

Important Dates

Tuesday, September 3

First Year Orientation –
Faculty Session
10:15 – 11:45 a.m. in ED 193

Wednesday, September 4

First day of Classes for Fall Term

Thursday, September 5

MNP Information Booth

Friday, September 6

Coffee Party
10:00 a.m. in ED 562

Saturday, September 7

Teaching Workshop
9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. in ED 560

Saturday, September 7

Levene Student Orientation

Monday, September 9

KPMG Information Booth

Monday, September 9

Deloitte Information Booth

Thursday, September 12

URFA Presentation
12:00 – 1:00 in ED 514

Friday, September 13

Faculty Council Meeting
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon in
Ad Hum 527 (President's Boardroom)

Friday, September 13

EMBA Welcome Reception

Tuesday, September 17

APT & CUPE Staff Meeting
2:00 – 3:30 p.m. in ED 560

Friday, September 20

Teaching Workshop
11:30 – 12:30 in ED 558

Dean's Message

Welcome to September and a new fall term at the University of Regina! I hope that you all had a time to rest and rejuvenate. It will be a busy week as our hallways fill with students. As of today, there were 1513 students registered in the Paul J. Hill School of Business, which is an increase from last year! There are also a lot of new faces: 375 new students in the Hill School (thanks for the numbers Danette!). We are still working on the numbers for the Levene School and will report next week. We also have a few new faces in our staff; **Edwin Narzoles** in scheduling and **Craig Chia-Yu Liu** in the CMD. More information on Edwin and Craig is presented below. I would also like to note that this week **Dr. Eman Almehdawe** joins us as our new Assistant Professor in operations management. Eman comes from Kitchener, Ontario where she was a lecturer in management sciences at the University of Waterloo. Welcome to all our new students, staff and faculty! So, if you see anyone wandering the halls looking lost (that would include me) please make sure to ask if you can assist.

Welcome to the Faculty!

You will see a new face in the back office as of September 3. **Edwin Narzoles** will be responsible for scheduling courses and will act as the main contact person for sessionals, in addition to numerous other tasks. To begin with, Edwin will be working Tuesday to Friday, from 8:15 to 2:30. He has worked for the University for the past two years, and previous to that, he worked as the Program Coordinator in the Office of the College Registrar at De La Salle Lipa College in the Phillipines. Welcome Edwin! Welcome also to the new Student Consultant Manager at the CMD, **Craig Chia-Yu Liu**. Craig is from Taiwan and is a full-time MBA International student. He is very excited about the position and what he will be learning. Craig likes jogging, movies, original soundtracks, and jokes.

First Year Orientation – September 3

This year's Undergrad Student Orientation will be on:

Date: Tuesday, September 3

Time: 10:15 a.m. (please be assembled by 10:10 a.m. with your nametags on)

Place: ED 193

The session will be similar to previous years, where the Dean, staff and faculty members introduce themselves to the new crop of first year students. Faculty and staff are free to leave after this portion of the faculty session. Following introductions the **Business Students' Society** will take over.

Important Dates

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Friday, September 20

Hill Pinning Ceremony
2:30 – 4:00 p.m. at the Terrace
Building, #10 Research Drive

Friday, September 20

Annual BSS Golf Tournament

Friday, September 27

Leaders Council Meet & Greet

Friday, October 4

Coffee Party
10:00 – 10:30 a.m. in ED 562
Research Presentation
10:30 – 11:30 a.m. in ED 558

Friday, October 4

Levene Alumni Workshop

Thursday, October 10

APT & CUPE Staff Meeting
9:00 – 10:30 a.m. in ED 560

Monday, October 14

Thanksgiving – University Closed

Thursday, October 17

Hill Alumni Advisory Forum
7:15 a.m. Registration in ED 514;
7:30 – 8:30 a.m. Discussion

Friday, October 18

Faculty Planning Session
8:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., location tba

Saturday, October 19

Fall Convocation

Tuesday, October 22

CMA Information Booth
10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. on 6th Floor

Wednesday, October 23

Accounting Fellowship Banquet

Walk-Ins

This week's walk-in hours for
Faculty and Staff with **Dean
Andrew Gaudes** will be:

- Tues., Sept. 3 – 2:00 – 3:00
- Wed., Sept. 4 – 9:00 – 10:00
- Thurs., Sept. 5 – 9:00 – 10:00

Coffee Party – September 6

Our first Coffee Party of the Fall semester is scheduled for:

Date: Friday, September 6
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Place: ED 562

Be sure to take a break from the “back to school” grind and join your colleagues to swap summer holiday stories and share plans for the upcoming semester!

Saturday Teaching Workshop – Sept. 7

Our next weekend *Teaching Workshop* will be held Saturday, September 7 from 8:45 a.m. – 3:30 p.m. in ED 560. The workshop will include information and discussions regarding teaching experiences and worries, an introductory and an advanced session on UR Courses, an introduction to BUS 100, a discussion of online resources and teaching assistants, and a review of the Teaching Handbook.

Please RSVP to **Kelly-Ann McLeod** at 585-4435 by noon on September 4 if you would like to attend all or part of the day.

Levene Student Orientation Social

The Levene Graduate Student Association (LGSA) has organized a social gathering following the Levene Student Orientation on Saturday, September 7. Faculty members are invited to join both new and old graduate students at the Broken Rack that day between 3:30 to 6:30 p.m. for networking, pool and snacks.

Please RSVP to **Stacey Gropp** by September 4 if you plan to attend.

URFA Presentation – September 12

On September 12, URFA Chair **Sylvain Rheault** and Executive Director **Bettyann Cox** will be introducing themselves to the faculty and talking about what's in store for the year ahead. All Faculty members and APT staff are encouraged to attend. Join Sylvain and Bettyann in ED 514 on Thursday, September 12 from 12:00 noon to 1:00 p.m. Thank you to **Andrew Stevens** for arranging this presentation!

Teaching Workshop – September 20

Our first Teaching Workshop of the year is scheduled for:

Date: Friday, September 20
Time: 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.
Place: ED 558

This will be taking a “Lunch & Learn” format, so if you plan to attend you must RSVP to **Kelly-Ann McLeod** by noon on Tuesday, September 17 to ensure there is enough food for those in attendance.

13th Annual Hill Classic Golf Tourney

The BSS is hosting the 13th Annual Hill Classic Golf Tournament on Friday, September 20th at the Deer Valley Golf Course. It will be a shot gun start at 1:00 p.m. The cost is \$340.00 per team of two. This event gives students the opportunity to interact with members of the business community as well as their professors. Contact Mitch at m.clarke@urinvesting.ca to register.