

Countdown to Haskayne...

5 weeks to go!

This weekly email will help prepare you for success at Haskayne. If you have any questions, or have received this email in error, please email us at undergraduate@haskayne.ucalgary.ca.

Past *Countdown to Haskayne* emails can be viewed [here](#).



HASKAYNE STUDENT SUPPORT

The Haskayne School of Business offers academic advising services aimed at fostering a culture of success that enables you to realize your full potential. Academic advising services fall into two categories: *Program Advising* and *Success and Well-Being Advising*.

PROGRAM ADVISING

The [Haskayne Undergraduate Programs Office](#) is where you will find dedicated program specialists who can help guide you through the Bachelor of Commerce degree program. Our experienced and dedicated Haskayne program specialists will answer questions about admission, your program requirements, enrolment in classes, graduation, and anything in between. Please visit our [program advising site](#) for contact information and advising hours. We welcome you into our offices and look forward to hearing from you!

SUCCESS & WELL-BEING ADVISING

Everyone can *learn* to be a better learner. Our [Haskayne Academic Development Specialist \(ADS\)](#) is here to help you with any concerns keeping you from academic or personal success. Partnering with our ADS as you navigate campus resources and supports, develop the learning and self-management strategies (time management, note taking, exam preparation, study skills etc.) can make all the difference in having a fulfilling post-secondary experience! [Learn more](#) about how our Haskayne ADS can work with you.

ADDITIONAL SUPPORT

STUDENT SUCCESS CENTRE (SSC)

The [Student Success Centre \(SSC\)](#) provides services and programs to assist you in enhancing your skills and achieving your academic goals. The many services at SSC fall to four unique categories: *Advising*, *Learning*, *Writing*, and *Math*. If you're anxious about your upcoming term learning online, please check out their various online learning tools and guides. We want to highlight the [Writing Support Program](#), which offers one-on-one appointments and other online resources. If you need help improving your writing, from brainstorming to revision, we recommend you connect with the SSC.

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

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

SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

Each year, undergraduate students are awarded over \$12 million by the University of Calgary in scholarships, awards and bursaries ranging from \$500 - \$23,000. After your first year, you will be able to apply for the University of Calgary's [Continuing Student Awards and Bursaries](#) as long as you complete your Fall and Winter terms at the University of Calgary as a full-time student and take at least 8 half-course equivalents (or 24 units). The Government of Alberta also 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.

Our office will also send out award opportunities throughout the year – so make sure to check you ucalgary.ca email account often!

DEAN'S LIST & BGS

Students are placed on the [Dean's List](#) when they achieve a GPA of 3.70 or higher on five or more half 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 permanent academic records, they also receive a personalized letter from the Dean of Haskayne as well as an invitation to our Dean's List reception.

[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 into membership.

IMPORTANT DATES

August 28 – September 5: Residence Fall Move-In Week

September 1 – 2: UCalgary Orientation

September 6: Start of regular term classes