

Open Studies Transition to Degree Workshop

Please use this handout to guide you through today's presentation, and be sure to refer to it as you navigate your way through Open Studies and make the transition into a degree program.

Objective: learn about admission requirements, the application, and how to use Open Studies to move into a degree

1. Admission Evaluation

High School Admission Status _____

Transfer Admission Status _____

Admission Review Fall/Winter _____

Required High School Courses _____

Adult/ Mature Student Status _____

2. Additional Admission Criteria *(Check the Academic Calendar online for more details)

English Language Proficiency _____

Specific Prerequisite Courses _____

Portfolio or Audition _____

Previous Study _____

Letter of Intent or References _____

Supplementary Application _____

3. Program Average Ranges (High School and Transfer GPA)

First Program of Choice _____

Second Program of Choice _____

Third Program of Choice _____

Admissions Office Contact _____

4. Degree Program Application

Website _____

Process _____

Timelines _____

Application Deadline _____

Have more questions?

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Make an appointment by booking on the online calendar or contact the Virtual Front Desk

www.ucalgary.ca/student-services/student-success or by emailing success.ucalgary.ca

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Action Plan: Open Studies to Degree Example

Target Undergraduate Degree Program:

Bachelor of Commerce

Estimated Competitive GPA Required Fall 2021

| | 1. | 2. | 3. | 4. | 5. | 6. | APPLICATION TO UNDERGRAD PROGRAM |
|---|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------|-------|-------|--|
| TERM | Summer 2020 | Fall 2020 | Winter 2021 | Spring 2021 | | | Fall 2021 |
| CREDITS | 6 | 9 | 9 | 3* | | | 24 |
| COURSES | <u>MATH 249</u> | <u>ECON 203</u> | <u>STAT 217</u> | Jr. Option* | _____ | _____ | Student Status for Admission: Transfer Student |
| | <u>ECON 201</u> | <u>STAT 213</u> | <u>ENGL 251</u> | _____ | _____ | _____ | Other admission requirements: 18 units of prerequisite courses |
| | _____ | <u>Jr. Option</u> | <u>Jr. Option</u> | _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| GRADES | | | | | | | *Admission GPA Range Check Admissions |
| Required High School Courses: <u>Math 30-1</u> <u>ELA 30-1</u> _____ | | | | | | | |

*Courses taken in the Spring and Summer terms of the year of admission do not count in the GPA calculation; courses still count toward degree program; if course is required as a prerequisite, grade of C- or better is necessary.

Open Studies Personalized Plan

Target Undergraduate Degree Program:

GPA Required Fall 2021:

| | 1. | 2. | 3. | 4. | 5. | 6. | APPLICATION TO UNDERGRAD PROGRAM |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----------------------------------|
| TERM | | | | | | | |
| CREDITS | | | | | | | |
| COURSES | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | Student Status for Admission: |
| | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | Other admission requirements: |
| | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | |
| GRADES | | | | | | | *Admission GPA Range |
| Required High School Courses: _____ | | | | | | | |

*GPA Calculation – you can calculate your GPA using the formula outlined in the Academic Calendar:

www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/f-5.html

Explore Programs: www.ucalgary.ca/future-students/undergraduate/explore-programs

Academic Calendar: www.ucalgary.ca/pubs/calendar/current/index.htm

First Year Degree Guide: www.ucalgary.ca/degreeguide/

Advising Offices: www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/registration/advising

Registration: www.ucalgary.ca/registrar

Admissions: www.ucalgary.ca/admissions/

Student Success Centre: www.ucalgary.ca/ssc



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Open Studies Student Resource Guide

Core Resources for Open Studies Students

Open Studies Advising

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Supporting students as they navigate the transition to an undergraduate degree program.

Phone: 403.220.5881

Email: quinnk@ucalgary.ca

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Email: daniel.birch@ucalgary.ca

Website: ucalgary.ca/ssc/advising/navigating_open_studies

Wellness Centre - Open Studies

Student Support Advisor

Connecting students with services both on and off campus including services related to housing, finances, academic support, mental health, and more.

Phone: 403.210.9355

Website:

www.ucalgary.ca/wellnesscentre/services/student-support

Ombuds Office

Student Ombuds

A safe place for all University of Calgary students to discuss student-related issues such as interpersonal conflict, academic and non-academic misconduct.

Phone: 403.220.6420

Email: ombuds@ucalgary.ca

Website:

www.ucalgary.ca/ombuds/

Get Involved

Orientation Week

Connect with incoming students in your program and learn more about campus resources, how to get involved and how to make the most of your first year!

Phone: 403.210.9269

Email: oweeek@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/orientation/

Leadership and Student Engagement Office

Develop your leadership skills, volunteer and connect with like-minded students! From year-long programs to one-off volunteering and community engagement days, there is something for every.

Phone: 403.220.5824

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/leadership/

UCalgary Clubs

Get involved and meet new friends by joining one of our 300+ clubs! Learn about different clubs and what they do by checking out the showcase at Clubs Week.

Phone: 403.220.2233

Email: clubsoff@ucalgary.ca

Website: suclubs.orgsync.com/

Get Support

Student Accessibility Services

Enhance your academic and personal development in our accessible, equitable and supportive learning environment.

Phone: 403.210.6019

Email: access@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/access/

Wellness Centre

Creating a healthy campus community through supporting students throughout their university career with health services, counselling, events, programs, outreach activities, and volunteering opportunities.

Main Phone: 403.210.9355

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/wellnesscentre/

Financial Aid Office

Tuition, awards, scholarships, bursaries, student loans, RESPs and everything else related to financing your degree.

Phone: 403.210.7625 (Option 2)

Email: financialaid@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/registrar/finances



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Other Resources

Welcome Centre

Supporting new-to-Calgary students as they prepare to make Calgary their home.

Phone: 403.210.9270

Email: welcome@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/welcomecentre/

Unicard

Learn about your Unicard, UPass, meal plan and our submit-your-selfie program.

Phone: 403.220.7290

Email: unicard@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/unicard/

Active Living

Stay active with our world-class recreation, fitness and health facilities.

Phone: 403.220.7749

Email: active@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/activeliving/

Residence Services

Everything you wanted to know about living on campus.

Phone: 403.220.3210

Email: residence@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/residence/

Career Services

Explore your interests and strengths as well as potential career paths and degree options.

Phone: 403.220.8020

Email: csstdnt@ucalgary.ca

Website: www.ucalgary.ca/careers/

UCalgary Bookstore

A one-stop shop for all your textbooks, supplies, gear and gifts.

Phone: 1.877.220.5937

Email: bookstoreinfo@ucalgary.ca

Website: calgarybookstore.ca/

Bound and Copied

Our on-campus consignment bookstore.

Phone: 403.220.6661

Email: boundandcopied@su.ucalgary.ca

Website: www.su.ucalgary.ca/programs-services/student-services/bound-copied/

