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Interim
Aboriginal
University
Preparation
Program

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SFU's Interim Aboriginal University Preparation Program (IAUPP)

Are you:

- A high school graduate?
- Considering going to university, but wanting to test it first?
- Someone who wants to learn more about math and writing?
- Wanting to connect with a cohort group of Indigenous students in a small, safe, and supportive environment?
- Looking to open doors to more learning and working opportunities?

SFU's Interim Aboriginal University Preparation Program

We welcome First Nations, Métis and Inuit students to a university learning environment that affirms and integrates Indigenous knowledge and perspectives.

You will join a cohort of like-minded Indigenous students and explore university together with Elders, mentors, tutors and instructors while taking courses which can transfer into first year university or college.

Where does the IAUPP path lead you?

SFU's IAUPP helps you pave the way for a successful transition to undergraduate studies. Our program offers first-year academic credit courses that integrate humanities and social sciences with Indigenous perspectives.

We also offer literacy and quantitative classes (non-academic credit) that will build your confidence.

Upon successful completion of the IAUPP, you will be granted admission to SFU and your completed credits will count towards your undergraduate degree.

You will gain:

- A solid foundation of academic and personal success
- Support from tutors, academic advisors and program staff
- Academic units towards your undergraduate degree
- Admission to SFU and a paid internship program (upon successful completion of the program, conditions apply)

Cover: Welcome figure at SFU carved by Jody Broomfield, Squamish Nation.

Two-term calendar

- Fall Term: September 8–December 20, 2020
- Spring Term: January 5–April 26, 2021

Curriculum *(subject to change)*:

Term 1

- FNST 101-3: Introduction to First Nations Studies
- FASS 120-2: Learning Strategies for Academic Success
- FAL X99-4: Foundations of Academic Literacy
- FAN X91-2 (Part 1): Foundations of Analytic and Quantitative Reasoning

Term 2

- EAS 110/FASS 110W-4: Explorations in the Arts and Social Sciences
- EDUC 100W-3: Selected Questions and Issues in Education
- HSCI 130-4: Foundations of Health Science
- FAN X99-2 (Part 2): Foundations of Analytic and Quantitative Reasoning

Total: 16 academic units over 8 courses

Upon completion:

- Normally, a GPA of 2.5 will guarantee direct admission to SFU with full transfer units.
- Normally, a GPA of 2.8 will guarantee direct admission to SFU with full transfer units, plus access to a paid Summer Student Internship

Tuition and fees *(subject to change)*:

- Tuition for two terms: \$4897
- Student Fees: \$851 (two terms, includes transit U-pass and student health plan)
- No application fee

Learn more

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IAUPP Admission Form

Interested applicants can apply on-line at www.sfu.ca/iaupp or submit this form by email to iaupp@sfu.ca.

This program normally admits high school graduates who do not meet general SFU admission requirements or requirements stated in the Aboriginal Admission Policy (www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/aboriginal-admission-policy.html).

Admission requirements:

- Applicants must normally have graduated from high school
- Foundations of Math 10
- English 11 or English 11 First Peoples
- One letter of reference (non-family)
- Signed and completed form below
- In-person interview with Selection Committee (Skype interviews may be arranged)

Documentation (including high school transcript) may be sent by email, by postal mail or handed-in in person. The IAUPP coordinator may provide support services for filling out the form. Please print clearly or fill in this form on a computer.

O I would like to be admitted for Fall 2020. Application must be received by March 31, 2020.

Student information

First name	Middle name	Last name
Date of birth (MM/DD/YY)		
SFU Student ID number (if readmission or reactivation)		

Contact information

Phone number	Email	
Street address		
City	Province	Postal code

Indigenous students

The collection of this information is voluntary and refusal to provide this information will not affect service eligibility. Information will be kept confidential and is protected under the Freedom of Information/Protection of Privacy Act.

The following questions regarding Aboriginal Identity apply only to persons of Canadian Aboriginal Ancestry.

Do you identify yourself as an Aboriginal person, that is, First Nation, Métis or Inuit?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
Are you registered under the Indian Act of Canada (i.e. a Status Indian)?	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No
If you identify yourself as an Aboriginal person, are you: (Select all that apply)		
<input type="checkbox"/> First Nation (includes status, non status, Treaty and non-Treaty) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Métis	<input type="checkbox"/> Inuit

Student background and goals (if submitting by email, you may attach Word documents)

Please provide a description of your Aboriginal cultural knowledge and activities, special accomplishments (including awards received), special situation, hardships or difficulties, and community services that you feel should be considered for your application. Be as detailed and explicit as possible, to a maximum of 150–200 words.

Please provide a description of your goals and why you want to be admitted to the IAUPP. Maximum of 150–200 words.

Signatures

I certify that all information I have provided is true and complete and was prepared entirely by me.
I understand that any misrepresentation may result in cancellation of my admission or enrollment status.

Signature of applicant

Date of signature

Checkbox if e-signed

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