

EXPLORE UCALGARY

Campus Walking Tour



UNIVERSITY OF
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Walking Tour Guide



1. Taylor Institute for Teaching and Learning (TI)

This state-of-the-art centre focuses on making the teaching at UCalgary as good as it can be. It also provides students unique opportunities to gain research, professional development and work experience.



2. MacEwan Student Centre (MSC) & MacEwan Hall (MH)

This is the hub of social activity on campus and the home of many student services, including the SU Wellness Centre, the Native Centre, Career Services, the Bookstore and much more. And if you're hungry, there's sure to be something you'll enjoy at the 20+ food outlets and restaurants.

MacEwan Hall, known as Mac Hall to most, is one of Calgary's premier concert venues and is located adjacent to MSC.



3. Kinesiology B (KNB)

Swim, climb, run, shoot hoops and much more with UCalgary's athletic facilities. And when you're ready to get outside, visit the Outdoor Centre for all your equipment needs. With more than 10,000 items for rent, it's the largest facility of its kind in North America.



4. The Olympic Oval (OO)

Home to the fastest ice in the world, the Olympic Oval was built for the 1988 Winter Olympic Games. Many top Canadian and international athletes train and compete in this world-class facility. You can catch a speed skating competition, play hockey, or just go for a leisurely skate or run.



5. Residence Buildings

From shared dorm-style rooms to townhomes for students with families, we offer numerous housing options. Book a campus tour to check out our residences for yourself. We offer a two-year residence guarantee for first-year students.



6. The Rock!

As you tour campus, you'll find three rocks, once part of one rock unearthed during construction of campus in the 1970s. It was split into three in a failed attempt by a rival school to steal it using explosives. These rocks are now used for artistic expression, voicing opinions and advertising events.



7. Dining Centre (DC)

Conveniently near student residences, the Dining Centre provides a wide variety of healthy and delicious meals. It's open to the public, so feel free to try the food for yourself.



8. Hotel Alma

If you, your family or friends need a place to stay, Hotel Alma offers contemporary style, welcoming service, and great food — right in the middle of campus and only 10 minutes from downtown Calgary.



9. Taylor Family Quad

With its central location, it's no wonder the Taylor Family Quad has become the heart of campus. It looks like a typical green space, but its water feature is actually a green-building initiative that doubles as a stormwater-management pond.



10. Taylor Family Digital Library (TFDL) & the Nickle Galleries

The TFDL is one of North America's most technology- and information-rich facilities. Some of the building's highlights include a state-of-the-art visualization studio, specialized research areas, the Makerspace, and Canada's largest gaming collection.



The Nickle Galleries, found near the main entrance of the TFDL, highlights the best of contemporary art in western Canada, as well as intriguing art and artifacts from the Nickle and the library's extensive collections. Explore its exhibitions free of charge.



11. The Atrium

This indoor space in the Administration Building can feel like a tropical getaway. The modern furniture, natural light and an array of greenery make it a peaceful space to study or relax.



12. Energy, Environment, Experiential Learning (EEEL)

Created around the concept of "science on display," EEEL's open design encourages curiosity and helps students learn. EEEL is also one of the most energy-efficient laboratory buildings in North America, and is renowned for its pioneering architecture, innovative instructional and study spaces, and platinum-level LEED certification.

★ Enrolment Services: Questions about programs or applying to UCalgary? Visit Enrolment Services in MacKimmie Block (1st floor).

Building Legend

AD - Administration
AB - Art Building
AU - Aurora Hall
BI - Biological Sciences
CCIT - Calgary Centre for Innovative Technology
CD - Cascade Hall
CH - Craigie Hall C - G (University Theatre)
CR - Crownsnest Hall
DC - Dining Centre
EDC - Education Classroom Block
EDT - Education Tower
EEEL - Energy, Environment, Experiential Learning

EN - Schulich School of Engineering A - G
ES - Earth Science
GL - Glacier Hall
ICT - Information & Communications Technologies
KA - Kananaskis Hall
KNA - Kinesiology A
KNB - Kinesiology B (Jack Simpson Gym)
MB - MacKimmie Block
MFH - Murray Fraser Hall
MT - MacKimmie Tower
MS - Math Science
MSC - MacEwan Student Centre

OL - Olympus Hall
PF - Professional Faculties
RC - Rozsa Centre
RT - Reeve Theatre
RU - Rundle Hall
SA - Science A Building
SB - Science B Building
SH - Scurfield Hall
SS - Social Science
ST - Science Theatres
TFDL - Taylor Family Digital Library
YA - Yamnuska Hall

Academic buildings

Students become familiar with nearly every building because classes are held all over campus, rather than in faculty-specific locations. However, you can find faculty-specific undergraduate offices in the following buildings:

Arts: Social Science (SS)

Business: Scurfield Hall (SH)

Education: Education Tower (EDT)

Engineering: Schulich School of Engineering (EN)

Kinesiology: Kinesiology B (KNB)

Law: Professional Faculties (PF)

Medicine: Health Sciences Centre (Foothills campus)

Nursing: Professional Faculties (PF)

Science: Energy, Environment, Experiential Learning (EEEL)

Social Work: Professional Faculties (PF)

Veterinary Medicine: Teaching Research & Wellness (Foothills campus)

The University of Calgary is a comprehensive academic and research institution that inspires and supports discovery, creativity and innovation across all of our disciplines.

Studying here will give you access to expert researchers and faculty members, state-of-the-art laboratories and classroom technology, and exceptional teaching and learning resources. And the best part is that you can do all of this in one of the most vibrant, dynamic and culturally diverse cities in the world. With more than 200 programs to choose from, you'll have plenty of exciting options to explore.



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We acknowledge the traditional territories of the people of the Treaty 7 region in Southern Alberta, which includes the Siksika, the Piikuni, the Kainai, the Tsuu T'ina and the Stoney Nakoda First Nations. The University of Calgary is situated on land adjacent to where the Bow River meets the Elbow River. The traditional Blackfoot name of this place is "Mohkinstsis," which we now call the City of Calgary. The City of Calgary is also home to the Métis Nation of Alberta, Region III.