

October 2024 E-News

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Dates to Remember...

October 1st – Deadline to submit scholarships through SAMS

October 14th – Thanksgiving Day – University is closed

October 15-19th – Fall Break – NO classes; University and offices are still open

October 17th – Fall Convocation

****IMPORTANT** Changes to Term 4 classes**

Previously, TERM 4 was being offered in Winter (January-April) and then again in Spring/Summer (May-Aug). This was to accommodate Coop students. Students going on their first Coop were able to choose to go out in Winter or in Spring. The Faculty is introducing changes to TERM 4 and it will affect when students go out on their first coop. Note that each Program has made specific changes to their course offerings for Spring/Summer Term 4.

Coop students:

It is recommended that students register in Term 4 classes for Winter 2025 and take their first coop in Spring/Summer 2025.

If this is not an option for you, please be aware of the following changes to the Term 4 Spring/Summer 2025 term:

Non coop students:

This change may affect your course planning if you are not following the Program Sheet and are taking less than 5 courses. We suggest you schedule an advising appointment to assist with course planning. <https://www.uregina.ca/engineering/students/advising.html>

Electronic Systems

ESE will offer ENEL 282 only. (ENEL 281 will not be offered)

If you are an ESE student planning on a workterm in Winter 2025, you should also plan to take ENEL 281. It will be offered face-to-face on Tues/Thurs 2:30-3:45pm, lab on Fridays 8:30-11:15 am.

Industrial Systems

ISE will offer ENIN 241 only. (ENIN 233 will not be offered)

Energy Systems

ERSE will not offer ENER 203

Software Systems

SSE will not offer ENSE 271

Environmental Systems

EVSE students planning on a workterm in W25 there is no effect for you. ENIN 241 and non-engineering courses will be offered in Spring/Summer 2025.

ISE, SSE and ERSE students - please be aware that if you choose to work in the Winter 2025 semester missing classes will likely affect your upcoming academic plan. Please see the Coop coordinator to discuss your options. You can make an appointment with Tina online: <https://www.uregina.ca/engineering/students/advising.html>

Be sure to check the Registrar's Office [Registration and Withdrawal page](#) for more information and great tools like [Visual Schedule Builder \(VSB\)](#) to help you plan your classes. Your Academic Advisors are available to help answer any questions you may have while planning your academic time here; book an appointment with one of us online (Zoom or face-to-face) <https://www.uregina.ca/engineering/students/advising.html>

Degree Audit and Program Sheets

Degree Audit is accessed through UR Self-Service under the Academic Advising & Program Planning link. Degree Audit is connected to the year you started your program. It does not reflect any of the changes that have been made since then. *Please* always check our website for program changes OR make an appointment with an Academic Advisor to ensure that you are taking the correct classes. <https://www.uregina.ca/engineering/students/student-program-sheets.html>

Graduation Requirements:

Upon completion of all program requirements, or final courses in progress, students are required to apply for graduation. Apply to graduate through [UR Self-Service](#). Before you apply go to the student's guide:

<https://www.uregina.ca/student/registrar/assets/docs/pdf/convocation/Student-Guide-Grad-App.pdf>

Janice Savoie does grad checks! Make an appointment with her or send her an email at Janice.Savoie@uregina.ca

Completion of classes	Deadline for Application	Approval by Executive Council	Convocation Ceremony
December	November 30	February	Spring
April	January 31	May	Spring
Spring/Summer Term	July 31	September	Fall

WHMIS Training for new students!

"Undergrad Mandatory WHMIS (Engineering)" is a required (but brief) online safety course for 'new' Engineering students. This includes new admissions, re-admissions, faculty transfers, and new exchange students.

If you began classes in Spring/Summer 2024 or Fall 2024, this WHMIS course must be completed before the next time you register for classes. Please check UR Courses now for this course (and if you're not enrolled, please contact me ASAP). Upon successful completion, your WHMIS certificate will be valid for 3 years. Make sure you download your certificate, as this will notify us of your completion.

If a student does not complete WHMIS before their next registration time ticket opens, a hold is placed on their account. Registration cannot be processed until WHMIS is finished. Although the Faculty general office receives notification when you download your certificate, it can take 1-2 business days to remove the registration hold. Please complete the exam and download your certificate well in advance of your registration date.

Note that we cannot accept WHMIS certificates from elsewhere (other employers, other faculties, etc.) - it must be from our faculty.

Thanks and enjoy the training!

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L2M Discover (email forwarded from Lab2Market-Toronto Metropolitan University)

We're thrilled to announce the launch of "[L2M Discover](#)," a new program in the [Lab2Market](#) Suite. SFU VentureLabs and e@UBC are collaborating to deliver this initiative, which aims to help students, faculty, and staff understand how to commercialize research and explore entrepreneurial paths. The program will kick off in October 2024.

This will be L2M's first Discover cohort with an EDIA focus, offering two streams—one for Women-identifying and Non-Binary individuals and another for the BIPOC community. Our goal is to create an empowering and inclusive environment with expert facilitators who are part of our target audience to ensure the content is relevant and impactful. While each stream is open to everyone, including allies, the material will be specifically tailored to address the unique challenges and experiences of each group.

About L2M Discover:

- **Program Overview:** An early-stage program focused on raising awareness of entrepreneurial pathways and research commercialization.
- **Audience:** We're targeting students (undergraduate/graduate), faculty, and staff, with a focus on Women-identifying and Non-Binary individuals, as well as the BIPOC community.
- **Format:** A free, ten-week webinar series, with one-hour sessions each week covering various topics related to entrepreneurship.
- **Goal:** To introduce participants to entrepreneurship and its opportunities.
- **Timing:** October - December 2024

Registration is open - you can find more information and sign up [here](#).

Should you, or anyone else in your network, find this program of interest and have any questions, please contact Carolina Almeida, SFU Program Manager at carolina@venturelabs.ca