



# Countdown to Haskayne... 4 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 <u>undergraduate@haskayne.ucalgary.ca</u>.

Past Countdown to Haskayne emails can be viewed here.



## **CAREER DEVELOPMENT & CO-OP**

# **HASKAYNE CAREER DEVELOPMENT CENTRE (HCDC)**

Did you know that Haskayne students have access to their own, full-service Haskayne Career Development Centre? We have dedicated BComm - Undergraduate Career Development Specialists who are trained to work specifically with business students and are connected across industries in all concentration areas. They are here to help you succeed when it comes to searching for a job, creating networking opportunities, practicing for interviews, or simply perfecting your resume. Our Haskayne Career Development Centre also plans career-related events throughout the year exclusively for you! Log into Elevate to access:

- Our Haskayne Job Board (with roles specifically for business students)
- Online career resources
- Career Development Centre Events Calendar
- Booking for one-on-one consultations with any of the BComm Career Development Specialists

Want to get started? You can check out our VMock Smart Resume Platform and set up a LinkedIn profile.

#### IMMERSE YOURSELF IN CO-OPERATIVE EDUCATION

Imagine graduating with both a Bachelor of Commerce degree and 8 months of paid work experience! The <a href="Haskayne Co-operative Education Program">Haskayne Co-operative Education Program</a> (Co-op) allows you to gain real-world, paid work experience while you earn your degree. Employers across all sectors globally hire our Co-op students each term. Each year 300-400 students participate in Co-op to gain real-world work experience.

Other benefits of Co-op include:

- Expanding your professional network
- Putting classroom theory into practice
- Building technical skills
- Mentorship from industry professionals
- Receiving full-time wage

You can apply for Co-op when you are in the 2nd year of your BComm program. Admission into the Co-op program is competitive, and we accept applications twice a year during fall and winter. We will send out details regarding application information. In the meantime, check out 'Get ready to apply' for answers to questions you may have about Co-op.

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

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

**September 1 – 2:** UCalgary Fall Orientation **September 6:** Start of regular term classes