

Guide to Education 2018



St. Peter's College: Live Your Education

An imposing structure rising above the aspens and evergreens that line Highway 5 in central Saskatchewan, Michael Hall is the flagship of St. Peter's College. The building inspires awe and curiosity to those travelling through the area. Long time residents of the region are familiar with St. Peter's historical and cultural significance. For more distant travellers who venture off the highway, they are delighted to find both stunning architecture on a picturesque campus and a modern, vibrant university college preparing students for their academic and professional futures. These visitors soon come to understand St. Peter's watchwords: Live Your Education!

The most common question is "What does St. Peter's College offer?" The short answer is "Lots!" As a long time affiliate of the University of Saskatchewan, St. Peter's College has evolved from a one-time boarding high school to technologically state of the art full service campus. As for the programs, St. Peter's is proud to offer complete first year programming for all direct entry University of Saskatchewan colleges. That means the Colleges of Agriculture and Bioreources, Kinesiology, Arts and Science, Engineering, and the Edward School of Business are all at St. Peter's College. Our newest addition, direct entry College of Education, presents prospective teachers with a unique opportunity. Thanks to the cooperation of area school divisions, St. Peter's Education students in their first year will be involved in a mini-internship in rural

schools. This is a wonderful chance for schools to gain enthusiastic pre-professional supports and for soon to be teachers to gain valuable insights into their chosen profession.

With the Benedictine traditions upon which the College was founded very much intact, visitors to St. Peter's will discover what locals know - that the College and Abbey are the heart of a vibrant community. The sports complex buzzes throughout the year with hockey in the rink, and soc-

cer, basketball, volleyball, and many other sports in the spacious gymnasium. The well equipped fitness centre and modern racquetball court ensure that students have plenty of ways to exercise their bodies as well as their minds and spirits. Finally, the fully furnished and renovated residence wing, complete with full food service, means that students can beat the winter blues by having all the amenities under one roof.

St. Peter's College, on the outskirts of the growing

city of Humboldt, Saskatchewan, invites friends new and old to visit its historic

campus and experience firsthand the many natural wonders of the region. It's truly

a place where we invite our students to "Live Your Education!"



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Great Plains College

Great Plains College is committed to being a leader in post-secondary and labour market development in Saskatchewan. Over the past number of years, the college strives to become a responsive, innovative and results-oriented institution committed to meeting the needs of learners, employers and communities in Saskatchewan.

Great Plains College offers post-secondary certificate, diploma, degree and graduate degree programs, as well as university, safety training, Adult Basic Education and English language training at its six locations across western Saskatchewan (Biggar, Kindersley, Maple Creek, Rosetown, Swift Current, Warman). Programs include:

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- Practical Nursing
- Pre-12 & GED®
- Safety Training
- Social Work
- Youth Care Worker
- Welding
- University

Great Plains College is also proud to offer one of the most competitive scholarship programs among regional colleges. For the 2018-19 academic year, you are automatically considered for an Entrance Scholarship of \$500-\$5,000 when you apply to a full-time student loan-eligible program before the scholarship deadline (April 30 for September entry, or October 31 for late fall or winter entry). Grade 11 students applying to a full-time student loan-eligible program are also considered for an additional Early Entrance Award of \$1,000. More information about Great Plains College, programs and scholarships can be found at greatplainscollege.ca.

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From first-year university to health care and the trades Southeast College offers a wide range of options

First-year U of R classes being offered at Southeast College

Southeast College is now offering students a chance to take first-year University of Regina courses at their local Southeast College campuses and students are taking advantage of these classes for a number of reasons.

Moosomin's Shelby McGonigal took English and Sociology classes through the U of R at the Southeast College campus in Moosomin last fall. McGonigal planned to go to hair school next year as a back up trade before pursuing a degree in either business or social work. She said she wouldn't be taking university courses at all if they hadn't been offered locally.

"I'm going to hair school next year and it's really expensive, so I decided I'd save my money for hair school and then I don't have to pay rent this year," she says. "I want to get a degree in business or social work."

The university classes at Southeast College are being taught via Skype, with one professor teaching a class to all of the Southeast College campus locations, and students tuning in from each location. Some of the courses are also offered online.

McGonigal said she was enjoying the small classes. "In my one class there's only two of us and in the other one there is only four," she says. "It's easier to ask a direct question to a classmate without having people talk. We watch it over Skype. If we have a question we can just turn on the microphone and ask the teacher because their classes are also small. The prof is in Weyburn."

McGonigal says there are also significant cost savings to taking her first year at home.

"It's way cheaper than going away. There's less expense and the classes aren't as expensive online. It's just a way cheaper route if you're wanting to go on to further schooling."

"I would recommend taking your first year here if you can because you save a lot of money and it's just a chance that not a lot of people would get, but if you have it in your community why not benefit from it?"

Kelly Brown, who lives near Whitewood, says having first year U of R classes available in Moosomin means she has an opportunity to further her career that she would otherwise not have.

"I'm currently a licensed practical nurse so now I'm working towards my Bachelors degree in nursing to be an RN," she says.

"I have a three-year-old at home and I just had a baby four months ago, so not having to move to the city and being able to stay at home and have family support makes this way more possible for me right now."

Brown says there is no way she could take university courses if they weren't offered locally. "I don't think I could make it work. I couldn't move to Regina with a newborn," she says. "I don't know how I could do it if I didn't have these classes in Moosomin."

Brown doesn't hesitate when asked what she'd tell others about taking the university classes at Southeast College. "Do it," she says. "Because the first year will save you a whole year in whatever city you are going to. You can still work. You can still live with mom and dad if you are just out of high school. You can save up more money. It would probably save you around \$10,000 doing it in Moosomin rather than going to Regina. Do it."

Tyson Nobert from Rocanville is taking first year classes at Southeast College with the aim of getting his Bachelor degree in Business Administration.

Why take his first year at home?

"I live in Rocanville. It's nice and convenient. And it was cheaper. It saves a



From left, Tyson Nobert, Thunderbird Bowering, Shelby McGonigal, and Kelly Brown taking a University of Regina class via Skype at the Southeast College campus in Moosomin.

lot of money. I did the math. It was about \$10,000 by the time you figure in food, living costs, gas or transportation costs, just the standard living stuff, it's expensive," he says.

Nobert says nothing should stop you from taking first year university courses this way.

"Don't hesitate, do it," he says. "It's a great program, you get your first year, it's great to have education reach out this far east in Saskatchewan. It's just great all the way around. I can't say enough good things, and I really have nothing bad to say about it."

About Southeast College and its programs

Southeast College has campuses located in Moosomin, Estevan, Weyburn, Assiniboia and Indian Head, Saskatchewan. It also has a learning centre located in Whitewood.

The college serves a region of more than 70 communities spread throughout 20,000 square kilometres. Through partnerships with post-secondary institutions, the college delivers a variety of career, vocational, and academic programs to meet the economic demands of southeastern Saskatchewan.

The college offers numerous business, safety, and industrial programs and courses required to meet the diverse and challenging workplace skill sets of Saskatchewan's economy.

"In the fall of 2018 we will be running our Continuing Care Assistant full-time program out of Whitewood," says Sheena Onrait, manager of Marketing and Communications with Southeast College. "This a long running program that continues to be very popular in this area."

"We will also be running the Electrician Applied Certificate program out of the Moosomin campus."

Onrait says there are some major benefits to taking classes at Southeast College.

"I honestly think the smaller class sizes are key. We have more one-on-one instructor time and there's a strong relationship built with their peers and with their instructors and you just can't get that in larger centres."

"We have enhanced student support. There's a student advisor at each main campus, and those student advisors are actively involved in the students' success and in the support of the student on an ongoing basis."

"Our scholarships are amazing. There are a significant amount of scholarship dollars that are available to all of our students that they can access."

"Across the region, we also host annual tournaments in Estevan and Weyburn. We will be looking to engage local businesses and community members for this initiative. As well, we would encourage any other business or community partner that is interested in finding out more about our scholarship program to contact our local campus," she says.

Onrait says there are a number of ways to connect with Southeast College in order to find out more about the wide range of courses they offer.

"The best way for a student to find out more information about all of our programs," she says, "is to visit our website at southeastcollege.org, to visit any one of our campus locations, or to call our toll free registration line at 1-866-999-7372."

Onrait says the college has a brand new, interactive website and students can now register and pay for all full-time, part-time and safety courses online.

Post secondary open house coming up in March

Southeast College will be holding a Post Secondary Open House at the Moosomin Campus the first week of March (exact date is still being determined). Students will be able to get information and register for First Year University of Regina classes and all of the college's full time programs as well.

"This is the first time we have held an open house event in Moosomin and we are expecting a lot of interest," says Onrait. "The Moosomin area support has played a huge part in the success of our first year offering U of R classes again."

2018-2019 FULL-TIME PROGRAMS

PROGRAM	LOCATION(S)
4th Class Power Engineering	Estevan, Coronah/Poplar River Power Station
3rd Class Power Engineering	Estevan
Continuing Care Assistant	Weyburn, Whitewood
Hairstylist	Weyburn
Electrician	Estevan, Moosomin
Heavy Equipment and Truck and Transport Technician	Estevan
Welding	Estevan
Industrial Mechanic	Estevan
Office Administration	Estevan
Business Administration Certificate	Weyburn, Kahkewistahaw First Nation
Practical Nursing	Weyburn

Registrations accepted starting February 1, 2018.
 Apply by June 30, 2018 to be eligible for a Southeast College Entrance Award.
(*Some locations subject to change)

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Open house showcases many options at Parkland College



A student at Parkland College.

Parkland College in Yorkton will welcome the public on Feb. 8 for an open house. It's an opportunity for learners to find out about the dozens of programs they can start or complete close to home. "Whether you're interested in a university degree, skills training certificates and diplo-

mas, or the trades, we have something for you," said Jenna Niebergall, Student Recruitment Officer at Parkland College. "Our open house is a chance for you to talk to current students, meet some of our instructors, and check out our classrooms and training areas." Welcome briefings

are scheduled every 30 minutes with sessions of your choice to follow, including admission clinics for prospective learners who haven't yet applied for classes starting in the fall. The open house takes place Thursday, Feb. 8 from 3:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Parkland College's Main Campus in Yorkton (200 Prystai Way) and at the Trades & Technology Centre (273 Dracup Ave. N). Register today at <http://bit.ly/ParklandOpenHouse> to confirm your attendance. Once you're registered, you will be sent a detailed agenda with a complete event schedule to get the most out of your experience. Regardless of the program you choose, a major advantage of going to Parkland College is the small average class size. You can have more one-on-one time with your instructors and closer relationships with your peers - advantages which can help you excel in your studies and get a leg up in the job market or at competitive entry colleges, such

as Pharmacy and Nutrition, Medicine, and Engineering. Parkland College also has close connections with industry in the region and across the province. Many of these partnerships are with companies who are looking to hire qualified, skilled graduates.

They lead to great opportunities for students in terms of work placements, internships, and jobs. And to help you along the way, the College's scholarship program awards over \$100,000 to students each academic year. Students taking a full-time post-secondary program at Parkland College in the fall of 2018 may apply for Entrance Scholarships from March to May. More information will be made available at scholarships.parklandcollege.sk.ca. Parkland College - Your College, Your Future. Visit parklandcollege.sk.ca, call toll-free 1-866-783-6766, or follow @CollegeofChoice on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram.



Featured Programs for Fall 2018

Program	Dates	Length	Location	Tuition (Approx)	Credential
Agricultural Equipment Technician	Aug - May	36 weeks	Yorkton	\$7,000	Certificate
Bachelor of Indigenous Education	Sept - April	4 years	Yorkton, Ft. Qu'Appelle	varies	Degree
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	Sept - April	4 years	Yorkton	varies	Degree
Bachelor of Social Work	Sept - April	4 years	Yorkton	varies	Degree
Business Certificate	Aug - April	32 weeks	Yorkton, Ft. Qu'Appelle	\$3,900	Certificate
Continuing Care Assistant	Sept - May	32 weeks	Yorkton	\$5,025	Certificate
Electrician	April - Aug	17 weeks	Yorkton	\$3,000	Certificate
Firefighter	Aug - Oct	14 weeks	Melville	\$10,000	Certificate
Heavy Equipment, Truck & Transport Technician	Aug - May	36 weeks	Yorkton	\$6,450	Certificate
Office Administration	Aug - April	32 weeks	Yorkton, Ft. Qu'Appelle	\$4,200	Certificate
Power Engineering - Third Class	Aug - Jan	20 weeks	Yorkton	\$3,200	Certificate
Power Engineering - Fourth Class	Sept - May	32 weeks	Yorkton	\$5,925	Certificate
Practical Nursing	Feb 2019	2 years	Yorkton	\$12,000	Diploma
Primary Care Paramedic	Sept - June	41 weeks	Melville	\$6,015	Certificate
Welding	Sept - May	35 weeks	Yorkton	\$6,500	Certificate
University - first year	varies	varies	Yorkton	varies	Credits

By the time you apply, the information provided here may change. Please visit our website for the latest details. Apply online or download an application form at apply.parklandcollege.sk.ca.



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École de Bellegarde

École de Bellegarde is a small and remarkable school in the southeast corner of the province. We offer a complete education from preschool three years old to grade 12. French is the language of instruction, except for English classes which start in grade 4, and which also follow the same curriculum taught in anglophone schools throughout the province. This makes us the only school in our region where students will graduate genuinely bilingual and evenly competent in both languages. Our classrooms are smaller. Students receive plenty of attention in a safe and friendly environment - it is almost an extension of your child's home!



École de Bellegarde.

École de Bellegarde is proud of its students and the professional staff surrounding them. Together they participate in numerous sports and other activities at a local and provincial level such as volleyball, badminton, track and field, and floor hockey, to name a few. Students also participate at community events such as dinner-theater, Christmas concert and a few more along the way. Most importantly our staff makes sure that all students achieve visible learning. Inspired by our continuous-improvement plan, we put strong emphasis on literacy in the early years to make sure we exceed government expectations set at 80 per cent. We are proud of our graduation rate of 100% since the new millennium. We put everything in place to help our students succeed.

We also incorporate a STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) approach to our school curriculum. This includes our makerspace which has two 3D printers, Arduinos, Little Bits, tools, Makey Makey and more. The Maker Movement is just one of the features of our school that makes us stand out as a unique and viable school. Our students participate in activities and programs that ensure they get a well-rounded education throughout all of their years in our school - an education that will prepare

them for the 21st century!

You want the best for your child? You would like them to have an easier time learning a third or fourth language? You want them to have a better understanding of other cultures or have an easier time multitasking? Bilingualism is the answer! We are ready to help your child become the best they can be.

Come check out our school located in Bellegarde, South East Saskatchewan! You may obtain more information about our school and the admissions criteria by visiting our website at <http://debellegarde.ecolefrancophone.com>. Please contact our school principal by email at mfenouail@cefsk.ca if you have any questions. Visit our Facebook page so stay abreast of our school's activities.

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- Des activités sportives et culturelles diversifiées
- Ratio élèves/enseignants peu élevé
- Choix d'éducation chrétienne ou moral
- Intégration de technologies en classe (codage, robotique, tableau interactif, arduinos)
- Arts appliqués (mécanique, technologie, couture, cuisine, recyclage etc.)
- Projets culturels avec la communauté locale

Services offered at École de Bellegarde include:

- Public School
- Part-time preschool for 3 yr. olds
- Full-time preschool for 4 yr. olds and kindergarten students
- A quality educational program
- A sports and cultural program
- Attractive pupil/teacher ratio
- Choice of Christian or Moral Education
- Technology in the classroom (Coding, Robotics, SmartBoard, Arduinos)
- Applied Arts Program (mechanics, technology, sewing, cooking, recycling etc...)
- Cultural projects integrated in our local community

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Becoming a student at the University of Saskatchewan College of Nursing



Undergraduate nursing student Jennifer McGillivray

Becoming a nurse is an opportunity to change the world. Nursing is a highly respected health care profession with deep roots and long traditions, similar to the University of Saskatchewan's (U of S) College of Nursing. Offering both undergraduate and graduate programs, the U of S has been educating nurses since 1938.

Prospective students often ask, why study nursing at the University of Saskatchewan? It's a great question. Let's take a look at the College of Nursing.

- Unsure which degree you want to pursue? Our undergraduate Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) degree program is non-direct entry. You will take 30 credit units in the pre-professional year (Year 1), then apply to the College of Nursing for Years 2-4. If you choose not to study nursing after Year 1, you can apply the completed pre-professional courses to different U of S programs.

- Build relationships with people you work with. Undergraduate students take the pre-professional year with other students interested in the health science professions, such as Dentistry, Kinesiology, Medicine and Pharmacy. Throughout your program, you will continue to build relationships with individuals who will be part of the health care team when you become a Registered Nurse.

- Study full or part-time. Once admitted to the College of Nursing, you have six years to finish your undergraduate degree.

- The College of Nursing is recognized as having the highest number of Indigenous nursing students in the country and a long history of Indigenous student success. The University of Saskatchewan Community of Aboriginal Nursing supports our Indigenous nursing students from start to finish and beyond.

- Learn from the best. Our students learn from expert nursing professors, the majority of whom have PhDs. By working alongside these professors, you will be exposed to nursing research and may even have the opportunity to participate in research as an undergraduate student.

- Already completed a degree in another field or almost there? Our Post-Degree BSN option recognizes previous university achievements and allows you to complete the undergraduate BSN program in two calendar years.

But I'm already a Registered Nurse, what does the U of S College of Nursing have for me? Take your education to the next level with Graduate Studies. We offer a Master of Nursing (Professional Practice Course-Based and Thesis), Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner, Post-Graduate Nurse Practitioner Certificate and a Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing.

And most importantly, did you know we're not just in Saskatoon?

Don't want to move to Saskatoon to take your nursing education? You don't have to!

Learn where YOU live. The College of Nursing has campuses in Saskatoon, Regina and Prince Albert and distributes our full undergraduate program to sites in La Ronge, Ile-a-la-Crosse and Yorkton.

Our graduate programs are also available at a distance using a variety of technologies, meaning you can achieve your goals for higher education right where you live.

Learn more about the University of Saskatchewan College of Nursing – visit nursing.usask.ca or call 1.844.966.6269.

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Bachelor of Science in Nursing



○ Pre-professional Year (Yr 1) ■ BSN Years 2 – 4



U of S Nursing

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Now accepting applications. Application deadlines as follows:

Undergraduate Program

- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) – March 31
- Post-Degree BSN Option – Applications open September 2018

Graduate Programs

- Master of Nursing (Professional Practice Course-Based and Thesis) – February 1
- Primary Health Care Nurse Practitioner – April 1
- Post-Graduate Nurse Practitioner Certificate – April 1
- Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing – February 1

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Luther College Residence: Make yourself at home

"I love the community feel of the Luther Residence. I have lived here for three years because of the 'family environment' where you are able to connect with students who have similar interests and backgrounds from all over Saskatchewan, Canada, and the world."

- Brenden Easton

The Luther College Residence makes it easy for you to feel at home by providing independence, convenience, and the ability to connect with new friends who feel like old ones. What better way to enjoy the full Luther experience than to live here? All University of Regina, Luther College, Campion College, First Nations University of Canada, Saskatchewan Polytechnic, and other post-secondary students are welcome to apply on a first-come, first-served basis.

Our private fully-furnished rooms are right on campus and come with free wifi, free local phone calls, and free laundry. We have secure living conditions with easy access to 24-hour residence staff who create and facilitate social activities and events throughout the year. The Luther Residence also features an all-you-care-to-eat meal plan at the Luther Cafeteria, where we cater to a wide range of dietary needs—all you need to do is ask. Our culinary team led by Chef Moe provides the most comprehensive and economical post-secondary meal plan options in Saskatchewan.

Students living in the Luther Residence can choose from one of three meal plan options, with current plans ranging per se-



A private dorm room at the Luther Residence.

mester from \$1,700 (a lite plan of approximately 8-10 meals per week) to \$2,400 (a full meal plan including 19 meals per week). Luther's all-you-care-to-eat experience includes a variety of fresh, from scratch, nutritious home-cooked entrees, sides, salad bar, soups, drinks, and desserts. It's a great option for student athletes, busy students, and students experiencing their first time away from home.

We know students have busy schedules and fast-paced lives but want more than

fast food. We believe convenience means providing unlimited all-day access to real food options. That's why the Luther Cafeteria is open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. on weekdays and from Noon to 6:00 p.m. on weekends and holidays. In addition, our 14 and 19 meal per week plans include a bonus \$150 each semester to use at University of Regina food vendors and a bonus \$200 each semester to use at Luther's Connection Café coffee shop. No other food service on campus offers such a comprehensive service at prices so affordable.

Luther Residence students also have the opportunity to apply to be part of the Pre-Professional Living-Learning Community (LLC). This LLC is an exciting collaboration between Luther College and the University of Regina Housing Services. It is designed specifically to support students pursuing professional programs in the Health-Sciences. Not only will you live together with other pre-professional students, you will also receive a reserved spot in a specialized Science-themed English 100 course, networking opportunities with professionals in your interest area, social activities, and more.

To celebrate the opening of our newly renovated residence, we are excited to be offering \$20,000 in Residence Awards for Luther-registered students who also apply to live in the Luther Residence. This initiative is a part of our ongoing commitment to student success and is included in the \$100,000 of awards available to Luther students each year, in addition to University of Regina scholarships.

"I love the community feel of the Luther Residence. I have lived here for three years because of the 'family environment' where you are able to connect with students who have similar interests and backgrounds from all over Saskatchewan, Canada, and the world. Also, now that the Luther Cafeteria is open from 7:00 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. during the week, I can eat real food at a time that works best with my class schedule which is great—not to mention no dishes to clean," says Brenden Easton, third-year Luther Arts student, and third-year Luther resident.

"Not having to cook for myself and the free laundry on site are just two of the many conveniences that I've found at Luther," says Treighton Litzenberger, third-year Business Admin student, and third-year Luther resident. "I have made many friends while eating in the Luther Cafeteria or socializing in the student lounges and common areas. There are always residence events throughout the semester for you to get out and enjoy, and take a break from studying. I have found that living in the Luther Residence has taken some of the pressure off of going to university through the friendships that I have made, and the support networks that are always around."

We hope you are as excited about living at Luther as we are about having you live here! For more information, visit www.luthercollege.edu/residence, email residence@luthercollege.edu or call our residence services staff at 1-306-585-5333 and ask for Andrea or Rhonda.



Students having lunch at the Luther College Cafeteria.



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College of Engineering adds 150 seats for undergraduate students

By BRETT MAKULOWICH

The College of Engineering at the University of Saskatchewan (U of S) is excited to announce that it has added 150 seats for undergraduate students for the upcoming 2018-2019 academic year.

These seats are available for entering first-year students and transfer students. Students with averages below the traditional cut-off for engineering are encouraged to apply and to discover the possibilities that an engineering degree offers.

"The next generation of engineers will play a central role in finding solutions to global challenges ranging from climate change, water and food security, managing the increasing energy demand of the world's population and more," said Bruce Sparling, professor of civil and geological engineering and associate dean academic in the College of Engineering.

"Engineering's impact is also felt on an individual, personal level, such as by amputees who benefit from life-changing prosthetics created by engineers. Come to the University of Saskatchewan and learn how to build the world you want to live in."

Engineering students receive a wide array of academic and personal support from the Engineering Student Centre and First-Year Learning Communities (LC), including access to facilitated study sessions and a comprehensive orientation program.

The Engineering Student Centre helps students reach their goals and enhances their student experience. Together with an academic advisor, students develop an education-

al plan that fits their individual abilities, interests, personal circumstances and career goals.

LC is a small group of students who gather in a weekly LC Hour, guided by two student Peer Mentors. They help students by connecting them with fellow engineering students in a small group setting, developing skills to study more effectively, exploring new ideas and interests and learning from peers in first and upper years.

The support engineering students receive continues into career development. The College of Engineering is proud to offer the Engineering Professional Internship Program (EPIP), a full-time paid internship opportunity which includes a minimum of eight months of professionally supervised work experience. Students earn real-world job experience to build their resume and expand their professional network.

"My EPIP experience gave me valuable insight into my personal skill set and gave me enough industry experience to make a confident decision regarding my preferred career path," said David Ferris, a master of engineering student at the U of S who participated in EPIP as an undergraduate student.

Ferris found his education invaluable during his internship and his work as an undergraduate research assistant.

"In addition to the advanced technical skills expected of all graduates of accredited engineering programs, the College of Engineering at the University of Saskatchewan emphasizes written and spoken communications skills and the importance of good judgment."

The deadline to apply to the College of Engineering to start classes in fall 2018 is February 15. To learn more about the admission process and the programs the U of S offers, visit admissions.usask.ca.



Engineering physics students study in the scanning tunneling microscope lab at the University of Saskatchewan.

University of Saskatchewan names vice-provost of Indigenous engagement

The understanding and knowledge gained through the inclusion of Indigenous content and experiences at the U of S will help create better—and more respectful—relationships between Indigenous and non-Indigenous people and aid in building a stronger community overall. It will also give all people the opportunity to explore new ways of thinking and learning that aren't present in traditional Western teaching.

With that in mind, the University of Saskatchewan has brought back alumna Jacqueline Ottmann, who is Anishinaabe (Saulteaux) and a member of Saskatchewan's Fishing Lake First Nation, to serve as the university's first vice-provost, Indigenous engagement.

Ottmann came to the U of S from the University of Calgary's Werklund School of Education, where she was the director of Indigenous education initiatives, an associate professor and co-chair of U of C Indigenous strategy.

Ottmann said the new role with the U of S was an opportunity not only to return to the campus where she completed her master's and PhD programs, but also a chance to help shape her alma mater as it places more and more emphasis on the importance of reconciliation, Indigenous and community collaboration.

"I really feel that this position does send a message to Indigenous communities—not only within Saskatchewan but across the nation and indeed internationally," she said. "Indigenization is important to the U of S, and the university is being responsive to the Truth and Reconciliation Calls to Action and is respectful of the United Nations' Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous People."

"That is a very strong stance, and I think this position will help to affirm and solidify that important message for Indigenous people."

Ottmann said she looks

forward to working with U of S senior leadership to discuss initiatives for the campus as a whole as well as collaborating with individual colleges and departments, and that diving into her new position in the midst of the university planning process offers a unique opportunity to ensure Indigenous voices and perspectives are fully acknowledged.

"We are extremely excited to bring back Dr. Ottmann to take a senior leadership role in focusing on Indigenous scholarship and student success on campus while also helping us engage and connect with the community," said U of S President Peter Stoi-cheff.

"We are encouraged to be attracting and graduating more Aboriginal students than ever before, and that certainly is a good measure of success. However, there is much more work to be done and we look forward to Jacqueline's leadership as we strive to be the best place we can possibly be for Indigenous students and communities in the province and across the country."

There were 2,831 Indigenous students pursuing degrees at the U of S in the 2016-17 academic year, making up 12 per cent of the total student population of 24,227.

The university has been actively working on building Indigenous content and experiences grounded in Indigenous world views, into degree programs, an initiative that will be a priority area for Ottmann to support moving forward.

"Definitely, Indigenous knowledges and authentic Indigenous content can only support university curricula and this kind of inclusion will only strengthen the overall fabric of the university," she said.



Jaqueline Ottmann

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