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Important Dates
November 11 – Remembrance Day, University Closed.
November 12 – Fall Convocation.
November 12 – Reading Day – No Lectures.
December 6 – Fall Term Lectures End.
December 6 – Last day to withdraw from Fall Term half courses.

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.

Scholarship Competitions
Canada Graduate Scholarships (CIHR, NSERC, SSHRC) Master’s Deadline: December 1, 2013 (Deadline to request transcripts is November 25, 2013)
The Faculty of Graduate Studies Graduate Award Competition is now open! Deadline: February 1, 2014 unless your program has an earlier deadline.

External Competitions
IODE – War Memorial Scholarship Deadline: December 1, 2013
Canadian Polar Commission – Northern Scientific Training Program (NSTP) Deadline: December 1, 2013
Chow Yei Ching School of Graduate Studies Entrance Scholarship Deadline: December 2, 2013
Google Lime Scholarships Deadline: December 2, 2013
BMO Capital Markets Lime Connect Equity Through Education Scholarship for Students with Disabilities Deadline: December 2, 2013
Hong Kong PhD Fellowship Scheme Deadline: December 2, 2013

Scholarship Workshops
Are you interested in applying for the Izaak Walton Killam Pre-Doctoral Scholarship, Alberta Innovates - Technology Futures (AITF) awards, Open Doctoral Scholarships, Doctoral and Master’s Special Awards and Bursaries? Attend one of the workshops to hear from The Graduate Scholarship Office and scholarship winning graduate students to learn more about how to apply for different scholarships awarded through the Graduate Award Competition, how to complete the combined application form, and how to develop a successful application.

Main Campus: Tuesday, December 3 10:00am-11:30 am at Math Sciences 211
Main Campus: Friday, December 6 11.30 am -1 pm at Science A Theatre 147
Foothills Campus: Tuesday, December 3 2:30pm – 4 pm at Theatre 4

Preparing for Your Candidacy Exam Workshop
November 28, 2013 | 10:00am-12:00pm | Hotel Alma Senate room, 7th floor
Are you a new PhD student? Are you preparing for your candidacy in the next year or two? Be sure to attend this workshop! After attending you will understand: general and program specific candidacy exam policy and procedure, what is expected of you before, during and after the exam, how to prepare for the exam and manage stress, study tips and resources, and more! Further information and registration.

Killam Prize Winner Lecture – Making peace: What causes conflict and how can it be ‘cured’?
John McGarry, Professor of Political Studies, Queen’s University and 2013 Canada Council Killam Prize Winner in Social Sciences
Rosza Centre, Wednesday November 13, 2013, 4:00 pm, reception to follow.
Register before November 6 – Seating is limited! More information available.