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Countdown to Haskayne... 3 weeks to go!

This weekly email will help to prepare you for success at Haskayne. If you have any questions, please contact the Haskayne Undergraduate Student Advising team at 403-220-6593 or undergraduate@haskayne.ucalgary.ca.

Previous *Countdown to Haskayne* newsletters can be found on our [Haskayne Incoming Students](#) page.



ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Haskayne students are renowned for both their strong leadership skills in the business community as well as their academic achievements. Here are a few good opportunities that might make it worth putting in that extra hour or two of study...

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

Each year, undergraduate students are awarded over \$12 million by the University of Calgary in scholarships, awards and bursaries ranging from \$500 to \$25,000. Our office will also send out award opportunities throughout the year - so make sure to check your [ucalgary.ca](https://go.ucalgary.ca) account often! Here is a breakdown of some of the awards you should know about:

Competitive Awards: As a first year student, you may have applied for the University of Calgary's *High School Awards and Bursaries*. After your first year, you will also be able to apply for **Continuing Student Awards and Bursaries**. Most continuing student awards require that you complete at least 8 courses (24 units) over the Fall and Winter terms at the University of Calgary.

Nominated Awards: There are also many faculty-specific nominated awards that Haskayne students can be awarded based on their academic merit. Award recipients are typically notified in July. These awards also require that you

complete at least 8 courses (24 units) over the Fall and Winter terms at the University of Calgary.

Government Awards: The Government of Alberta offers a number of scholarships for residents of Alberta such as the **Jason Lang Scholarship** and the **Louise McKinney Scholarship** which are available to students after their first year of study, and are based on academic merit.

DEAN'S LIST

Students are placed on the **Dean's List** when they achieve a GPA of 3.70 or higher on five or more courses taken in either the fall or Winter term at the University of Calgary. Not only do students receive a Dean's List notation on their transcripts, they also receive a personalized letter from the Dean of Haskayne as well as an invitation to our annual *Dean's List Reception*.



BGS (BETA GAMMA SIGMA)

BGS is an invitation-only International Honor Society that recognizes the top 10% of Haskayne's BComm graduating class each year. **BGS** has many membership benefits and many of our Dean's List recipients have the goal of being invited.

Stay connected!

Make sure to keep an eye on your email for any upcoming events and important information regarding your registration. You can also join our

[Haskayne School of Business - Class of 2023 Facebook page](#) to connect with other BComm students, ask questions, and stay up-to-date with what is happening in Haskayne. You can also find Haskayne on Twitter, Instagram and LinkedIn, or tag us in your photos using [#myhaskayne](#).

Upcoming Events

Block Week Classes | Monday August 26 – Friday August 30

You only need to attend if you are registered in a *Block Week Course*. As a first year student, this would not apply to you unless you are attending the seminar as part of UNIV 201. If you are unsure, make sure to consult your Student Centre (my.ucalgary.ca).

Parent and Family Orientation | Wednesday August 28

For parents and family members who are wanting to learn how to help facilitate your success as a student. Topics covered will include student and campus life, financial aid, and campus services and resources. More information can be found [here](#).

Fall Move-In | Sunday September 1

You will be assigned a move-in time depending on which floor you are moving too. In addition to staff from Residence Services, the Unicard office and several other campus services are on hand to accept tuition payments and answer questions about meal plans, classes or other student services. More information can be found [here](#).

Fall Orientation | Tuesday September 3 & Wednesday September 4

This is your official welcome to the university, and is jam-packed full of fun events and activities. Information about registering for Fall Orientation will be sent to you in the August edition of the new student newsletter that is sent to all new University of Calgary students. Be sure to check your @ucalgary.ca email address for more details.

First Day of Regular Fall Term Classes | Thursday September 5

Check your official start date and schedule through your Student Centre (my.ucalgary.ca). If you have any questions about your schedule, you can also contact the [New Student Registration Assistance](#) team.

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