

FACT SHEET 2026-2027

Undergraduate Business Exchange Program

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Important Dates

(Check online for other important dates & deadlines.)

| | Fall 2026 | Winter 2027 |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| Nomination Deadline | April 1, 2026 | September 15, 2026* |
| Application Deadline | April 15, 2026 | September 30, 2026* |
| Residence Move-In | Late August 2026 | Early January 2027 |
| Start of Classes | September 1, 2026 | January 11, 2027 |
| End of Classes | December 4, 2026 | April 13, 2027 |
| Exam Period | December 8 to 18, 2026 | April 16 to 27, 2027 |

**We recommend sending nominations, and students completing applications, for Winter term as early as possible, as course registration for the full academic year is done annually in March.*

PLEASE NOTE: Permission for a late nomination and/or application must be sought **in advance of the nomination deadline**; otherwise late nominations and/or applications will not be considered.

Nomination & Application Procedures

Nomination: Partner institutions will receive an email with a link to the online nomination system when nominations are open for the upcoming year. Please complete the nomination form by the appropriate deadline noted above. (Note partners can nominate Winter term students as soon as their selection process is complete.)

Application: After nominations have been received and processed, students will be emailed directly with an individualized link to the online application. A separate email will be sent with instructions for completing the application.

Supporting Documentation:

- Official transcripts: Upload as part of the online application process. Applications without a transcript uploaded/attached **will not be processed**.
 - If students experience trouble uploading to their application, transcripts can be emailed to undergrad.exchange@haskayne.ucalgary.ca.
- Proof of English Language Proficiency (ELP): If required, email to undergrad.exchange@haskayne.ucalgary.ca.
 - For minimum required test scores and other ways to prove English Language Proficiency please visit: calendar.ucalgary.ca/pages/e9845c2c03e84596bcaf892d52666fbf

Academic Information

Students are asked to provide a list of 6 to 8 courses on their application; current timetable is online here: csprd.my.ucalgary.ca/psp/csprd/?cmd=login&public=class-search&. Once the application has been processed, students will be emailed with instructions for completing registration. Students cannot register for business courses, and other faculty courses with course pre-requisites, without permission.

Most undergraduate courses offered by the Haskayne School of Business are permitted for incoming exchange students to register in, provided the students have the course prerequisites. **The following courses are not permitted for incoming exchange students to take:**

- Block Week courses (lectures end before regular term begins)
- ENTI 317 – Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- FNCE 449 – Trading and Market Data Management
- FNCE 469 – UCeed Haskayne Student Fund
- FNCE 471 – The Calgary Portfolio Management Trust
- FNCE 559.09 – Decentralized Finance
- LEAD 401 – Foundations in Ethical Leadership
- LEAD 501 – Leadership Studies Capstone
- MGST 217 – Introduction to Business Analytics
- MGST 301 – Research Methodologies
- MGST 501 – Capstone Applied Research project I
- MGST 503 – Capstone Applied Research project II

- OBHR 519 – Leadership Expedition
- SGMA 217- Intro Business Skills
- SGMA 303 –Career Strategies
- SGMA 505 -Consulting for impact
- SGMA 591 – Strategic Management

Note there are sometimes other courses offered that are not open to incoming exchange students, typically special topic courses.

Students may be allowed to take courses from other faculties on campus, depending on prerequisites and space availability. Please note that economics is **not** part of the business faculty here. Permission to take non-business courses must be sought from the department offering the course.

Course levels:

- 200-level: junior level, intended for students in 1st and/or 2nd year
- 300-level: senior level, intended for students in 2nd and/or 3rd year
- 400-level: senior level, intended for students in 3rd and/or 4th year
- 500-level: senior level, intended for students in 4th and/or 5th year
- *600-level & 700-level: graduate level courses, not open to incoming undergraduate exchange students*

Incoming exchange students must take a minimum of 2 business courses (6 units) and a minimum of 3 courses (9 units) total per semester. The maximum course load is 5 courses (15 units) per semester.

Each course is worth 3 units, equal to 3 class hours per week per course, for 12 weeks total (approximately 30-36 lecture hours total per term). Labs and tutorials are in addition to the mandatory lectures; labs and tutorials are sometimes mandatory, sometimes optional, depending on the course and instructor.

Time conflicts or overlaps are not permitted for any student at the University of Calgary; please ensure the classes selected for registration do not have any time conflicts between any of the lectures, labs, tutorials, and/or seminars.

Many courses have a registrar-scheduled final examination, held during the exam period (see Important Dates above). If students register in classes with registrar-scheduled final examinations, they are required to be available for the entire exam period. The exam schedule is typically released one month after classes have started, and exams can be scheduled until 10:00pm on the last day of the exam period. **Incoming exchange students should not plan any travel until after the last possible day for final exams.**

At the end of the exchange term, incoming exchange students are responsible for ordering official transcripts to be sent to their home institution. Instructions for ordering transcripts are online here: ucalgary.ca/registrar/student-centre/transcripts.

Student Services & Housing

On-Campus housing is organized through Residence Services: ucalgary.ca/residence/.

All incoming exchange students are required to obtain a UPASS upon arrival for each exchange semester, as well as pay the Campus Recreation fee. This allows students unlimited access to public transportation (busses and c-trains) for the duration of their exchange term. Transcripts will not be released to students with outstanding fees. Current fees are listed here:

calendar.ucalgary.ca/pages/d80b6ce5a431469ba19a6ef032fd1672

International Student Services (ucalgary.ca/iss/) offers events for international and incoming exchange students and can advise on Immigration questions (including study visa/permit and working during the exchange term). They also often organize the international orientation (ucalgary.ca/iss/resources/orientation), recommended for all incoming exchange students to attend; there are also virtual events students can attend prior to arrival in Canada.

If students require academic accommodations (example: extended exam time), please advise your student(s) to connect with Student Accessibility Services (ucalgary.ca/student-services/access/prospective-students/how-to-register) as soon as the student has been accepted as an incoming exchange student.

