

MLUWC Members' Night 2014

Five of our newer members regaled us with stories about their lives and careers.

Suzanne Chaussé is a retired pharmacist who worked for Health Canada and helped to track people who used multiple prescriptions from different doctors.

Megan Evans, a retired teacher, spoke about her life teaching in an elementary school in Arctic Quebec. She knew she had been accepted into the society when the village shared the whale kill with her. During her time in the north Megan witnessed firsthand the increase in alcoholism and domestic violence.

Carolina Soulie worked as a parole officer in correctional services. She was not taken seriously early in her career as she was a petite blonde dealing with serious criminals. However, she soon learned how to make an impact in her job as a parole officer.

Paulette Cargill was also a parole officer with correctional services and once had her life threatened by a man who did not agree with her decision to refuse his parole status.

Rachel Arcelin was born in Africa and obtained a M.Sc. degree in agriculture at McGill University. She became a salesperson for a seed company, but wasn't satisfied with this job, so she went back to school to become a police officer. Rachel was the first black female officer in Montreal. She worked with youth in schools for ten years.

Five most interesting women!