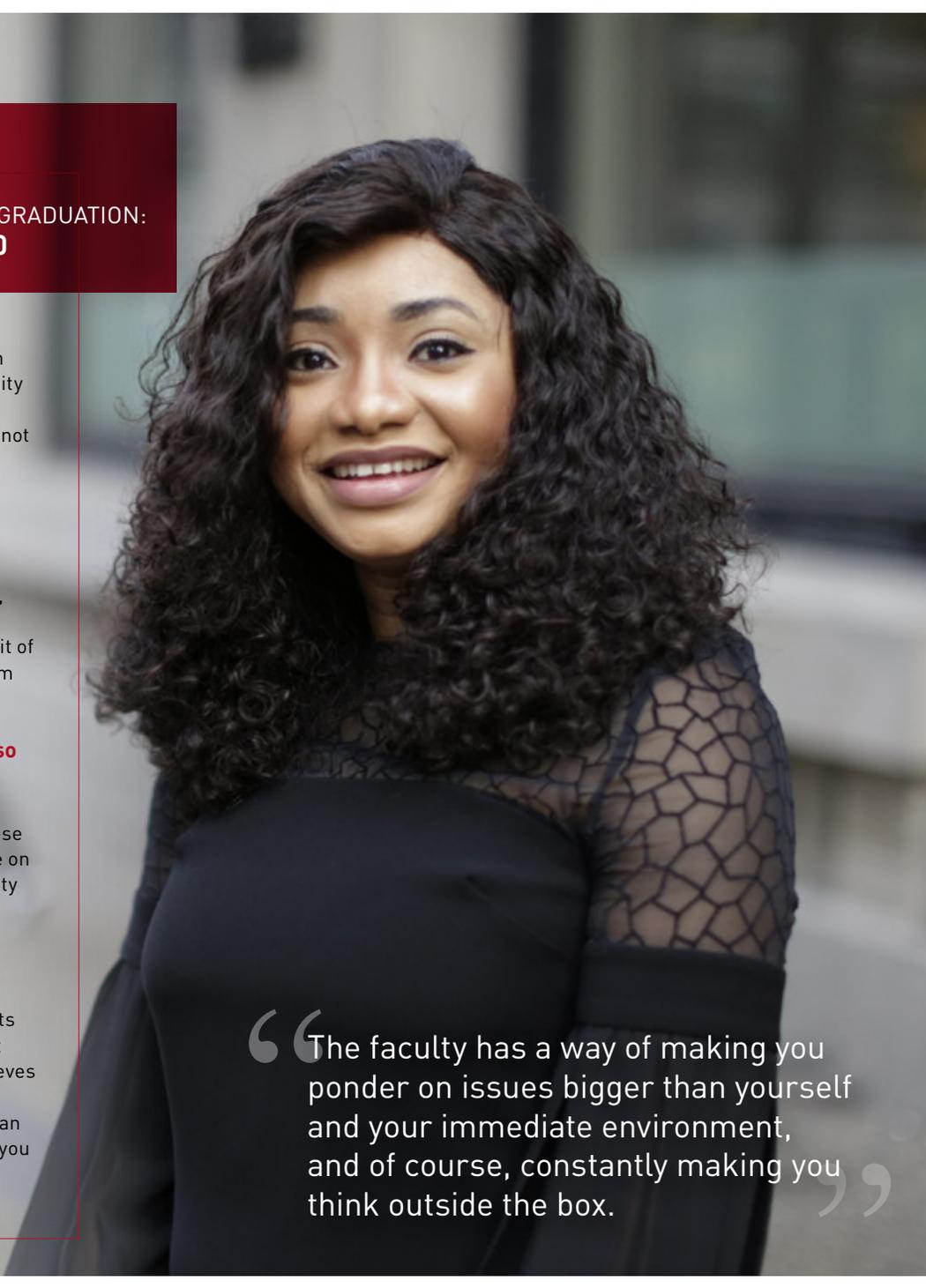
The city of Vancouver is a beautiful place – modern and travel friendly with a unique mix of people and culture. Despite the rain-prone climate, it displays a perpetually sunny disposition. Whether you are looking for sports, arts, entertainment, it's all here. There are several spectacular sights and attractions to keep you occupied in your free time. So far, I am loving every bit of the laid back pace of living in Vancouver and have connected with people from different backgrounds and culture in and outside the classroom.

What has been your favourite moment or experience at SFU Beedie so far? What are you looking forward to?

My favorite moment so far has been sharing the MBA experience with the diverse cohort and learning every day, not just from the faculty, but from these people who bring to the program their wealth of experience and perspective on different subjects. I am looking forward to engaging more with the community and making the best of this experience by getting involved in co-curricular activities that will help me build both character and competence.

How would you describe SFU Beedie's culture?

SFU Beedie's culture is immersive, focusing on making an impact on students both professionally and personally. It is very community-centric in ways that revolve around sustainability and community development. SFU Beedie believes in "walking the talk" when it comes to issues affecting the environment and the community. The faculty has a way of making you ponder issues bigger than yourself and your immediate environment and of course, constantly making you think outside the box.

A portrait of Chichi Ugwuzor, a young woman with long, dark, curly hair, smiling warmly. She is wearing a black, long-sleeved top with a mesh-like pattern on the shoulders. The background is a blurred outdoor setting.

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