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### Dear Student,

Did you miss our [International Student Stories](#) event on the topic of **student health and mental wellness** with our student guest speaker, Anna Gullacher, on Feb. 24? The recording is now [available here!](#)

Stay well!

International Student Services

### Important dates and information

- **Mar. 31:** Deadline to Apply for Spring Convocation

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### Access transition support

Do you have any questions or uncertainties about life at UCalgary, in Calgary or in Canada? Our new International Student Transition Support Advisor, Jaeun Lee, is here to answer your questions and provide you with resources on or off campus! Feel free to reach out to Jaeun via email at [jaeeun.lee1@ucalgary.ca](mailto:jaeun.lee1@ucalgary.ca) to book an appointment for all your non-academic, non-immigration topics, such as health insurance and housing options.

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## Winter 2022 Welcome Back Grant

The grant can assist full-time UCalgary students who have experienced unexpected financial strain due to the return to in-person studies that began on February 28, 2022. This could include accrued travel, relocation, or exceptional living costs. Students must be enrolled in a winter 2022 course-based program that has a minimum of one course with an in-person course component. Students will need to provide documentation supporting the financial impact.

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## It's tax season

Don't forget to file your taxes! The Students' Union is currently offering a free [Volunteer Tax program](#). This program assists students in filing their taxes at no cost. Please book your appointment early, as they fill quickly!

Additional tax resources:

- [Taxes in Canada](#) - UCalgary
- [Community free tax clinics](#) - Government of Canada

## Information and opportunities

### Join ISS as a co-op student intern!

Are you interested in joining our ISS team? Apply today to one of two International Student Services co-op intern positions! Learn and develop new skills while helping support international students. Applications are due by **Friday, March 18, 2022**. To learn more and apply, please visit [Elevate](#).

Visit our [website](#) to learn more about our services, programs and events!

## Events and workshops



### ISS Explore Calgary: The District at Beltline food hall Calgary

Join us for our first Explore Calgary event this semester at the new District at Beltline food hall. The District at Beltline is the latest food hall in Calgary and hosts six different restaurants serving globally inspired food. Please bring all your friends and let's have good conversations over good food!

**Date:** Friday, March 18

**Time:** 4:30 p.m. MDT

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**Special lecture on the political history, energy and**



### **ethics of punk rock**

As part of UCalgary's Last Lecture series, Political Science instructor Mark Machacek will present "Establishing Anti-Establishment: Exploring the Politics & Academia Parallels of Punk Rock."

**Date:** Thursday, March 17

**Time:** 5:30 - 7 p.m. MDT

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### **Recognizing and avoiding investment scams: Scams 101**

Join Money Smart on March 23 to uncover the prominent forms of investment fraud. You will learn how to recognize investment scams – and how to protect yourself and others. Register for Scams 101.

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### **Permanent residence information session**

A Regulated Canadian Immigration Consultant (RCIC) will present basic information on permanent residence pathways that may be available to you.

**Date:** Tuesday, March 29

**Time:** 10 a.m. – 12 p.m. MDT

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### **International students and the Canadian tax**



## system

An outreach officer from the [Canada Revenue Agency](#) (CRA) will introduce the Canadian tax system and the benefits and credits international students may be entitled to.

**Date:** Thursday, March 31

**Time:** 1 – 2:15 p.m. MDT



## Applications now open for student leadership excellence awards

Apply for a host of student excellence awards and celebrate the memory of Ricky Ramdhaney, Alison Heal and Alyson Woloshyn, three outstanding UCalgary student affairs professionals who left us too soon. Apply before April 3 at 11:59 p.m.

## Do you want more events?

Check out our [ISS Events calendar](#) for a list of events and workshops for international students.

Are you interested in events hosted by other offices? Visit the following:

- [Career Services](#)
- [Faith and Spirituality Centre](#)
- [Leadership and Student Engagement](#)
- [Money Smart](#)
- [Student Success Centre](#)
- [Student Wellness](#)
- [Women's Resource Centre](#)

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