

University and Graduate Studies

Bachelor of Circumpolar Studies



Description

The Circumpolar Studies program is an exciting way for students to learn about the North, with courses held in the classroom, online, outdoors, and around the world.

However, students must be registered with a University of the Arctic member institution before they can register for the Circumpolar Studies program. Aurora College is a member institution.

The Circumpolar Studies program gives you the opportunity to learn about the lands, peoples, and issues of the circumpolar world and prepares you for advanced study or professional employment in fields as diverse as sustainable resource management, self-government, Arctic engineering, and northern tourism. Special emphasis is given to matters concerning Indigenous people of the Circumpolar North.

Please note that this program is only available through members of the University of the Arctic at the present time.

Receiving CAP Sites

All CAP sites; can also be done on home computers or at the office.

Note: Contact the institution from which you wish to receive your parchment to determine if the courses are transferable.

Note: Dates are tentative start.

Contact Information

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Current Classes:

BCS 100 – Introduction to the Circumpolar World

Dates: Sep 19/11 – Dec 9/11
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 311 – Land and Environment of the CP World I

Dates: Sep 19/11 – Dec 9/11
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 312 – Land and Environment of the CP World II

(Tentative)
Dates: Sep 19/11 – Dec 9/11
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 321 – Peoples and Cultures of the CP World I

Dates: Sep 19/11 – Dec 9/11
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 331 – Contemporary Issues of the CP World I

Dates: Sep 19/11 – Dec 9/11
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 100 – Introduction to the Circumpolar World

Dates: Jan 30/12 - Apr 20/12
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 311 – Land and Environment of the CP World I

(Tentative)
Dates: Jan 30/12 - Apr 20/12

Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 312 – Land and Environment of the CP World II

Dates: Jan 30/12 - Apr 20/12
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 322 – Peoples and Cultures of the CP World II

Dates: Jan 30/12 - Apr 20/12
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

BCS 332 – Contemporary Issues of the CP World II

Dates: Jan 30/12 - Apr 20/12
Delivered via: LMS
Tuition: \$245

All start dates are tentative.

Bachelor of Social Work Virtual Learning Circle University of Calgary

Description

The Virtual Learning Circle (VLC) provides access to an innovative, high quality and challenging social work education. The Virtual Learning Circle offers the accredited Bachelor of Social Work (BSW) Learning Circle curriculum through online delivery with two face-to-face meetings on the Calgary campus.

The BSW Virtual Learning Circle is intended for students who are unable to complete course offerings at one of the other Faculty campus locations. Choosing the Virtual Learning Circle will allow you to complete most of your social work degree in your own community. The Virtual Learning Circle is another step by the Faculty to enhance the quality and accessibility of our BSW Degree.

Admission Requirements

Applications are considered on a competitive basis. Our programs have limited space and we regularly receive more applications than spaces available. The Faculty's Admissions Committees take into consideration applicants' academic potential, demonstrated commitment to and experience in social service work, and recommendations from professionals and teachers.

Applicants with a Social Work Diploma

An applicant can be considered for admission if she/he received a Social Work diploma from an Alberta college or university with which the Faculty of Social Work has an agreement. Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- ✓ Admissibility to the University of Calgary
- ✓ A completed Social Work diploma from a recognized college or university. The diploma will include 20 university transferable half-courses: 10 social-work courses, 8 non-social work courses and 2 courses that may be social work or non-social work.
- ✓ A grade point average (GPA) of 2.3 or higher on a 4.0 scale, based on the cumulative grade point average achieved on the Social Work Diploma.

Applicants with a degree in a discipline other than Social Work

Applicants with a degree other than Social Work may apply to the BSW program or to the 2-year MSW program offered on-site at the Edmonton, Calgary and Lethbridge campuses. Applicants to the BSW program must meet the following requirements:

- ✓ Admissibility to the University of Calgary
- ✓ A grade point average (GPA) of 2.3 or higher on a 4.0 scale, based on the last 10 university transferable half-courses completed.
- ✓ Completion of Social Work 201 or equivalent

University Transfer Applicants

Applicants who have attended a university for the equivalent of 2 years may apply to the BSW program. Applicants must meet the following requirements:

- ✓ Admissibility to the University of Calgary
- ✓ 19 university transferable non-social work half courses plus Social Work 201 or equivalent
- ✓ A grade point average of 2.3 or higher on a 4.0 scale based on the last 10 university transferable half courses completed.

To make application, students must:

- ✓ Submit a completed University of Calgary Application and application fee to the University Admissions Office. The application form is available though the U of C web site: www.ucalgary.ca
- ✓ Submit a completed Faculty of Social Work BSW Application form to the Faculty of Social Work, Student Services Office. The BSW Application form is available through the Faculty of Social Work web Site: www.fsw.ucalgary.ca
- ✓ Follow directions on the BSW Application form regarding submission of a current resume, summary of social work related experience, application essay, reference letters, and one copy of all official transcripts

Application Deadline

The deadline for submission of complete applications for the BSW Virtual Learning Circles program is April 1 for September admission.

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Contact Information

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Web site:

www.fsw.ucalgary.ca/programs/bsw/learning_circles

Undergraduate and Graduate Degree, Diploma and Certificate Programs



CANADA'S OPEN UNIVERSITY

Contact Information

Information Centre:

1-800-788-9041

Web site: www.athabascau.ca

Frequently Asked Questions:

www.askau.ca

Admission Policy

Persons 16 or older are eligible for admission regardless of previous educational experience (enrolment in some programs and courses may be restricted by academic achievement or geographic area). To apply, students should complete a general application form and course registration form and submit with fees. Forms are available in the AU Calendar or on the AU web site.

Admission Timeframes

Students are admitted year round to most undergraduate programs and may start courses at the beginning of any month, subject to course availability. The course registration deadline is the 10th of the month preceding the anticipated start date. Application deadlines and start dates for graduate programs vary. Students should consult the AU web site or online Calendar for graduate program information.

Delivery Media

AU uses a variety of distance learning methods, including multimedia online activities, print materials, Web, email, the Internet, CDs, DVDs, computer software, audio/video-conferencing, TV and radio. A particular course might use any combination of these methods. Students have support from professors, tutors, advisers, and a variety of specialized

student services support staff members by email and phone (toll-free in Canada and the United States).

Credit Options

Athabasca University grants credit for approved courses completed at other recognized post-secondary institutions. AU credits are also eligible for transfer to programs at other universities worldwide. Before enrolling in an AU course, students should obtain a letter of permission from their home institution indicating that it will accept the AU course into their program.

Fees

(Sep 1/11 – Aug 31/12)

General application fee: \$100 (one-time, non-refundable)

For Alberta students, including the costs of textbooks and materials

3-credit course fee: \$647

4-credit course fee: \$805

6-credit course fee: \$1122

Information on course fees for non-residents is available through the AU web site or the online Calendar. Financial assistance is available to full- and part-time students through their provincial financial aid agency. Amounts vary according to need. Alberta students can obtain a financial aid package from AU.

Awards and Scholarships

AU offers nearly 100 scholarships, awards and bursaries to graduate and undergraduate students on the basis of academic achievement, specific criteria or financial need. There are also many awards avail-

able to Aboriginal students. All students are automatically considered for many of the academic awards and several others are available by application or nomination. Students should visit www.athabascau.ca/registrar/studawrds.php for more information on student awards.

For information on private sector funding (grant and scholarship) for Aboriginal students visit: www.athabascau.ca/indigenous/resources/awards.php

Student Support Services

AU provides extensive student support services including an Information Centre. Faculty members, advisors, counsellors, tutors, support staff and help desk personnel provide information and advice. A range of individualized accommodations and support services are available to students with physical, sensory, psychological or learning disabilities. Students can contact the Information Centre for answers to frequently asked questions or to reach other departments or services: 1-800-788-9041 or www.askau.ca. Staff at the Centre for World Indigenous Knowledge and Research will be also pleased to provide information about AU, university education, First Nations, Métis or Inuit course information, course programming or participation in indigenous education: www.athabascau.ca/indigenous or email: indigenous@athabascau.ca Phone: (780) 428-2064.

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Programs and Courses

Athabasca University offers undergraduate and graduate courses and programs. Choose from over 90 programs and more than 700 courses in a variety of disciplines. Information on courses and programs can

be found in the AU Calendar, available in print or online:
www.athabascau.ca/calendar

A Calendar request form is available at
www.athabascau.ca/html/calendar/cal.htm.

Program and course information can also be found online at:
www.athabascau.ca/course
www.athabascau.ca/programs

Program Availability:

Doctorate Degrees

- Doctor of Education (EdD) in Distance Education
- Doctor of Business Administration (DBA)

Master's Degrees

- Master of Arts: Integrated Studies
- Master of Business Administration (MBA)
- Master of Counselling
- Master of Distance Education
- Master of Health Studies
- Master of Nursing
- Master of Science: Information Systems

Graduate Diplomas

- Post Masters Diploma: Advanced Nursing Practice
- Post-Baccalaureate Diploma: Counselling
- Post-Baccalaureate Diploma: Distance Education Technology
- Post-Baccalaureate Diploma: Instructional Design
- Post-Baccalaureate Diploma: Management
- Post-Baccalaureate Diploma: Legislative Drafting
- Post-Baccalaureate Diploma: Heritage Resources Management

Graduate Certificates

- Post-Master's Certificate in Counselling
- Post-Baccalaureate Certificate: Instructional Design
- Post-Baccalaureate Certificate: Technology-Based Learning

Undergraduate Degrees

- Bachelor of Arts (three-year) with a Concentration in Anthropology, English, French, History, Humanities, Information Systems, Labour Studies, Political Economy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, and Women's Studies
- Bachelor of Arts, (three-year) general degree
- Bachelor of Arts (four-year) with a Major in Anthropology, Canadian Studies, English, French, History, Humanities, Information

Systems, Labour Studies, Political Economy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, and Women's Studies

- Bachelor of Commerce (four-year)
- Bachelor of Commerce (four-year post diploma)
- Bachelor of Commerce (four-year) with a major in e-Commerce, Financial Services or Accounting
- Bachelor of Commerce (four-year post diploma) with a major in e-Commerce, Financial Services or Accounting
- Bachelor of General Studies in Arts and Science or Applied Studies (three-year)
- Bachelor of Health Administration (three-year)
- Bachelor of Health Administration (three-year post diploma)
- Bachelor of Human Resources and Labour Relations (three-year)
- Bachelor of Human Resources and Labour Relations (three-year post diploma)
- Bachelor of Management (three-year)
- Bachelor of Management (three-year post diploma)
- Bachelor of Management (four-year) with a Major in Human Resources Management, Indigenous Nations and Organizations or Marketing
- Bachelor of Management (four-year post diploma) with a Major in Human Resources Management, Indigenous Nations and Organizations or Marketing
- Bachelor of Nursing (post RN) (four-year)
- Bachelor of Nursing (post LPN) (four-year)
- Bachelor of Professional Arts (four-year) with a Major in Communication Studies, Criminal Justice, Human Services, or Governance, Law and Management
- Bachelor of Science (four-year)
- Bachelor of Science (four-year post diploma)
- Bachelor of Science with a Major in Human Science (four-year)
- Bachelor of Science with a Major in Human Science (four-year post diploma)

- Bachelor of Science in Computing and Information Systems (four-year)
- Bachelor of Science in Computing and Information Systems (four-year post diploma)

University Certificates

- Accounting
- Advanced Accounting
- Career Development
- Computing and Information Systems
- Computers and Management Information Systems
- Counseling Women
- e-Commerce
- English Language Studies
- Financial Services
- French Language Proficiency
- Health Development Administration
- Heritage Resources Management
- Human Resources and Labour Relations
- Labour Studies
- Management Applications
- Management Foundations
- Marketing
- Public Administration

Undergraduate University Diplomas

- Arts
 - Inclusive Education
- Please visit our website for additional program information and updates: www.athabascau.ca

MyAU

MyAU, a one-stop web portal, personalizes tools and information for you. MyAU provides you with easy access to course information, forms, career help, policies, student services, the latest news, discussion boards, the library and many other services: www.athabascau.ca/current
www.athabascau.ca/myau

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Grande Prairie Regional College

Description

Grande Prairie Regional College is committed to exploring alternative methods of delivering University Studies courses to distant communities which do not have access to regular classroom-based instruction. The courses listed below, from a variety of disciplines, are accessible via video-conference on a rotational basis.

Intake

Courses are offered each semester starting either in September or January.

Delivery

Courses are delivered via videoconference to Alberta-North CAP sites.

Prerequisites

Prerequisites are listed individually per course.

Receiving CAP Sites

All CAP sites.

Fees

Tuition and related fees are approximately \$370 per course. Books and supplies cost is estimated at \$150 per course.

Contact Information

Lynne Seabrook

Phone: (780) 865-7666

Web site: www.gprc.ab.ca

Current Classes:

Course offerings may include, but are not limited to, the following courses. Consult our web site for current course descriptions and availability information.

AN1010 (3) – Introduction to Anthropology
AR1010 (3) – Introduction to the History of Art I
AR1010 (3) – Introduction to the History of Art II
CS2020 (3) – Technology Tools for Teaching and Learning
ED2000 (3) – Educational Psychology for Teaching
ED2510 (3) – Introduction to the Profession of Teaching
EN1111 (3) – Language, Literature, and Culture I: Prose Genres and Related Arts
EN1112 (3) – Language, Literature, and Culture II: Poetry, Drama, and Related Arts
EN3180 (3) – Women’s Literary Tradition
EN3890 (3) – Studies in Children’s Literature
ES1000 (3) – Planet Earth
ES2070 (3) – Mass Extinction and Dinosaurs
FR0120 (3) – Beginner’s French I Grade 11 Equivalent
FR0130 (3) – Beginner’s French II Grade 12 Equivalent
FR2110 (3) – Intermediate French I
FR2120 (3) – Intermediate French II
H11110 (3) – Early Modern World
H11120 (3) – The Modern World
HI2600 (3) – Canadian History 1500 to 1867
HI2610 (3) – Canadian History 1867 to the Present

HI2981 (3) – Human Conflict: The Path to Total War
HI2982 (3) – Human Conflict: The Deadliest Century
MA1600 (3) – Higher Arithmetic
NS2150 (3) – Pharmacotherapeutics in Nursing
PO1010 (3) – Introduction to Political Studies, Ideas and Forms of Government
PO1020 (3) – Introduction to Political Institutions, Processes and Problems
PO1030 (3) – Modern Political Issues
PO2210 (3) – Introduction to the Canadian Political Environment
PO3030 (3) – Politics and the Media
PY1040 (3) – Basic Psychological Processes
PY1050 (3) – Social and Individual Behaviour
PY2090 (3) – Controversial Issues in Psychology
PY3000 (3) – Psychology of Sex and Sexual Interactions
PY3500 (3) – Psychological Disorders of Childhood and Adolescence
PY2330 (3) – Personality
PY3390 (3) – Abnormal Psychology
PY3950 (3) – Forensic Psychology
SO1000 (3) – Introductory Sociology
SO2410 (3) – Social Psychology
SO2800 (3) – Human Sexuality
SO3010 (3) – Sociology of Gender
ST1510 (3) – Introduction to Applied Statistics I
SW2010 (3) – Introduction to Social Work
SW2020 (3) – Social Work

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Description

Students in the Northern Lakes College University Studies program benefit from a well-rounded education in a small and supportive classroom environment. Program advisors work with students to plan a program of study, and instructors and course tutors prepare students to meet the challenges of a university education. Students may choose to select courses and focus study toward the completion of a Northern Lakes College diploma, or they may design a program of study to complete up to two years of transfer credit toward a number of degree programs from other post-secondary institutions.

Transfer opportunities exist for a number of degree programs including the following:

- ✓ Aboriginal Studies
- ✓ Arts
- ✓ Education
- ✓ General Studies
- ✓ Social Work

As well, students who are interested in the Practical Nurse or Social Work Programs can complete some of their university transfer credits through the University Studies Program. Students who would like to get a head start on one of these professional studies programs are encouraged to meet with a University Studies Program Advisor.

Prerequisites

The University Studies Program will assess all applications on the basis of whether applicants have demonstrated a reasonable probability of academic success, as shown by previous educational history, relevant life experiences, writing abilities, clear educational goals and evidence of motivation.

Generally, students who wish to enter a Northern Lakes College University Studies program must:

- ✓ Have a High School Diploma or equivalent with English 30-1 or English 30 (60%) English 30-2 or English 33 (70%) or
- ✓ An assessed English equivalency; English equivalency assessment is comprised of a vocabulary test and essay to be submitted if academic requirements not met.

Contact John Anderson (780) 751-3225 or program advisor assigned to specific campuses to set up testing. Evaluation of assessments is the responsibility of University Studies tutors.

If English is your second language, you must present one of the following within the last two years:

- ✓ CLBA 8 with no score less than 7
- ✓ TOEFL Internet-based test score 84 (no section score below 21)
- ✓ TOEFL paper-based test score 560 and TSE 50
- ✓ TOEFL computer-based score 220 and TSE 50
- ✓ TOEIC 730/790 and TSE 50
- ✓ IELTS 6.0 (no band scores below 6.0)
- ✓ CAEL 60 (no subtest below 60)

Transferability

University credits are transferable to a number of post-secondary institutions in Alberta; refer to the Alberta Transfer Guide. These credits also meet requirements of other Northern Lakes College programs (Ex: Social Work and Practical Nurse).

Receiving CAP sites

Northern Lakes College sites - Grouard, Slave Lake, Wabasca, Barrhead, Swan Hills, Valleyview, McLennan, Peace River, Fairview, High Level, Fort Vermillion, Manning, other as determined by program

Contact Information

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Administrative Support:
Patricia Reid
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Web site: www.northernlakescollege.ca

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Current Classes:

TERM I Sept 6 – Dec 16, 2011	Term 2 Jan 3 – Apr 20, 2012	Term 3 April 30 – June 15, 2012
ANTH1000 – Introduction to Cultural Anthropology	ABST1000 – Introduction to Aboriginal Studies	EAS2010 – Introduction to Physical Geology
ABST1000 – Introduction to Aboriginal Studies	ABST2500 – Deconstructing Images of Aboriginal People in Canada	MATH0190 – Pre-Health Careers Math
COMMI000 – Interpersonal Communications for the Helping Profession	ANTH1000 – Introduction of Cultural Anthropology	BIOL0190 – Pre-Health Careers Biology
ENGL1000 – Introduction to English Language and Literature	ANTH2100 – Anthropology of Gender	ENGL0190 – Fundamentals of Writing, and Reading Development
ENGL1011 – Critical Reading and Writing: Prose Forms	COMP1010 – Introduction to Computer Applications	
ENGL2030 – Women in Literature	ENGL1011 – Critical Reading and Writing: Poetry, Drama, and Novel	
HEED1010 – Health Education: Personal Health and Wellness	ENGL2050 – Pathology of the Best Seller	
HIST3600 – Pre-Confederation Canadian History 1500-1867	HEED1010 – Health Education: Personal Health and Wellness	
POLS1010 – Canadian Politics: Institutions and Issues	HIST2610 – Post-Confederation Canadian History	
PSYC1040 – Basic Psychological Processes	POLS1000 – Power, Theory and Process in Liberal Democratic States	
PSYC1060 – Psychology for the Health Care Professional	POLS2120 – Ethics and Politics	
SOCI1000 – An Introduction to the Study of Society	PSYC1050 – Individual and Social Behavior	
STAT1410 – Introduction to Statistics	PSYC1060 – Psychology for the Health Care Professional	
	PSYC2010 – Developmental Psychology: Life Span	
	SOCI1000 – An Introduction to the Study of Society	
	SOCI2750 – Introduction to the Study of Older People in Society	