



WELCOME TO

SFU COUNSELLORS' DAY

October 23rd, 2019

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Event Agenda

9:00	Welcome
9:15	Recruitment Presentation
9:25-10:30	Scholarship and Admissions Presentation and Questions
10:35-11:15	Mini Information Fair and Nutrition Break
11:20-12:55	Faculty Breakout Sessions 4 @ 20 minutes each
1:00-2:00	Lunch
2:00	Goldcorp Campus Tour, Student Panel or Admission and Programs Q&A

Welcome to SFU Counsellors' Day

Rummana Khan Hemani

Vice-Provost, Students &
International *pro tem* and Registrar

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Rebecca Langmead

Student Recruitment Coordinator

Admission to SFU

Kathryn Verkerk

Associate Registrar, Student
Recruitment and Admissions

Mike Peragine

Director, Undergraduate Admissions

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- 1. Highlights of 2019 entrance scholarship program**
2. Review Fall 2020 admission requirements
3. Alternate admission pathways

SFU Undergraduate Scholars Entrance Scholarship Program

- Awarded 95 scholarships that ranged in value from \$10,000 up to an amount to cover tuition and fees
- Students from 47 high schools across Metro Vancouver received a scholarship

Changes to deadlines

- **Application deadline:** December 15, 2019
- **Document deadline:** January 31, 2020

Other Funding

Entrance Awards and Bursaries

- Application deadline AND document deadline:

April 30, 2020

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SFU Admission Principles

- Consistent with SFU values
- Tailored to faculties and programs
- Based on a comprehensive view of the student

Fall 2019 Debrief

- Admission applications by faculty
- English 70% requirement
- Admission exceptions

Fall 2020 Admission Requirements

1. All approved Grade 11 and 12 courses matter
 - All approved courses are listed online:
<https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/approved-courses.html>
2. Complete a **minimum of five** approved grade 12 courses
3. Focus on List A courses
4. Explore within List A and List B courses

Fall 2020 Admission Requirements

Applying to TWO programs

- Take the required courses for both programs
- **Use the Admissions Compass**
- Evaluated on your primary program first, then alternate
 - Pay attention to requirements of alternate program
 - Many students did not meet requirements for alternate program

Fall 2020 Admission Requirements

International Baccalaureate students

- Submit the IB Predicted Grades form
- 28-34 IB points required
- Certificate and Partial IB students may use IB courses in place of an approved List A and/or List B course
- IB courses with direct course equivalents will be used as such
- IB courses with subject area equivalents may be used as List A and/or List B, depending on program

Fall 2020 Admission Requirements

Advanced Placement courses

- AP courses may be in used in place of an approved Grade 12 List A and/or List B course
- AP courses with direct course equivalents will be used as such
- AP courses with subject area equivalents may be used as List A and/or List B, depending on program
- Equivalency table on website

Fall 2020 Admission Requirements

Self-Reporting Grades

All students (except Beedie, SEE, & Scholarship applicants) must self-report their grades by **March 15, 2020**

- Portal is open December 2nd
- Report final grade 11 and interim grade 12 marks
- Courses given external credit should be reported with a “**TS**” grade
- Grades for DL courses must be completed by January 31st

Fall 2020 Admission Requirements

Student Transcript Service

- Self-reported grades still required
- Interim data will start to be received mid-March 2020 and on going
- Schools submit student grade information directly to Ministry of Education early, and often

Fall 2020 Admission Evaluation

Timeline

1. Students self-report grades starting December 2nd, 2020
2. Admission decisions begin early January, 2020
3. Application deadline January 31, 2020
4. Grade information received from Student Transcript Service mid-March and ongoing
5. Accept deadline May 1st & June 1st

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Diverse Qualifications

More than just grades...

- Possible option for students who do not meet the competitive admission evaluation
- Must meet minimum university admission requirements
- Submit Personal Information Profile (PIP) and one reference letter
- Document deadline: June 1, 2020

www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/diverse-qualifications

Aboriginal Admission Policy

Applicants must normally meet minimum SFU admission requirements & provide supporting documents:

- Supplemental Aboriginal Undergraduate Admission form
- Documentation of Aboriginal heritage
- One reference letter
- Document deadline: June 1, 2020

www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/aboriginal-admission-policy

Alternate Routes to SFU

Partnership Programs

- Douglas College and Langara College

Fraser International College (FIC)

- International students
- Specific pathway programs to SFU after 1 or 2 years

BC College Transfer

- Minimum 24 transferable units required
- Specific courses required for some programs
- May transfer a maximum of 60 units
- Associate Degree holders – competitive admission average is 0.25 points lower

www.bctransferguide.ca

Deadlines

December 2nd

- Begin self-reporting grades

December 15th

- Deadline for the SFU Undergraduate Scholars Entrance Scholarship Program application

January 31st

- Receipt of all documents required for scholarship applicants
- Application for admission (all programs) closes
- Final grades for Distributed Learning (DL) courses

Deadlines cont...

Deadlines

February 7th

- Supplemental Application & Documents: Beedie School of Business & Sustainable Energy Engineering

March 15th

- Self-reported grades (except Beedie, SEE, & Scholarship applicants)

Mid-March & Ongoing

- Interim grade information received

May 1st & June 1st

- Accept offer of admission by paying the admission deposit

Upcoming Events

- **Undergraduate Information Sessions**
 - On-campus and online
 - Surrey, Vancouver, Burnaby campuses
 - Throughout fall and early winter
- **Surrey Program Fair**
 - Wednesday, November 27th
- **Campus Tours**

More information:

<http://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/campus-tours.html>

Thank You

Questions?

- Raise your hand, a team member will come to you with the microphone