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Undergrad Office News

Important Dates

- May 9
 Summer 2022 term begins
 May 12
 Winter grades posted to transcripts
 May 13
 Last day to add/drop Summer 2022 (May-July) courses
 May 16
 Plan selection period begins
 May 20
 Last day to drop summer 2022 (May-July) course without financial penalty
- May 20-23 University Closed

Taking a Summer Course?

If you're on campus this month or participating in university activities, Queen's will be maintaining current mask requirements until the end of May. Check the <u>Safe Return website</u> for updates.

Summer Writing and Learning Support

<u>Student Academic Success Services</u> (SASS) is offering one-on-one writing and academic skills appointments and delivering workshops all summer, in-person and online Do you require academic accommodations due to functional impacts related to a disability? Register with Queen's Student Accessibility Services

Need Academic Consideration?

If something comes up unexpectedly outside of your control and it's affecting your academics, including COVID-19, find out what steps to take if you need <u>academic consideration for</u> <u>extenuating circumstances</u>

Need help navigating the process? Email supportservices@queensu.ca

Deferred Exam information

Deferred exams are scheduled to take place **May 12 - 20, 2022**. Please note that all deferred exams are to be written in the format they were originally scheduled in. For example, if a student's original exam was scheduled to be in person, they must write their deferred exam in person. If a student's original exam was scheduled to take place online, they must write their deferred exam online.

The Faculty Office does not approve requests to switch exam formats from in-person to online or vice versa. Students who cannot write in-person exams during the deferred exam period due to extenuating circumstances can submit an academic consideration request through our online <u>Academic Consideration</u> <u>Request Portal</u>. For more information regarding academic consideration, please visit the <u>Academic Consideration</u> <u>Consideration Webpage</u>.

Congratulations on completing the year! Take some time to take care of yourself.

End of term and exams can be a stressful time. Take care of yourself and reach out for mental health support if you need it, free resources including 24/7 services like Empower Me and Good2Talk.

Make your mental health a priority. Have a safe and restful beginning to your summer!



Graduating? Congratulations!

Celebrate your accomplishments and get prepared for your next steps with the <u>QYourFuture</u>.

<u>Check your SOLUS account and review Step 4</u> to determine whether your application to graduate has been approved.

We are currently planning in-person convocation ceremonies, June 20–24, at the Leon's Centre, subject to public health guidelines. Check the <u>Office of the University Registrar's website</u> for updates.

Are you a graduating Indigenous student? <u>Fill out this form</u> to receive a gift of recognition along with your diploma!

Make sure to keep in touch with the Economics Department! We would love to hear what you will be doing after graduation!



Deadline extended - Bank of Canada Undergraduate Student Paper Awards



The submission deadline for the **2022 Bank of Canada - CEA Undergraduate Paper Award** has been extended to **May 6, 2022 23:59 EST**. Students selected for participation will be notified by May 20, 2022. This is an excellent opportunity. Don't delay on submitting your work.

Details regarding the award can be found on the CEA

website: https://www.economics.ca/cpages/undergraduate-poster-sessions-award-bank-of-canada-cea

Free Opportunity: The Global Undergraduate Awards | Deadline May 27



What is The Global Undergraduate Awards?

The <u>Global Undergraduate Awards</u> (UA) is the world's leading academic awards programme which recognises top undergraduate coursework, shares this work with a global audience, and connects students across cultures and disciplines. Students submit their work for free online and it is judged by a panel of international judges, consisting of leading academic experts and industry leaders.

Why should you submit to The Global Undergraduate Awards?

- 1. Earn international recognition for academic coursework that you have already completed.
 - 2. Win a **FREE** trip to Dublin to attend the UA Global Summit.
 - 3. Have your work published in The Undergraduate Library.
 - 4. Network with undergraduates and academics from around the world.
 - 5. Receive access to the exclusive UA Alumni Portal.

How do I apply?

Submitting is free, quick, and simple! Just follow <u>these steps</u> to #AwardYourWork. Don't forget to check if your paper meets our submission criteria before submitting, otherwise your work may be disqualified!

Not ready to submit yet?

No worries, you can still register to reserve your place in the competition.

If you have any queries relating to The Global Undergraduate Awards 2022 Programme, please contact us at <u>info@undergraduateawards.com</u>.



May 1 – 7, 2022

Safety and Health Week is an opportunity for employers, employees, and partners to focus on the importance of preventing injury and illness in the workplace, at home, and in the community.

Through the week of May 2 – 7th, increase your awareness of Health and Safety at Queen's. Whether you are on campus, off-campus, working or studying, take a few minutes to look through our website or any of the resources below. Take an opportunity to learn what you can do to help keep yourself and others safe.

Everyone has a role in the prevention of injuries.

Additional health and safety information is available at: <u>Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety</u> <u>Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development</u> <u>Public Services Health and Safety Association</u> <u>OHS Canada Magazine</u> <u>Threads of Life</u>

Completing a BAH (ECON/APEC/Medial) degree and planning to graduate in 2023?

Have you currently completed ECON 310, 320 and/or 351? To graduate, you will need to complete a seminar. Please visit and fill out a <u>seminar interest application form</u> **before May 31**st.

To be eligible for a seminar, you will require a 2.6 ECON GPA in the top 30 units of ECON. Assessments will be communicated and if you are eligible for a seminar, seminar syllabi and selection form will be available in June.

Still have questions? Email: <u>econugrd@queensu.ca</u>

Unclear of your degree requirements?

Academic Requirements Reports | Queen's University Arts & Science

Understand and interpret your Academic Requirements Report (ARR), available through SOLUS. The Academic Requirements Report is designed to give you advice on what courses you will need to take to complete your degree, as well as warn you if you have broken any of the various rules that govern which courses may be used in a particular degree program.

Still have questions? Contact: <u>econugrd@queensu.ca</u> and please make sure to include your student number in all correspondence.

University information

COVID-19 information - Stay up to date - Check out the Student Wellness Services' Updates page.

Help Support a Harassment and Discrimination-Free Campus

Learn about the university's <u>Harassment and Discrimination Policy's</u> complaint and reporting procedures, including <u>how to complete an anonymous submission</u>, how to help a friend, and <u>student-focused education</u> <u>and training opportunities</u>.

Sexual Violence Prevention & Response

The <u>Sexual Violence Prevention and Response Service (SVPRS)</u> is the central point of contact for students impacted by sexual violence and for prevention initiatives.

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