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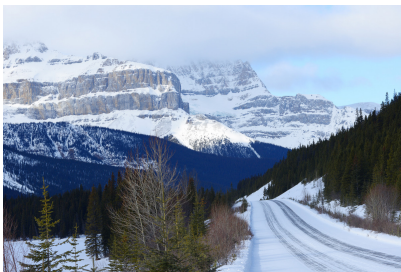
International Student Services (ISS)

Dear Student,

Hurray — it's officially the last day of fall term classes. We wish you well as you enter exam week. If you're in the mood to celebrate, don't miss our "Hello Winter!" event below to say goodbye to the fall term and ring in the winter term!

Did you miss the last International Student Stories session, **"Building my connections at UCalgary"** with Goundo Diarra? No worries — you can listen to the audio recording on our website.

Have a great week!

International Student Services

Hello Winter!

Need some time to relax and have some fun after a long, unconventional term? Join us as we host an event with icebreakers, games and winter-themed arts and crafts! There will also be time to chat and share experiences from the fall term.

Date: Monday, Dec. 14
Time: 11 a.m. – 12 p.m. MST

Register here.

- **Dec. 9:** Last day of classes; last day to withdraw from a course
- **Dec. 12:** Fall final exams begin
- **Dec. 23:** Fall final exams end
- **Dec. 24:** Fall term ends
- **Dec. 23 – Jan. 3:** Holiday observance (campus closed)

Online events and workshops

Virtual RealiTEA

Need help focusing? Feeling isolated? Get work done in a social setting with the Faith and Spirituality Centre. There will be a timer for task-focused intervals to keep you motivated. After each interval, the FSC will lead conversations, play games, do trivia, teach you a new skill, guide a stretch and more!

Date: Wednesday, Dec. 9 (weekly until Dec. 17)
Time: 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. MST

Register here.

Transitioning to first year as an international student

Looking for ways to succeed as a student? The Student Success Centre is available to answer your questions about learning in your first year at UCalgary.

They'll also provide advice on how to study for classes, creating a time management plan or any other topics related to learning that you wish to learn about.

- **Thursday, Dec. 10:** 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. MST
- **Wednesday, Dec. 16:** 11 a.m. – noon MST
- **Thursday, Dec. 17:** 6:30 – 7:30 p.m. MST

Learn more and register »

Documentary and discussion: *Picture a Scientist*

Interested in learning about how to make science more diverse, equitable and inclusive? Join The Graduate College and Chemists for Inclusion, Diversity & Equity (CIDE) to an expert panel discussion on the documentary film, *Picture a Scientist*. After registering for the event, you will receive a link to view the documentary prior to the discussion panel.

Date: Friday, Dec. 11
Time: 2 p.m. MST

Register here.

Webinar: Finding off-campus accommodation

Whether you're a new student or simply want to refresh your knowledge, join us for this webinar to learn about resources and important considerations when looking for rental housing in Calgary.

Date: Monday, Dec. 14
Time: 9 – 10 a.m. MST

Register here.

Webinar: Healthcare and insurance in Alberta

Curious about how healthcare works in Alberta? Want to know what you're eligible for as an international student? Register for this webinar for an overview of the Alberta healthcare system and medical insurance, followed by a Q&A.

Date: Tuesday, Dec. 15
Time: 9 – 10 a.m. MST

Register here.

UCalgary student club feature

Pakistani Student Society

PSS is an organization committed to promoting awareness of diverse Pakistani traditions, fostering discussion regarding social issues, fundraising for charities, and helping people - particularly first year Pakistani students adjusting to UCalgary. PSS

invites people of all nationalities to join their club and to participate in their events and activities.

Learn more here, and follow PSS on Instagram and Facebook.

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Interested in having your club featured? Complete the submission form here.