Student Orientation

Interdisciplinary Health Program (IHP)

Rady Faculty of Health Sciences
University of Manitoba
Welcome
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IHP – Safe Spaces

Equity, Diversity and Inclusion (EDI)
TRADITIONAL TERRITORIES
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The University of Manitoba campuses are located on original lands of Anishinaabeg, Cree, Oji-Cree, Dakota, and Dene peoples, and on the homeland of the Métis Nation.

We respect the Treaties that were made on these territories, we acknowledge the harms and mistakes of the past, and we dedicate ourselves to move forward in partnership with Indigenous communities in a spirit of reconciliation and collaboration.
Interdisciplinary Health Program

• You are students in the Rady Faculty of Health Sciences (RFHS)

• IHP administrative offices are located in room 202, the 2nd floor of the Human Ecology Building

• IHP information is available on our website: http://umanitoba.ca/faculties/health_sciences/ihp/index.html
Email Policy

• All communication with students will be via University of Manitoba e-mail addresses.

• Ensure you claim your ID in order to obtain your e-mail address: http://umanitoba.ca/computing/ist/accounts/claimid.html
By now you will have…

• Registered for Fall and Winter

• Advised us about your registration problems

• Read through your orientation kit – and if not, please DO SO!!
Next on your agenda…

• Classes start tomorrow, Wednesday, September 9
• Labs will start in October, notification TBA
• Making changes to your course schedule (if needed) -- until September 22 for fall term and spanned courses.
More things to do…

• Obtain books and other course supplies
• Lockers – available from the Student Organization
• U of M Bookstore – new books and some used (Note: No BuyBack available at this time due to Covid-19, register for BuyBack Alerts on the Bookstore website, to be notified when your book can be bought back (http://sellmytextbooks.org/members/22/))

• ClinicalKey – Core Databases, Neil John Maclean Health Sciences Library – search from any UM homepage
Academic Year

SEPTEMBER
• Classes begin
• Registration revisions until Sept 22

OCTOBER
• Exam schedule posted on UM website
• Midterm exams
• Midterm Break: Nov 9-13
Academic Year

NOVEMBER
• Final VW deadline
  1st term courses – Nov 23

DECEMBER
• Last day of classes Dec 11th

• Final exams for 1st term courses (Dec 12-23)

• Students MUST be available for the exam period
UM ACHIEVE

• UM ACHIEVE is a degree planning tool.
• It is available through JUMP – 24/7.
• It tracks your academic progress.
• It maps the requirements in your current degree program.
• Plan and complete the required courses for your degree

UMANITOBA.CA/UMACHIEVE
How do I know which courses I need to complete for my degree?

• UM ACHIEVE.

• Degree requirements are listed in the U of M Calendar.

  • Program Plans of each degree can be printed off the IHP website.

  • Talk and listen to an IHP Academic Advisor if you are unsure which courses you have left to complete.
Can I do a minor?

- Yes! You can declare a minor in any program at the U of M that offers a minor.

- Please inform an IHP Academic Advisor (Alisa or Karen) by e-mail. Otherwise, there is no way we know you are pursuing a minor.
Repeating Courses

• Limited Access is suspended.

• Once you have successfully passed a repeated course, your GPA will reflect only the highest grade. Both courses remain on your student transcript.
Policies

• There is **no limit of Voluntary Withdrawal’s (VW)** for University of Manitoba students.

• **Authorized Withdrawals (AW)** are available to all students for medical or compassionate reasons with appropriate documentation – talk with your Academic Advisor.
Academic Integrity
We want you to achieve!

Avoid behaviour that may put your degree into academic jeopardy.

Penalties include automatically failing courses, suspension from taking courses offered by a Faculty or Program, suspension or dismissal from the University.

This may result in extra time to complete your degree.

• Academic Integrity web pages: http://umanitoba.ca/student/resource/student_advocacy/academicintegrity/index.html
Academic Integrity

• Learn the guidelines for submitting assignments – available in course outlines.

• Learn test taking procedures – available in course outlines.

• If you have any questions, consult with your instructor or course coordinator.
Things to avoid!

- Academic or non-academic misconduct in any form.
  - Plagiarism.
  - Inappropriate collaboration.
  - Cheating.
  - Unprofessional behaviour.

Student Advocacy:
http://umanitoba.ca/student-supports/academic-supports/student-advocacy
What is plagiarism?

University of Manitoba
Undergraduate Calendar

Plagiarism and Cheating

UM defines plagiarism as “the presentation or use of information, ideas, images, sentences, findings, etc. as one’s own without appropriate citation in a written assignment, test or final examination.”
What is plagiarism?

Plagiarism can be intentional or unintentional. It is plagiarism whether you just can't remember where you got an idea, or you simply forget to add a citation.

Other terms for plagiarism include: academic dishonesty, academic misconduct, improper citation, failure to cite, unreferenced quotes and passages, unreferenced sources, re-writing without citing

http://umanitoba.ca/student-supports/academic-supports/academic-integrity

If in doubt – ask.
Student Accessibility Services

The University of Manitoba is committed to supporting an accessible learning environment.

• If you are a student with a diagnosed disability, (permanent, chronic, or temporary), who may require academic accommodations, Student Accessibility Services (SAS) is here to help.
What do you need to do?

• **Step 1:** Book an appointment to meet with an advisor at Student Accessibility Services. Whether you are just looking for information to see if you are able to register with SAS, or you want to register formally, our advisors are here to help.

• **Step 2:** Obtain documentation from a registered health professional. Here’s a form for you to bring to your healthcare provider.

  [http://umanitoba.ca/student/accessibility/media/Disability-Assessment-Form.pdf](http://umanitoba.ca/student/accessibility/media/Disability-Assessment-Form.pdf)

• **Step 3:** Be part of creating your plan for success. You and your advisor will create an individualized accommodation plan.
What else should you know?

• Registering with Student Accessibility Services is confidential. There is no indication on your transcript that you have used our services.

• Students who register with SAS report that they have had more success with their courses as a result of using their supports.
Contact SAS

• To learn more about the confidential supports that are available to you, contact Student Accessibility Services 520 University Centre.

• No in person visits at this time.
• Video conference meetings will be available
• By phone at 204-474-7423
• By email at student_accessibility@umanitoba.ca
• Or visit our website at: http://umanitoba.ca/student/accessibility/
Counseling Services on Campus

- [http://umanitoba.ca/student/counselling/how-to-access-counselling.html](http://umanitoba.ca/student/counselling/how-to-access-counselling.html)
- [http://umanitoba.ca/student/counselling/students_in_crisis.html](http://umanitoba.ca/student/counselling/students_in_crisis.html)
Contact Information

Student Counselling Centre
474 University Centre
Phone: 204 474-8592
Fax: 204 474-7558
International Student Centre

• Moving to Canada to study is an exciting opportunity! Proper planning and support from the International Centre can help you settle in to life at the University of Manitoba.

• Please contact the International Student Centre:

• http://umanitoba.ca/current-students/international
Supplemental Instruction

Academic Learning Centre (ALC)

• Get help with courses in a free weekly study group
  • Compare class notes
  • Discuss course content
  • Solve practice problems
  • Develop study strategies

• Each group is facilitated by a trained student who has previously taken the course

• For list of courses with study groups, times, and locations…
  www.umanitoba.ca/student/academiclearning
The Academic Learning Centre offers free tutoring in writing, study skills, and content (select courses). Available all year. Students are welcome to make appointments online.

Contact the ALC by email at:
• academic_learning@umanitoba.ca or
• by phone at 204-480-1481.
Preparatory Courses

• CSKL 0100
  • A course designed for…
    • Students with little, or no background in chemistry who wish to achieve the prerequisites for advanced courses (i.e. CHEM 1300)
    • Students who require a refresher course in basic chemistry
  • Prerequisite: Grade 12 Mathematics course or equivalent
    • https://umextended.ca/chemistry-skills/

• Math Skills
  • Math Skills is offered in the fall, winter, spring and summer.
  • For more info:
    • https://umextended.ca/math-skills/
Biological Sciences Undergraduate Students Society (BUGS)

(BUGS) provides academic resources such as textbooks and old exams.

Contact by email bugs.uofm@gmail.com

111 Biological Sciences Building
Chemistry Resource Centre

• First-year instructors help students understand class or lab material. Located at 128 Parker Building.

• Chem Club: Student volunteers from the University of Manitoba Undergraduate Chemistry Society help students understand class or lab material. Located in 134 Parker Building. Tutoring is offered in 128 Parker Building.

• Email uofmchemclub@gmail.com
Additional Resources

• The Mathematics Help Centre provides free tutoring by graduate students. See the webpage for hours and other resources. Located in 412 Machray Hall  [https://server.math.umanitoba.ca/~help/](https://server.math.umanitoba.ca/~help/)

• The Physics Help Centre offers free tutoring for first and second year Physics courses provided by the Organization of Physics Undergraduate Students (OPUS). Located in 114 Allen Building. [https://opus-uofm.github.io/web/](https://opus-uofm.github.io/web/)

Applying for Bursaries

• Bursary money is available for students based on financial need and meeting the terms of the bursaries
• The University’s deadline for bursary applications is October 1st
• Bursary application is online on the Aurora Student System
• All information is available on the Financial Aids and Awards website:
  • [https://umanitoba.ca/student/fin_awards/](https://umanitoba.ca/student/fin_awards/)
Student Council

• IHP Student representation on the IHP Council.
• Provide critical feedback to help shape your academic environment and curriculum.

Events
• PARTIES AND EVENTS
  • TBA
• ACADEMIC ASSISTANCE
  • Book sale, advice from others who’ve already taken it!
• PROFESSIONAL CONTACTS
  • National ACHES conference in January, HEIB Network, Connections to people in your desired career position, MAHE
Career Services: What They Offer

• Career Planning
  • Plan My Career Path
  • The Career Planner
  • Research Occupations
  • Career Compass
  • Career Mentor Program
  • Parallel Planning
Career Services – Employment Resources

- Helping Students Find Employment
- Assisting Students Applying for Jobs
  - Resume Writing
  - Interview Skills and Preparation
- Gaining Volunteering Experience
- Career Fairs
- Co-operative Education and Internships
- Travel and Work Aboard
Career Services

Contact Information:
474 UMSU University Centre
Phone: 204 474-9456
Fax: 204 474-7516
cs.receptionist@umanitoba.ca
Using computer systems, software, and internet connections that do not meet these minimum requirements could impact your ability to participate in and complete your courses. Issues that result from using non-recommended systems cannot usually be remedied by the Service Desk.
Not recommended: Tablets / Phones (Android or iOS) or Chromebooks

Successful remote learning begins with meeting the minimum technology requirements. To obtain comprehensive details visit the link below:

Notifications

1. All campus offices are CLOSED until further notice due to Covid-19.

2. Departments can be reached by email or telephone until further notice (No In-person appointments)

3. A link to this Power Point presentation and the technology requirements for remote learning can be found on the IHP website
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QUESTIONS?