

## Important Dates

### Wednesday, February 15

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

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Leaders Council Student  
Recognition Event  
4:30 – 6:30 p.m. at the Terrace  
Building, #10 Research Drive

### Monday, February 20

Family Day – University Closed

### Tuesday, February 28

SK DEP III Application Deadline

### Friday, March 3

Faculty Council  
10:00 – 12:00 in Ad Hum 527

### Monday, March 6

MNP Hallway visit  
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.  
Education Building, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor

### Tuesday, March 7

MNP Hallway visit  
7:30 a.m. – 4:40 p.m.  
Education Building, 6<sup>th</sup> Floor

### Friday, March 10

Coffee Party  
9:30 – 10:00 a.m. in ED 562

### Friday, March 10

Research Presentation by  
Sandeep Mishra  
12:00noon – 1:00pm in ED 560

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Levene Information Session

## Dean's Message

One of three priorities in the University of Regina's Strategic Plan is student success. We are a university that prepares our students to engage, achieve, experience personal growth, academic success, and career readiness. Our Faculty's own strategic plan aligns with the University's, having student enrichment as a priority. Over the year, our students have volunteered thousands of hours and given tens of thousands of dollars in support of the Regina community, and they have been recognized through many awards and titles along the way. This Wednesday, February 15, between 4:30 and 6:30, our Leaders Council will be hosting an event at the Terrace Building, sponsored by seven local organizations, to celebrate the success of our Hill and Levene students. Student groups such as the Hill BSS, JDC West and ICBC teams, Enactus Regina, UR Investing, the Hill HR Club, and the Levene Graduate Students Association will be in attendance, and recognized for their achievements throughout the year. I encourage all staff and faculty to join President Timmons, members of Leaders Council, and your fellow colleagues in proudly acknowledging the effort of our very own students. We will also recognize retiring Regina Leader-Post business journalist Bruce Johnstone, for his many years of service reporting on Regina's business news. We have all contributed in some way to the strategic priority of our students' success, so I hope you are able to take a moment to gather together and enjoy the positive impact you have made on their lives. Please ensure you RSVP **Kelly-Ann McLeod** today.

## Recruiting Update

The Search Committee has shortlisted three candidates for the two tenure-track positions in the area of Organizational Behaviour/Human Resources Management. Please save the date in your calendar for February 28 and March 1 for two of the campus visits. The date for the third visit is still being finalized.

Additional details will be sent around shortly.

## Graduate Case Competition

**Alan Dedman, Kirandeep Kaur, Khaleel Soomro, and Amir Zafar** represented the Levene School at the East Meets West Case Competition at Ivey in London, Ontario February 2 -4<sup>th</sup>.

The first day of the competition was a day of composite teams formed from students from different schools. The second day was for homogeneous teams and was considered the primary competition.

Though the team didn't place in the main competition, each of the two winning teams from the first day of competition included a Levene student – congratulations to Alan Dedman and Khaleel Soomro

Thank you to **Bill Bonner** who was the team's coach. Thanks also to **Bruce Anderson, Chris Street, Paul Sinclair, Gina Grandy and Shelagh Campbell** who volunteered their time and expertise to help the students prepare.

## Important Dates

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**Sun. March 19 – Fri. March 24**  
Hill BSS 5 Days for the Homeless

**Friday, March 31**  
Research Presentation  
12:00noon – 1:00pm in ED 560

**Friday, March 31**  
Hill BSS Keg-a-Rama event

**Friday, April 7**  
Coffee Party  
9:30 – 10:00 a.m. in ED 562

**Friday, April 7**  
Teaching Workshop  
11:00am–12:00 noon, location tba

## Walk Ins

This week's walk-in hour for faculty and staff with **Dean Andrew Gaudes** will be:

- Mon. Feb. 13 fr 11:00 – 12:00
- Tues. Feb. 14 fr 10:00 – 11:00
- Thurs. Feb. 16 fr 9:00 – 10:00
- Fri. Feb. 17 fr 1:00 – 2:00

## Save the Date - Levene Dinner

The annual Levene Dinner is scheduled to take place on Tuesday, May 2. Please "save the date" in your calendars to attend. **Brett Wilson**, will be the keynote speaker for the evening. Additional details including time, location and how to purchase tickets will be provided closer to the event.

## Room Challenges

Please contact Janeen, Maria or Edwin if you encounter minor problems with classrooms or your office, such as temperature control issues, leaking roofs, ripped carpets, lighting problems, etc. They are able to submit requests for assistance to Work Control.

## Hill-Ivey Case

A new Hill-Ivey case has been published:

*Transcanada's Energy East Pipeline: Managing Aboriginal Relations in the Energy Sector* by **Bruce Anderson**, Guy Holburn and Andre Wilkie (February 2017 - PB17M009)

This brings us up to 25 published Hill-Ivey cases.

## Dean's Research Grants

Congratulations to the following Faculty members who were recipients of Dean's Research Grants in Winter 2017:

- **Andrew Stevens** for his project "Saskatchewan in the Migrant Division of Labour: Perspectives from the Construction Industry"
- **Shelagh Campbell** for her project "Extending Analysis of Occupational Community Across Cultures: The Accounting Profession in China"

## New BSS Executive

The Hill Business Students Society held elections for the 2017/2018 Executive team. Congratulations to the new council members:

- **Mason Fedec** – President
- **Delanie Wall** – VP Academic
- **Owen Kot** – VP Corporate Relations
- **Brooklyn Fitzpatrick** – VP Finance
- **Alexa LaPlante** – VP Marketing
- **Jade Kerr** – VP Social
- **Christie Duran** – VP Student Affairs

## Welcome!

Welcome to our two new Leaders Council members:

- **Karen Birss** - District Vice President of Scotiabank
- **Thomas Benjoe** - President & CEO of FHQ Developments

This brings us up to 58 LC members. A full list of members can be found on our website: <https://www.uregina.ca/business/leaders-council/member-list.html> Many of our LC members have indicated an interest in speaking in classes – if you are needing to line up a speaker for one of your classes, please get in touch with **Kelly-Ann McLeod** who can assist with introductions.

## Executive of Council Reps Needed

Please consider letting your name stand as one of the **five** representatives from the Hill and Levene Schools of Business to Executive of Council. See the email you received on February 3, 2017 from D'arcy Schauerte for more information (or see David Senkow if you ignored or already deleted it). It's important that we are well represented on this important University governing body.

There are also several opportunities to serve the University on Council Committees. See the email you received on February 6, 2017 from D'arcy Schauerte for more information (or see David Senkow).

The deadline to let **David Senkow** know you would like to let your name stand for either of the above opportunities is February 27.