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October 14
Thanksgiving, University Closed.
November 11
Remembrance Day, University Closed.
November 12
Fall Convocation.
Reading Day – No Lectures.

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.

Trudeau Foundation Scholarship
Are you a first or second year PhD student, or are applying for doctoral studies? Does your research project relate to:
1. Human Rights and Dignity;
2. Responsible Citizenship;
3. Canada in the World;
4. People in their Natural Environment
The Trudeau Foundation offers 3 year PhD scholarships of up to $60,000/ year, plus travel allowance, open to both Canadian and International Students studying in Canada. Application process opens early October, details and application information.

External Scholarship Competitions
NSERC – Doctoral Competition
Transcript request deadline: October 8, 2013; Application deadline: October 15, 2013

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External Scholarship Competitions
Graduate Research Awards for Disarmament, Arms Control and Non-Proliferation 2013-2014
Deadline: October 15, 2013

Agricultural Institute of Canada Foundation – Karl C. Iverson Agricultural Scholarship
Deadline: October 15, 2013

Azrieli International Post-Doctoral Fellowships
Deadline: November 4, 2013

Schlumberger Foundation Faculty for the Future Fellowships
Deadline: November 15, 2013

Mitacs Elevate
Deadline: November 19, 2013

FGS Policy Review – Campus Wide Consultation
FGS is undertaking a complete review of our policies. These new policies will replace the current Handbook of Supervision and Examination, as well as select sections of the FGS Calendar relating to the thesis, thesis examination, and candidacy requirements. We want to hear your feedback/comments on these new policies. Find out how you can participate.

Graduate Students - Want Leadership Experience?
Become a My GradSkills Ambassador. Take on a leadership role that will help to shape the future of professional development at the University of Calgary. Ambassadors connect with graduate students across departments, help students in your own program find the resources and training they need to succeed, and gain recognition through credit on your Co-Curricular Record. Visit the My GradSkills website to get more information or apply before Friday, October 4 deadline.

Mitacs Project Management Workshop - October 15 and 16
Learn to fine-tune your ability to organize and complete your work and research. From academia to industry to your personal life, skills learned in this workshop will help you succeed!
Further information and registration.

Finding an Industry Partner: Demystifying Industry Connections – On-Line Webinar
Join Mitacs and Manu Sharma, Founder and Managing Partner of OAK Computing, in a live online 90-minute webinar. This webinar is suitable for graduate students and postdocs who are interested looking for potential industry partners for collaboration, and/or are applying for a Mitacs Accelerate internship and who do not currently have an industrial research partner interested in collaboration.
Further details: Friday, October 4 | Friday, October 25 | Friday, November 1 | Friday, November 8

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