



SCHOOL: Lakeland College

TRADE: Carpentry
TRAINER: David Jones
EXPERT: Paul Bettio

HOMETOWN: St. Paul, AB

What was the first thing that went through your mind when you realized you had made Team Canada?

"I was shocked. Since I was a late addition I had no clue what was going on behind the scenes, so the news was a surprise."

What are you most excited to experience in Shanghai, China?

"I am excited to travel and see new things."

Do you have any words of encouragement for future Skills competitors?

"If you are given the opportunity, go for it. You never know where it could take you."

What do you love most about your trade/technology?

"The best part of carpentry is that you can look back at the end of the day and see the progress you have made. It is rewarding to see the result of your hard work."

What has been the best part of your Skills journey so far?

"The best part of my Skills journey would be the travel opportunities I have been given. I have and will travel to many places that I would not have if it weren't for Skills."