

THE UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA

NURSING UNDERGRADUATE ASSOCIATION

January 2026 Newsletter





THE NUA HOPES YOU ALL HAD A GREAT
AND RESTFUL BREAK :)

WE ARE WISHING YOU LUCK ON THIS NEW
SEMESTER!

NUA OFFICE HOURS

Stayed tuned here for updates
on our Winter 2026 Schedule!

Office Hours Will Resume
January 19





U OF A AND MACEWAN NURSING GALA

TICKETS AT \$60

FEB 7 | 5:30 PM
MIRAGE BANQUET



STARRY NIGHT



STAY TUNED FOR TICKET SALES





Do you have questions regarding tuition increases?

Join the UASU at the tuition townhall on January 14th at 5pm at the SUB stairs.

This meeting will constitute attending the Tuition Town Hall organized by the UASU. At this event, the University Deputy Provost will be answering questions on the University's tuition proposals for the year, which includes:

- 2% domestic tuition increases for all programs for ALL students as of Fall 2026**
- 5.5% international tuition increases for most programs for NEW students as of Fall 2027**
- 27% international tuition increase for new Computing Science students as of Fall 2027**
- 20% international tuition increases for new Nursing students as of Fall 2027**

FURCA



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Festival of Undergraduate Research
and Creative Activities



Abstract submissions open

Submission deadline

January 21, 2026

uab.ca/furca

We are excited to invite you to share your work at the 2026 Festival of Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities (FURCA)! This is a wonderful opportunity for undergraduate students from all disciplines to present their research and creative projects to a supportive audience of students, staff, faculty, and alumni. Join us in University Commons from March 10–12, 2026 to be part of this special event!



CFUW EDMONTON ACADEMIC AWARDS FUND
2026 Tammy Irwin Scholarship for an Undergraduate Indigenous Woman
Value \$2000

Eligibility Criteria

- ☐ Be a woman, born in Canada, who is of Aboriginal descent under the Constitution Act, 1982, Sections 35(2) or a person accepted by one of the Aboriginal peoples of Canada as a member of their community.
- ☐ Is attending the University of Alberta, registered full-time as an undergraduate student in a degree program in the Fall and Winter terms in the 2025 - 2026 academic year.
- ☐ Is registered in the third or fourth year of her degree program.
- ☐ Has received grades for courses taken, as confirmed by the official University of Alberta transcript, with a minimum University of Alberta GPA of 3.5 for Fall Term 2025.
- ☐ This award can be won by one student once only.

Apply at:

<https://www.cfuwedmonton.org/academic-awards/scholarship-program/irwin>

Application Deadline: February 27, 2026 at 11:59pm (Mountain Time Zone).

The Justice Emmett Hall Memorial Foundation

The Justice Emmett Hall Memorial Foundation invites students to submit essays to the 2026 Jack Boan Student Essay Competition

The intent is to foster Canadian health economics and health policy research among undergraduate and graduate students. The competition is publicized in French and English through undergraduate and graduate programs in economics, health policy, health administration, health law, community and public health and applied health research programs across Canada, the Canadian Association of Health Services and Policy Research (CAHSPR) network, and other local applied health research networks.

- Essays must be no more than 4,000 words in length (inclusive of references and appendices) and address any topic in health services or health policy with relevance to Canada.
- The Hall Foundation will award three prizes annually for the best submissions:
 - Best doctoral submission: \$2,000
 - Best masters submission: \$1,500
 - Best undergraduate submission: \$1,000
- Winning essays will be selected by a panel appointed by the President of the Hall Foundation.
- Authors, titles, and abstracts of the winning essays will be posted on the Hall Foundation website: <http://www.hallfoundation.ca/jack-boan-student-essay>
- Submissions should be sent to Gillian Young at gyoung57@uwo.ca no later than **Friday, February 27, 2026 at 11:59 PM EST.**
- Winners will be notified by email in advance of the annual Canadian Association of Health Services and Policy Research conference (<https://cahspr.ca/events/cahspr-conference-2026/>). Prizes will be awarded during the conference.
- Essays may be submitted in English or in French and may be based on course or thesis work. For more information, please contact Gillian Young at gyoung57@uwo.ca.

Scan here for more details!



INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES CARE



JOB OPPORTUNITY:

Inclusive Communities Care is a multidisciplinary team (OT, SLP, Behavioural Consultants, Community Support Workers) that hires and trains Community Support Workers, and connects persons with disabilities and their families with community-minded Support Workers.

We are currently looking to hire Community Support Workers into flexible, part-time positions.

Our Community Support Workers work with young adults who have disabilities and their families, with the goal of enhancing opportunities for people with disabilities to contribute and gain a sense of belonging and gain a sense of belonging in their communities.

Scan for the full job
description



Please submit a resume and cover letter to
inclusivecommunities.care@gmail.com
If you have any questions, please contact
Nicole Morin at the above email address

VISIT OUR
WEBSITE:

[HTTPS://WWW.INCLUSIVECOMMUNITIESCARE.COM](https://www.inclusivecommunitiescare.com)



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WE ARE LOOKING FOR

Professional Clothing DONATIONS

Donate business casual clothing items to provide students with access to affordable professional attire! Donations accepted at designated locations from **January 5 - January 26.**

The Clothing Swap runs from January 29 - January 31
@ Kipnes Mainstreet Level 2

Supported by the College of Health Sciences Libraries, Faculties and Students.



AB CACCN PRESENTS:
AN ONLINE WEBINAR



**UNDERSTANDING
CONNECTION: FIRST NATION
VIEWS ON PHARMACIST
RELATIONSHIPS**

PRESENTED BY:
Amber Ruben,
BScPharm, MSc, RPh



DETAILS

Date: January 29, 2026

Time: 1-2pm MST

Location: Zoom

Registration: email
caccnalberta@caccn.ca



@albertacaccn



CACCN - Alberta

Student Placement Experience Survey



Fill out the
survey through
the link in our bio
if you're a health
sciences
student!



How will the results be used?

- Results will be shared in a progress report with the Deans of the faculties of the College of Health Sciences to ensure leadership is aware of the issues and can act on them.
- They will be presented to the Office of Dean of Students to support meaningful action on the courses raised.
- They will be presented to the University of Alberta Students' Union Council to explore advocacy opportunities beyond campus.
- A public report will also be released for students to view.

Join Us for our Incident Analysis and Proactive Risk Assessment Workshop for Health Care Professionals Virtual Workshop

This virtual workshop will provide health care professionals with background theory and hands-on practice in incident analysis using Root Cause Analysis (RCA) and in proactive risk assessment using Failure Mode and Effects Analysis (FMEA). Available on Nov 27-28, 2025, Jan 29-30, 2026, Feb 21-22, 2026 and March 26-27, 2026.

Visit <https://ismpcanada.ca/education/> for more information or email education@ismpcanada.ca for any questions.

Objectives

- Investigate adverse events and critical incidents in healthcare
- Identify and analyze root causes and contributing factors
- Proactive identification of problems and processes



Join our Medication Reconciliation and Best Possible Medication History Virtual Workshop Workshop updated with our 2024 guide!

This 1-day live facilitated virtual workshop teaches health care professionals the fundamentals of medication reconciliation (MedRec) and Best Possible Medication History (BPMH) while providing hands-on practice with case scenarios on how to conduct in-person and virtual medication history interviews. This workshop is available on November 14, 2025 or March 14, 2026 workshop.

Visit <https://ismpcanada.ca/education/> for more information or to register. If any questions, please email education@ismpcanada.ca

