DEADLINES AND UPDATES

IMPACT TO STUDENT REFUNDS DURING FINS AND MYINFO OUTAGE

Please note that student refunds will be unavailable from February 24 to 27 while two main systems, FINS and myINFO, experience a scheduled outage. Normal operations will resume on Monday, February 28. In addition to this outage, goSFU and mySchedule will be unavailable on Saturday, February 19, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. We apologize for the inconvenience these disruptions may cause. For the latest IT Services outages and impacts.
RIS PHONE SUPPORT HOURS REDUCED

Starting this week, Registrar and Information Services phone support hours have been temporarily reduced to 10 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. In-person hours have not been reduced, and email is always available at reginfo@sfu.ca.

ONGOING TRAFFIC DISRUPTIONS NORTH OF TRANSPORTATION CENTRE

Please expect frequent interruptions north of the Transportation Centre until February 21 as ongoing trenching and pipe installations are completed. Consider an alternate route as traffic delays are expected. Upon arrival to campus, buses will head eastbound on University Drive East, on the south side of campus, and head directly to the east campus bus loop. For the latest traffic updates.

STUDY SPACE AVAILABLE

The Diamond Family Auditorium on the Burnaby campus is now available for students to use as a study space. It is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays) until April 11. Please wear masks indoors and respect each other’s space.

FEBRUARY U-PASS BC

The February and March U-Pass BC are now available on the U-Pass BC website.

WHAT'S NEW AND COMING SOON

PINK SHIRT DAY

Bullying is a major problem in schools, workplaces, homes, and online. February 23 is Pink Shirt Day, a
reminder to take a stand against bullying, practice kindness and inclusion, celebrate diversity and healthy self-esteem, and lift each other up. Learn more.

BRING MORE CALM TO YOUR LIFE

Connect with your body and relax your mind, 30 minutes is all it takes. If you're looking for a refreshing mid-day activity or a good night's sleep, join @SFUHCS for a free drop-in meditation class Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 12:30 to 1 p.m. No previous experience necessary. Details and to join in.

STUDY HALL @ HOME

Study Hall @ Home is a supportive virtual space hosted by Peer Educators who provide students with study tips, academic support, and resources. Students can drop in for as long as they like, or stay the whole time. The study hall is open Wednesday mornings from 9 to 11 a.m. and Friday evenings from 6 to 8 p.m. Check out their upcoming workshops to learn more.

RECYCLE YOUR FACEMASKS, SUPPORT SUSTAINABILITY

Did you know you can recycle your used masks? A new mask recycling program at SFU aims to prevent thousands of disposable COVID-19 masks from ending up in landfills. Recycling and upcycling reduce waste and decrease the energy and materials required to make new products, lessening our impact on climate change and contributing to our net-zero emissions goals.

SFU FAMILY HOUSING HAS ARRIVED

Applications are now open for on-campus student family housing. This energy-efficient residence complex includes 90 units offering studio-style, one (1), and two (2) bedroom apartments for couples or adults with one or more children under 19. The residence building is expected to open for move-in during the summer 2022 term. For more information and to apply now, visit SFU Residence and Housing website.

BLACK HISTORY MONTH RESEARCH SEMINAR: OUR STORIES, OUR VOICES

You’re invited to Our Stories, Our Voices on February 24. Co-facilitated by SFU’s Faculty of Health Sciences
and the BC Centre for Disease Control, the virtual seminar will feature presentations on the impacts of COVID-19 within Black communities in British Columbia, with topics like mental health and vaccination.

EMPLOYMENT AND VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

JOBS AND VOLUNTEER EXPO

West Coast Virtual Fairs is back this Spring with the SFU + UVic: Jobs and Volunteer Expo! Whether you’re looking for your first job, next Co-op opportunities, post-graduate work, volunteer openings, or a space to network with employers, this is the place to interact with 80+ exhibitors across various sectors and industries. Get ready for the experience with a series of workshops and prep sessions starting February 28. The main events are on March 9 and 10. More information and to register.

PEER EDUCATION IS RECRUITING FOR FALL 2022

Develop skills, make connections, build community. Peer Education is about students supporting students and building each other’s individual and collective capacity. For more information and to apply, visit myInvolvement and search for opportunity ID: 5686. Deadline is March 20.

JOIN ADVISORY PANEL

SFU’s Sexual Violence Support & Prevention Office is inviting expressions of interest from students, staff and faculty from the SFU community with knowledge and experience in reducing, preventing and responding to sexual violence to join its Advisory Panel. Submission deadline is March 16. Learn more about the opportunity.

MARKETING IN FOCUS 2022

Kickstart your marketing career! Marketing in Focus: Shift is the SFU Student Marketing Association’s award-winning panel and networking conference. Experience a keynote speaker and panel discussions, and connect with industry professionals over lunch and networking sessions. There will also be a prize
giveaway! The conference is happening March 5, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at SFU Harbour Centre (virtual attendance options available). More information.

CONNECTING WITH STUDENT SERVICES

REGISTRAR & INFORMATION SERVICES

To connect with us at any of our three campuses, please see our contact hours for our availability.

UNDERGRADUATE DATES AND DEADLINES

For a list of Spring deadlines related to adding and dropping classes, etc., please visit Deadlines.

EVENTS AT SFU

For a list of events at SFU, please visit events.sfu.ca.

FOR ON-GOING ACTIVITIES, RESOURCES AND MORE

We can't always fit everything in the Bulletin email, so check out our Bulletin page for even more info and advice.