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 futurebcomm@haskayne.ucalgary.ca.
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 virtual advising hours. We welcome you into our virtual 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) can help you navigate university life, while developing the learning and self-management strategies crucial for having a successful and fulfilling post-secondary experience. Our Haskayne ADS can help you: Analyze your academic tasks to determine the skills and resources required to complete them; formulate strategies for completing academic tasks (such as time management, reading and note taking, exam preparation, study skills etc.); and connect with other support services and programs on campus. Learn more about how our Haskayne ADS can support 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.

E-LEARNING RESOURCES
We know online learning isn’t something you thought you would be tackling this fall. If online learning is new for, as we suspect it is for most of you, we encourage you to check out the online workshops and resources offered by the Student Success Centre (SSC) to support your online learning. Topics include:

- Getting started with online learning
- Strategies for learning online
- Staying motivated
- Completing online assessments

STUDENT ACCESSIBILITY SERVICES (SAS)
The mission of Student Accessibility Services (SAS) is to work collaboratively and innovatively with the campus community to create an accessible, equitable and supportive learning environment that enhances each student’s academic and personal development.

The SAS office is open to those Current students (those students who are currently enrolled at the University of Calgary and registered with our service), at either the Undergraduate or Graduate level. Program registration and other details can be found here.
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 your ucalgary.ca 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.
**STAY CONNECTED**

**HASKAYNE FIRST YEAR MENTORSHIP PROGRAM (FYM) – DEADLINE EXTENDED**
The FYM program helps first-year Haskayne students make a successful and easy transition into their university career by pairing them with a senior Haskayne student. Spots are limited, and matches are based on a first-come-first-served basis. If you are interested, please complete the sign-up form by Friday July 31st Friday August 7 at 11:59 PM (MST).

**HASKAYNE FACEBOOK GROUP**
The Incoming Class of 2020 Facebook Group is for Haskayne students starting their BComm this fall. This is a great place to stay informed on what’s happening at Haskayne over the summer, to connect with your fellow students and to ask questions as you wait for your BComm journey to begin.

You can also stay connected with Haskayne through Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, and LinkedIn and using #myhaskayne when you post.

**IMPORTANT DATES**

**August 30 – September 7:** Residence Fall Move-In Week
**September 3 – 4:** UCalgary Orientation
**September 8:** Start of regular term classes