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'Western’s Postdocs Win Union Battle' A note: This headline is misleading, since 'the battle' was really won by the post-doctoral associates (PDAs) only, a 15-20% of Western's postdocs. The reason is that UWO cannot acknowledge the right of post-doctoral fellows (PDFs) to be represented by the union (PSAC). The newly founded School of Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies at Western represents interests of both PDAs and PDFs.

Please read here more on the differences between PDAs and PDFs with regard to their relation to Western.

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