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Important Dates

August 4
- Heritage Day. University Closed

August 14
- Last day to withdraw from full and half term Summer courses

August 15
- Last day to apply for Fall 2014 convocation

August 15-18
- Final exams for Summer term

August 31
- Last day to successfully complete your candidacy examination in order to have reduced Fall fees

September 4
- International Graduate Student Orientation

September 5
- Graduate Student Orientation

September 26
- Fall Fee Payment Deadline


Keep Up to Date
Want to know what is happening in the world of graduate studies at the University of Calgary? Check out our homepage for news about programs, students, and faculty. Follow us on Twitter or like us on Facebook to hear about interesting and exciting events and get reminders of important things like fee payment deadline.

IMPORTANT: Calendar Information
Please note that the print version of the calendar is missing the Course-based Tuition Fees for International Students. This information is available in the [online](#) and [PDF](#) version of the calendar.

Register Today!
If you have an annual registration term of September please activate (Enrol) as soon as possible! Unsure about how to activate? Help is available [online](#).

FGS Live Chat
FGS will be holding live chat sessions for incoming international students this August. If you’re wondering about working with a supervisor, making sense of school processes and regulations, or writing and defending a thesis, please contact Jingchang (Tom) Liu to sign up for a session.

New International Students: Social Insurance Number
Service Canada has changed their policy on documents required for international grad students to obtain a Social Insurance Number (SIN). It is important that you review the changes on [Service Canada](#) webpage and that you are familiar with the new requirements. Questions? Please contact [International Student Services](#).

Grad Students: Looking to Shape the World with Your Ideas?
As a grad student you are dedicated to putting your brick in the wall of human knowledge. But who will see your work? How will it be applied? How will your ideas make a difference? Entrepreneurship provides an amazing vehicle to introduce your new idea, product or process to the world and we at the Hunter Centre have the expertise to help make your vision a reality. Apply now for our Entrepreneurship and Innovation Option. A unique offering aimed at providing entrepreneurship fundamentals to non-business graduate students.

NEW Regulations!
FGS has created [webpages](#) to assist students with the transition and implementation of the new graduate regulations concerning Thesis and Thesis Examinations, and Candidacy. Please read carefully to understand how the changes will affect you. A series of workshops for students to answer your questions about the new policies will start in the Fall.

University Set to Upgrade Student Email to Office 365 by September 2
The University of Calgary is stepping up its communication and productivity service offerings for students – just in time for fall term. Office 365 offers robust email functionality, greater reliability, 50 GB of storage and seamless integration for a mobile world. Students will also have free access to the latest version of Office ProPlus, including Word, Excel, PowerPoint and Outlook. [Learn more](#).

Volunteers Needed!
Fall Orientation will take place on Friday, September 5. It will be an all-day event (about 9-5), but smaller shifts are available. The GSA will be holding a mandatory training session on August 27, 1:30 p.m. to 3 p.m. If you would like to volunteer but can’t attend this session, alternate arrangements can be made. Contact [Cari](#) to volunteer.

Are You a Reader?
The [Common Reading Program](#) (CRP) is UCalgary’s community book club. This year the first three chapters of the book Misfit: Changemaker with an Edge are available for free [online](#). Author Andreas Souvaliotis recounts his unique journey immigrating to Canada, coming out to his friends and family, and finding success as a social entrepreneur. Join the 600+ students already registered and [sign up](#) to take part!