

NEW THIS WEEK @ McMATH

(updated November 16/17)

This weekly document contains new, incoming information only.
For additional information, visit the new Career Centre website at:

<http://sd38careercentre.weebly.com/>

POST-SECONDARY RELATED INFO

University Representatives Visiting McMath in November

Monday, November 20 ~ University of Waterloo ~ during lunch (in the conference room)

Tuesday, November 21 ~ McGill ~ during lunch (in A105)

Wednesday, November 22 ~ U of Alberta ~ during lunch (in the conference room)

Thursday, November 23 ~ Huron (Western) University ~ during lunch (info table)

Tuesday, November 28 ~ University of New Brunswick ~ during lunch (info table)

Wednesday, November 29 ~ University of Toronto ~ during lunch (in A105)

Thursday, November 30 ~ UBC Sauder School of Business (Student Ambassador) during lunch (in B128)

NOV 18/17 UBC Applied Science Open House *REMINDER*

You and your family are invited to visit the Applied Science Open House (at the UBC Vancouver campus) on Saturday, November 18th. Meet with professors, staff, and students who can help you decide whether UBC Applied Science is right for you. There'll be demonstrations, lab tours, and informative presentations. Talk to advisors, professors and current students about all your options. Learn how applied science can make a world of difference. Bring your friends and family to explore – plan to attend the whole day, as there are activities happening throughout the day.

Date: Nov 18, 2017 - 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Event link: Applied Science Open House <https://apsc.ubc.ca/openhouse>

To register: <https://survey.ubc.ca/s/APSCOpenHouse2017/>

NOV 22/17 SFU Program Fair - Surrey Campus

SFU will be hosting the SFU Program Fair at the Surrey campus on Wednesday, November 22, 2017 from 5:30pm-8:00pm. This event is an opportunity for prospective students and their parents to learn more about SFU's programs and student services. Throughout the evening, students will be able to speak with representatives and current students from all 8 faculties, participate on a campus tour and view current student projects. There will also be two presentations: "Your SFU Story" and "How to Finance Your Post-Secondary Education". For further information and to RSVP, visit: <https://www.sfu.ca/students/events/sfu-program-fair.html> Those who register early will be entered for a draw prize to win a \$100 gift card to Central City mall!

NOV 24/17 KPU Discovery Day *REMINDER*

On your next Pro-D Day **from 10 - to 2pm**, come to Kwantlen's Richmond Campus to find out what's it's like to be a student. You can attend a class, talk to students, advisors and instructors and explore programs to find out if KPU is a good fit for you.

For more info see: <http://www.kpu.ca/discovery-day-2017>

NOV 25/17 *Three (3) Events at UBC Vancouver*

1. Unique UBC Event (Vancouver)

Visit UBC to explore the unique UBC programs you may not have heard of. Learn about specialty and interdisciplinary programs on both campuses. Check out the Unique UBC featured programs

at: <http://you.ubc.ca/tours-info-sessions/campus-tours-events/on-campus-events/featured-programs/>

At the Unique UBC event:

~ Hear about unique UBC programs and Okanagan campus undergraduate degree programs, such as the UBC and Sciences Po dual-degree program; Bachelor + Master of Management dual degree; and the interdisciplinary Philosophy, Politics, and Economics major

~ Talk to UBC professors and advisors

~ Learn about the application process, admissions requirements, course offerings, and experiential learning opportunities

Where and when:

Saturday, November 25, 2017 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at UBC's Vancouver campus, Ponderosa Commons (Oak House), 6163 University Boulevard, Vancouver

How to register

Register for Unique UBC at: <https://account.you.ubc.ca/ubc/myEvents.do>

If you have trouble registering for this event, email: recruitment.ok@ubc.ca

Additional Faculty Open House Events at UBC on November 25th

2. Faculty of Land and Food Systems Fall Preview Day

<http://www.landfood.ubc.ca/academics/undergraduate/prospective-students/>

3. UBC Sauder School of Business Fall Preview

http://www.sauder.ubc.ca/News/2017/Copy_of_Copy_of_Event_BCom_Fall_Preview

Discover UVic (2 locations)

· **Victoria, Tuesday, Nov. 28, 2017, 6:30-9:00 p.m.**

· **Burnaby, Monday, Dec. 4, 2017, 6:30-9:00 p.m.**

The Discover UVic event is held in Victoria, and Burnaby. At this University of Victoria event you will:

- Find out how to make the most of your academic experience.
- Explore life on campus, including living and studying in residence.
- Get tips on student budgeting and financial support.
- Learn about co-operative education and student employment.

You'll hear from UVic recruiters, recent graduates and current students, and have the opportunity to speak with representatives from some of the services and programs, and connect with other future UVic students who share your interests and goals! To register visit:

<https://www.uvic.ca/future-students/undergraduate/events/discover/index.php>

DEC 2/17 Firefighting Information Session

Learn about the training involved to become a firefighter, and the necessary steps it takes to be hired by a career Fire Department, at the next JIBC firefighting information session on December 2, 2017. This is an opportunity to learn about JIBC's Fire Fighting Technologies Certificate, tour Western Canada's firefighter training facility, and have all your questions answered by JIBC faculty and staff.

To register for this event, visit: https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/jibc-fire-safety-division-information-session-tickets-38357563505?aff=erelexpmlt&utm_source=campaigner&utm_campaign=fftc-info-session-invite&cmp=1&utm_medium=email

For more information, contact: Program Coordinator - Richard White at 604.528.5906 or email: fftc@jibc.ca
Time: 11 a.m. - 1 p.m. Location: JIBC Maple Ridge Campus

SCHOLARSHIP INFO

DEC 1/17 University of Saskatchewan ~ Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships 'eligibility' deadline

December 1 is the deadline to apply for admission to be eligible to apply for Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships, the University of Saskatchewan's highest valued, renewable entrance scholarships valued up to \$40,000. These awards, which recognize academic excellence and community engagement, include five known as the Circle of Honour Awards, which are designated for Indigenous students.

How to apply:

By December 1, students must have **applied for admission**.

A new log-in ID and a temporary password to access the PAWS web portal will be emailed to you within two to three business days.

Log into PAWS and open the Scholarships and Bursaries channel to access the Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships application.

Applications for Best and Brightest Entrance Scholarships must be submitted by December 15. For more information, visit:

https://admissions.usask.ca/money/scholarships.php?utm_source=Counsellors&utm_campaign=eb5af66814-counsellorupdate_Nov2017&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_27a5b0eea0-eb5af66814-62160529#GuaranteedEntranceScholarships

DEC 1/17 University of Manitoba ~ BMO Financial Group Leader of Tomorrow Scholarship deadline

If you are planning to attend the University of Manitoba in Sept. 2018, Follow these steps to apply for the scholarship:

- 1.Fill out the BMO Financial Group Leader of Tomorrow scholarship application (PDF).
http://umanitoba.ca/student/fin_awards/media/LOT-StudentApplication1817Entry.pdf
- 2.Submit the application and two complete sets of copies to Financial Aid and Awards before December 1, 2017
- 3.Complete application packages must be submitted in person or by mail. Do not submit portions of the application separately.
- 4.Apply to the University of Manitoba by December 1, 2017 – <http://www.umanitoba.ca/applynow/>

Candidates will require:

BMO Financial Group Leader of Tomorrow Scholarships will be offered to students who:

- 1.have achieved a high school average of at least 90 percent calculated on the basis of results in:
 - English 11
 - Mathematics 11 (either pre-calculus 11 or Foundations of Math 11 only)
 - the highest marks in three of Biology 11, Chemistry 11, Physics 11, History 11, Geography 11, Computer Science 11, or a language at the 11 level other than those accepted for English 11 above;
- 2.have demonstrated evidence of leadership qualities and future potential;
- 3.have demonstrated evidence of a high level of communication skills;
- 4.have a record of community involvement (e.g., school, local community city-wide, regional, national, international);
- 5.have demonstrated evidence of special abilities other than those shown by academic results (e.g., artistic, athletic, or linguistic skills, literary accomplishments);
- 6.have completed a University of Manitoba application for admission by the December 1 deadline, including payment of application fee.

Recipients will be required to present a minimum 90% average based on those courses eligible for the University of Manitoba General Entrance Scholarships.

The award is **valued at \$16,000**, with \$4,000 every year for four years of study. <http://umanitoba.ca/>

DEC 15/17 Schulich Leader Scholarships ~ 'in-school nomination' deadline* *REMINDER*

Schulich Leader Scholarships are entrance scholarships awarded to high school graduates enrolling in Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (**STEM**) programs at one of the 20 Canadian partner universities (see the list below). In order to become a Schulich Leader and receive the scholarship, you must first be selected/nominated by your high school as the Schulich Leader Nominee. Only one student is selected per school.

Awards

~ **25 at \$100,000** for engineering

~ **25 at \$80,000** for science, technology or mathematics

Eligibility Criteria

- Graduate from high school in the 2017/2018 academic year
- Be a Canadian citizen or permanent resident
- Plan to enroll in STEM at one of the partner universities
- Meet at least two of the following criteria:
 - ~ Academic excellence
 - ~ Leadership (community, business or entrepreneurial)
 - ~ Financial need
- Not planning a career as a medical practitioner

For more detail, visit:

<http://www.schulichleaders.com/who-eligible> <http://www.schulichleaders.com/frequently-asked-questions>

20 Canadian University Partners

University of Waterloo
University of Toronto
McMaster University
Queen's University
University of British Columbia
Western University
McGill University
University of Alberta
University of Ottawa
University of Victoria
University of Calgary
Dalhousie University
Simon Fraser University
University of New Brunswick
University of Saskatchewan
Memorial University of Newfoundland
York University
University of Manitoba
Université de Montréal
Université Laval

***to be considered for nomination at McMath, complete a Reference Letter form (available in the pamphlet rack) in the Career Centre, and submit this to your counselor before the 'in-school' deadline date.**

JAN 19/18 Cmolik Foundation Scholarship In-School deadline

One nomination is permitted per school. TCF awards scholarships will be awarded to deserving British Columbia students who have met adversity during their life and demonstrated a good work ethic, tenacity, and other commendable attributes in achieving their academic and social goals; and without TCF's support may not have the means to attend a university, college or Trade School. A letter of nomination from your secondary school is required - include with the application.

The nomination-submission deadline for schools is FEB 15/18.

<http://www.thecmolikfoundation.com/scholarship-criteria-policies>

FEB 1/18 Terry Fox Humanitarian Award deadline

The Terry Fox Humanitarian Award Program aims to honour the spirit of Terry Fox, one of Canada's greatest heroes, by encouraging Canadian youth who strive to emulate Terry Fox's courage and determination by providing their communities and those in need with humanitarian service.

The maximum value of the award is \$28,000, dispersed over four (4) years. A stipend of \$7,000 is issued directly to the institution each year in two installments of \$3,500, one in September and one in January. For students who do not pay tuition fees, the award is \$3,500 per year, issued directly to the institution in two installments of \$1,750 each. If a student's academic expenses are covered by another source, they may choose to decline acceptance of the financial portion of the award. They will still be granted the distinction of being a Terry Fox Scholar.

Applicants must provide three (3) referees and upload online an (un)official transcript detailing the applicant's last two years of schooling (official transcripts, sealed by the issuing institution will be requested from applicants who are selected for an interview.

<http://terryfoxawards.ca/>