Graduate Student Orientation
Friday, January 6, 2017
@ EEEL 161

Graduate Student Orientation provides information around key academic principles and policies. Attending this orientation day will give you the tips, contacts, and knowledge you need to succeed in your graduate program.

10:00am-10:30am  Check-in and GSA Prize Giveaway

Meet your Graduate Student Association (GSA) representatives, have the chance to win some GSA prizes, and get to know your fellow students.

10:30am-11:00am  Welcome to the University of Calgary

Learn about the Faculty of Graduate Studies (FGS) and the Graduate Students’ Association (GSA) at The University of Calgary.

Speakers: Dr. Dru Marshall, Provost; Dr. Lisa Young, Vice-Provost and Dean, Graduate Studies; Ms. Sam Hossack, President, Graduate Students’ Association

11:00am-11:45am  Answers to Your Urgent Questions: What I wish I’d known

In this practical panel discussion, you’ll hear from current students about their experience adjusting to grad school in Canada and will learn about resources available to help you succeed in your academics.

11:55am-12:40pm  Managing Your Supervisor

Working with a supervisor can be daunting. Learn how to manage the relationship, understand each other’s expectations and work together productively.

12:40pm-1:40 pm  Lunch

Take the opportunity over lunch to eat, get to know your fellow graduate students, and talk to representatives from your Graduate Students’ Association.

1:50pm-2:35pm  Fees & Funding

Learn how to find out about scholarship opportunities for thesis students (Master’s and PhD) and how to give yourself the best chance for success in your applications.

*Orientation presentation materials will be available at: grad.ucalgary.ca/graduate_student_orientation
Email grado@ucalgary.ca with questions you want answered at Graduate Student Orientation.

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