



**UNIVERSITY  
OF ALBERTA**

**VIEWBOOK 2024 - 2025**

# **AUGUSTANA CAMPUS**





FIND YOURSELF

**HERE.**

### TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The University of Alberta respects the sovereignty, lands, histories, languages, knowledge systems and cultures of First Nations, Métis and Inuit nations.

Augustana is located in (Asiniskaw Sipisis - Stoney Creek) Treaty 6 territory; a travelling route and home to the Maskwacîs Nêhiyawak, Niitsitapi, Nakoda, and Tsuut'ina Nations, the Métis and other Indigenous peoples. Their spiritual and practical relationships to the land create a rich heritage for our learning and our life as a community.

U OF A in CAMROSE



**TOP 5**  
UNIVERSITY IN CANADA

**TOP 100**  
UNIVERSITY IN THE WORLD

### What happens next is all about you.

Discovering who you are and what career path you want to take doesn't just happen in the classroom. Our vibrant, supportive community will open you up to opportunity, cultivate your passion and challenge you to believe in your own greatness.

We know you're capable of big things. Great things! Because that's how the U of A started over 100 years ago — with students who didn't have all the answers, but were ready to do whatever it took to find them.

Today, we continue that legacy, seeking out challenges so we can create change. We collaborate and integrate. We overcome barriers so our ideas can collide and grow. We lead with purpose, together.

### Are you ready?



# AUGUSTANA CAMPUS

-  **1,000 STUDENTS**  
FROM 32 COUNTRIES
-  **22**  
AVERAGE  
CLASS SIZE
-  **5 DEGREES,**  
**13 PROGRAMS**  
COVERING 22 AREAS  
OF STUDY

## AUGUSTANA DOES IT DIFFERENTLY

### Forget What University *Should* Be – Think About What it *Could* Be.

Augustana is a University of Alberta campus nestled slightly off the beaten path, in the small and inviting city of Camrose. At our campus, you will find your community and your purpose – all while earning a University of Alberta degree.

As one of the few liberal arts and sciences campuses in Canada, we focus on undergraduate education, multidisciplinary program majors, and hands-on learning – all embedded in a non-traditional academic calendar that prioritizes building your social life alongside your studies. That means learning is meaningful, immersive and a bit more unexpected!

We are a welcoming campus with a tight-knit community, and we pride ourselves on providing a top tier education. Known as the “learning laboratory” for the University of Alberta, we’re leading the way for a well-rounded university experience.

**We call it the Augustana Advantage.**

- Study-life balance
- Multidisciplinary learning
- Real-world experience
- Close professor relationships
- Supportive community

## AUGUSTANA FORUM

Welcome to the centre of student life on campus – connecting you to study spaces, Vikings games, Monica’s café, our dining hall, library and student services too! The main floor of the Forum is open and airy, perfect for group gatherings or mingling. Two-storey windows on the west wall frame a clear view of Quad and let in plenty of sunlight. Comfortable couches and three fireplaces invite you to take a breather, and other benches and tables offer additional space for sitting and eating. The Forum’s open concept allows smooth travel to all the places you need to be – merging student life with student success!



## WAHKOHTOWIN LODGE

The wahkohtowin Lodge is a meeting and gathering space for our Augustana community.

wahkohtowin loosely translates to “kinship” – referring to the interconnected nature of our relationships, our communities, and the land, water and sky. In this space you see the focus on connection. There are comfortable chairs and tables under the mīkiwāhp, a flexible classroom space for meetings and seminars and a community space designed with Indigenous culture in mind. We welcome Indigenous students to access a range of services and connect with other members of the Indigenous community on campus.

## MIQUELON LAKE RESEARCH STATION

This field study site is for undergraduate and faculty research, and also serves as an Indigenous gathering space for the Augustana community in one of Canada’s 13 dark sky preserves. It’s also home to the Hesje Observatory, the U of A’s most powerful telescope! As a hub of sustainable research, the station was designed and developed to address a broad spectrum of research questions and learning opportunities.

 **2nd IN THE WORLD**  
FOR ARTIFICIAL  
INTELLIGENCE

**#4 RESEARCH-BASED UNIVERSITY**  
IN **CANADA**

 **5th IN CANADA**  
FOR GRADUATE  
EMPLOYMENT

**7th MOST SUSTAINABLE**  
POSTSECONDARY INSTITUTION  
IN THE **WORLD**

**300,000+**  
ALUMNI WORLDWIDE



# BRING ON THE BALANCE



## TRADITIONAL CALENDARS



## OUR CALENDAR



### DANIEL STUDENT ATHLETE

Daniel found his purpose at Augustana as a bachelor of management student and member of the Augustana Vikings Men's Hockey Team. Twice he received the Augustana Faculty Award in Hockey for his achievements.

“At Augustana, you are given the opportunity to be yourself; the opportunity to try new things; and more importantly, the opportunity to learn. Over the past two seasons on the hockey team, we have created a winning culture that is accepting, inclusive and dynamic. I find a lot of value in representing my school as an athlete. In 20 years, when I reflect back on my experiences as a Viking, I will have nothing but love for this school and its athletic program.”

## A FRESH WAY TO FOCUS

Augustana's 3 + 11 calendar equals major benefits for students. This format eases you into university life, giving you more flexibility to be social and make friends before diving into a full course load. It's all about prioritizing community, something we care deeply about here.

### How does it work?

Each term begins with a three-week block, when you focus on a single course. This format allows for activities that do not easily fit within a traditional semester structure – like experiential learning opportunities abroad, outdoors or in the surrounding community. Following that is an 11-week block in which you will take the rest of that semester's courses in a more typical structure. The best part? You're still completing the same number of courses in the same amount of time, but with much more flexibility and free time!

## CONNECT YOUR STUDIES TO YOUR FUTURE

### Get the Skills You (and Your Future Employer) Want and Need

- We ensure students graduate with broad knowledge – you'll use a range of approaches to solve problems.
- Complete our four project-based core courses to tackle relevant societal problems, develop creative solutions and build career connections.



### FIRST YEAR SEMINAR

In your first year, learn skills and knowledge to succeed at university.



### DISCIPLINARY & COLLABORATIVE LEARNING

In your second year, learn ways of working effectively in a team.



### COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIP PROJECT

In your third year, get real-world experience working on an issue posed by a community partner.



### ADVANCED INTEGRATION PROJECT

In your fourth year, work in small groups to propose a solution to a real-world issue.

## THERE IS MORE TO UNIVERSITY THAN JUST CLASSES

Orientation, Augustana's Got Talent, First Class Bash, SCORE community thrift swap and Wellness Week...we know how to support each other and we sure know how to have fun together! [uab.ca/auglife](http://uab.ca/auglife)

### Get Involved

Join student governance and advocacy with the Augustana Students' Association. You can also volunteer with student clubs, Campus Visits and Chaplaincy. Or, find employment on campus. There's a lot you can do!

### Express Yourself

Join our audition or non-audition choirs and let your voice shine. Or, get your moment in the spotlight by participating in either a full-length or one-act theatre performance!

### Indigenous Programming for All

The Indigenous Student Services office is where our entire campus community – Indigenous and non-Indigenous – can participate in cultural workshops and learning. Opportunities include:

- Ribbon skirt workshops
- Moccasin-making and beading circles
- Traditional medicine teachings

### Be a Viking

Whether you want to be on the field or in the stands, our varsity sports are a big deal! Last year we won National Gold in curling and had 10 Canadian Collegiate Athletic Association Academic Honours recipients. Try out for a team and play the sport you love, or attend a free home game and cheer on your fellow Vikings. Want to get recruited? Reach out at [govikings.ca](http://govikings.ca)

### Stay Active

Between classes you can participate in our Campus Recreation activities or use our on-campus gym, soccer field, climbing wall, ski library and fitness facilities. You can even try a new sport or drop-in to a class!

# DISCOVERY IS IN OUR DNA



**THE MORE OPPORTUNITY EQUATION:**  
 small class sizes + undergraduate-focused campus = building relationships with professors

## AT AUGUSTANA, OPPORTUNITY SURROUNDS YOU!

There's so much to tap into, making your journey here with us truly transformative. [uab.ca/augexp](http://uab.ca/augexp)

### Exchanging is Life-changing

Grab your passport and get ready to experience new parts of the globe with our study abroad opportunities. We offer everything from exchange programs in Norway and China to tours and courses in Costa Rica, Cuba, Greece, Germany and India.

### Learn in the Outdoors

Outdoor education isn't just about camping or canoeing (though you can do both here). At Augustana, you will apply what you study in the classroom to the real world. Get a first-hand perspective on the relationship between your program and the rest of the environment, from ecology-based field studies

to the psychological impact the outdoors has on society's mental health.

### Serve Your Community

Our Community Service-Learning placements will allow you to develop connections between theory and practice while making a meaningful impact in Camrose and surrounding communities.

### DID YOU KNOW?

Recent community placements include the **Camrose and District Centennial Museum** and the **Camrose Green Action Committee**.

### Dive into Research

Augustana has a rich and vibrant research community that provides opportunities for undergraduate students to participate in faculty-led and student-led projects. You can also enhance your research by accessing one of our research centres:

- Alberta Centre for Sustainable Rural Communities
- Chester Ronning Centre for the Study of Religion and Public Life
- Augustana Miquelon Lake Research Station & Hesje Observatory



**LUCILLE**  
STUDENT LEADER

**Lucille found her purpose studying environmental science at the University of Alberta. Her passion for nature has led her to become president of The Wildlife Society and a volunteer for the Beaverhill Bird Observatory and Augustana Tree Ring Lab.**

“As part of my program I completed a 19 day study abroad course in Costa Rica to collect data on tropical ecosystems. More specifically, I studied how to prevent an imbalance of male and female sea turtles due to temperature differences during the hatching period. But my favourite part was helping researchers release baby sea turtles into the ocean. I think an important part of university is to try different directions to see what interests you, and Augustana allows for that opportunity to experiment and explore.”

YOU'RE NOT JUST  
HERE TO LEARN; YOU'RE

**HERE TO THRIVE**



**JESSICA**  
STUDENT VOLUNTEER

Jessica found her purpose at Augustana helping students. She is the current president of the Augustana Students' Association and a campus ambassador.



I always knew I wanted to study at the University of Alberta, but I chose Augustana specifically because of the community. Augustana gives you an opportunity to be more than just a student. I have connected with all kinds of students outside my major and year of study through getting involved, and now I can't walk through the Forum without running into a friend. If you are looking for a community and still wanting a University of Alberta degree, Augustana is a perfect place for you."

## THERE'S SO MUCH HERE FOR YOU

### In It Together

Augustana is an inclusive community of students from diverse backgrounds, which is why we have many student supports and peer networks at the ready!

- **Indigenous Student Services** connects you with student support in a dedicated community space.
  - > Computer lab space with access to printing, photocopying, scanning and more
  - > Indigenous student advising (academic and financial)
  - > Smudging safe space with local medicines
  - > See more at [uab.ca/augiss](https://uab.ca/augiss)

- **International Student Services** assists you with immigration, career opportunities, advising and emergency financial support
- **Student Chaplaincy** is a multi-faith and community-building program

### Your Wellness Matters

Whether you need help preparing for an exam, figuring out your path in university, or just someone to talk to, we have the resources.

- Student success and accessibility resources (get connected before you arrive on campus, email [augar@ualberta.ca](mailto:augar@ualberta.ca))
- Academic advising
- Career advising
- Writing centre
- Pastoral or personal counselling
- Sexual violence support and wellness coordinator



**YOUR HOME**  
AWAY FROM HOME

## LIVING ON CAMPUS CAN LEAD TO A HIGHER GPA (AND MORE FUN)

Get the total university experience. While not required, many first-year students live in campus dorms where they are steps away from their classes, professors and on-campus activities. Did you know being surrounded by like-minded peers can significantly improve your study habits? Plus, Augustana's all-you-can-eat meal plan offers a variety of options – many locally-sourced or fair trade.

The perks of living on campus:

- Lifelong connections
- Work where you live
- Steps from campus life
- Surrounded by nature

[uab.ca/auglife](https://uab.ca/auglife)



**ANJOLA**  
AUGUSTANA RESIDENT

After moving to Canada from Nigeria, Anjola found his purpose at Augustana while pursuing bachelor of management program. He is currently working as a summer research assistant creating tutorials for basic data exploration and statistical analysis to bridge the skill gap that exists between students.



I actually ended up at Augustana by accident; I thought I applied to North Campus. But after arriving here I quickly came to love it. As an international student who dealt with the disorienting experience of navigating a new environment, Augustana's size, location and student diversity helped me feel settled. Best of all, living in residence has allowed me to build a home away from home and meet so many new people who have become lifelong friends."

# FUNDING YOUR FUTURE

## A DEGREE IS A VALUABLE INVESTMENT IN YOURSELF AND YOUR FUTURE

### Support When You Need It

Whether you need financial assistance from the start or find yourself a little short during the school year, we have funding options for you. From awards and scholarships to student loans, bursaries and emergency funding, our advisors can help guide you to the right support.

[uab.ca/ask](https://uab.ca/ask)

### FIRST-YEAR ESTIMATE\*



**GET A REFINED ESTIMATE WITH THE COST CALCULATOR**  
at [uab.ca/costcalc](https://uab.ca/costcalc)

*Estimates are based on your program and living arrangements.*

\* These figures are based on one year of full-time study in a general science program for 2023-24; fees are subject to change every year.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

The University of Alberta awards more than \$46 million each year in undergraduate scholarships, awards and financial support. View all entrance awards at [uab.ca/awards](https://uab.ca/awards)

### Admission-Based

Receive a scholarship you don't even have to apply for! Eligibility for these scholarships is based on your admission average at the time of your admission offer. We advise you to apply to your program early so we can assess you for a match to the following awards and many more:

#### Gold Standard Scholarship

The top 5% of students in each faculty could receive up to \$6,000, depending on admission average.

#### Indigenous Entrance Scholarship

First Nations, Métis or Inuit applicants with an average of 80%+ may receive \$1,500.

#### National Achievement Scholarship

The Top Canadian students from out-of-province will receive \$30,000, payable over four years.

### Application-Based

Applying for awards is easy. Just fill out a single application and we will match you to a potential scholarship or award based on your background, experiences, academics and interests. The deadline for application-based awards is **January 10, 2024**, and you must apply to your program first.

#### President's Centenary Entrance Citation

High-achievers engaged with their community and showing top admission averages receive up to \$50,000.

#### Entrance Leadership Scholarship

Well-rounded leaders with demonstrated contributions to their community may receive up to \$5,000.

#### Augustana Community Endowment Fund

Awarded to a student with satisfactory academic standing enrolled in an undergraduate degree program at Augustana.

**\$500,000+**  
AVAILABLE SPECIFICALLY FOR AUGUSTANA STUDENTS

**1 APPLICATION**  
TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ALL AWARDS

**2 IN 5**  
AUGUSTANA STUDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE FOR FINANCIAL AID



FINDING  
YOUR PURPOSE  
STARTS WITH

# FINDING A PROGRAM

Prepare for our complex world at Augustana. By combining multiple disciplines, our programs and majors are flexible enough to fit your future (whatever path you choose to take). Not sure where to start? Visit [uab.ca/augprograms](https://uab.ca/augprograms) to explore your options!

## BACHELOR OF ARTS

### Interdisciplinary Studies (IDS) Majors:

#### Creativity and Culture

Bring together the humanities and fine arts to engage with cultural works. Graduate with an understanding of a variety of creative methods and approaches.

- > Specializations:
  - Creative Writing
  - Drama
  - Music
  - Visual Art

#### Ethics and Global Studies

Prepare to tackle the world's complex problems by gaining a foundation in history, philosophy, religious studies and politics. Graduate ready to adapt to a variety of careers.

#### Law, Crime and Justice Studies

Explore the relationship between law, politics and society through the lenses of social justice and inequality. Graduate with a deep understanding of the major issues facing the Canadian justice system and legal field.

- > Specializations:
  - Crime, Deviance and Social Control
  - Law, History and Justice
  - Politics, Society and Justice
  - Profiling and Personality

## BACHELOR OF ARTS (CONTINUED)

### Other Majors:

#### Sustainability Studies

Dive into the intersection of the environment, economics and sociology. Graduate with the analytical skills and confidence to tackle complex issues.

- > Pathways:
  - Economics
  - Environmental
  - Social

#### Psychology and Mental Health

Understand and engage in psychological research to think critically about addiction, language use, stress and anxiety. Graduate with a recognized certification.

- > Streams:
  - Brain and Behaviour
  - Mental Health and Well-Being

#### Physical Education

Explore the relationship between health, physical activity and recreation. Graduate ready to be a leader in education, sports management and recreation facilities.

## BACHELOR OF MANAGEMENT

Gain broad business skills to be able to strategize, organize and direct operations in any industry. Graduate ready to be an entrepreneur, small-business owner or contributor to a large corporation.

### Major:

#### Management

- > Streams:
  - Business Economics
  - General Management

## BACHELOR OF MUSIC

Pursue your passion for music by learning how to be a performer and a music educator.

### Major:

#### Performance-Based Pedagogy

- > Streams:
  - Comprehensive (General Music)
  - Conducting
  - Keyboard
  - Voice

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE / BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (SECONDARY) COMBINED

Complete three years at Augustana and two years at the North Campus Faculty of Education to graduate with two degrees and become a science educator.

### Major:

#### General Sciences

- > Specializations:
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - General Sciences
  - Mathematics

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

### Majors:

#### Integrative Biology

A biology degree with an increased focus on evolution, development and function. Graduate with a deep understanding of the scientific process and transferable skills to multiple different industries.

#### Chemical and Physical Sciences

Explore a combination of biochemistry, chemistry and physics to unravel how science impacts everyday life. Graduate with strong technical, theoretical and lab-based knowledge and skills.

- > Specialization:
  - Chemistry

#### Computing Science and Mathematics

Become a future leader in the tech realm through the development of hands-on skills and exposure to the underlying principles in computing science.

- > Streams:
  - Computational and Applied Mathematics
  - Computing Science

#### Environmental Science

Study the science behind nature and our human impact. Graduate with a degree developed by the Canadian University Environmental Science Network and the Environmental Career Organization Canada.

#### Physical Education

Gain a foundation in how the human body works to advance your career or graduate studies in health sciences, kinesiology, nutrition or physiology.

**Undecided?** Most of our programs are multidisciplinary so you will still be able to take a wide variety of courses in your first year and discover your purpose! Contact an advisor at [augustana@ualberta.ca](mailto:augustana@ualberta.ca) if you wish to discuss which program would be the best fit for you.

\* Interested in a professional program or graduate studies? Learn more about University of Alberta programs within other faculties at [uab.ca/programs](https://uab.ca/programs)

# READY, SET, APPLY!

## APPLICATION DATES AND DEADLINES

**2023**

**October 1**

Fall 2024 undergraduate application opens  
[uab.ca/apply](http://uab.ca/apply)

**October 21**

Augustana Preview Day  
[uab.ca/augpreview](http://uab.ca/augpreview)

**2024**

**January 10**

Awards application deadline  
[uab.ca/awards](http://uab.ca/awards)

**February 12**

Update new final marks

**March 1**

Fall 2024 admission application deadline (unless otherwise stated)  
[uab.ca/apply](http://uab.ca/apply)

**April**

Registration for courses for Fall 2024 semester opens

**May 1**

Deadline to accept admission offer (unless otherwise stated)  
[uab.ca/accept](http://uab.ca/accept)

**August 1**

Deadline to submit admission requirements



### ACADEMIC DEGREE

Requirements (five courses required for admission 1 2 3 4 5)

#### BACHELOR OF ARTS

1 English Language Arts 30-1

2 3 4 CHOOSE THREE OF:

- > Aboriginal Studies 30
- > Biology 30
- > Chemistry 30
- > Computing Science Advanced-Level Career and Technology Studies (5 credits)
- > Macroeconomics and Microeconomics 30
- > Mathematics 30-1 or Mathematics 30-2
- > Mathematics 31
- > Physics 30
- > Science 30
- > Social Studies 30-1
- > 30-level Language other than English

5 CHOOSE ONE OF:

- > An approved 30-level subject (5 credits)\*
- > **Additional Major Requirements** (In place of requirement 2)
- > **Physical Education:** Mathematics 30-1 or Mathematics 30-2
- > **Psychology & Mental Health:** Mathematics 30-1 or Mathematics 30-2
- > **Sustainability Studies:** Mathematics 30-1 or Mathematics 30-2

#### BACHELOR OF MANAGEMENT

1 English Language Arts 30-1

2 Mathematics 30-1

3 4 CHOOSE TWO OF:

- > Aboriginal Studies 30
- > Biology 30
- > Chemistry 30
- > Computing Science Advanced-Level Career and Technology Studies (5 credits)

- > Macroeconomics and Microeconomics 30
- > Mathematics 31
- > Physics 30
- > Science 30
- > Social Studies 30-1
- > 30-level Language other than English

5 CHOOSE ONE OF:

- > An approved 30-level subject (5 credits)\*

#### BACHELOR OF MUSIC

1 English Language Arts 30-1

2 3 4 CHOOSE THREE OF:

- > Aboriginal Studies 30
- > Biology 30
- > Chemistry 30
- > Computing Science Advanced-Level Career and Technology Studies (5 credits)
- > Macroeconomics and Microeconomics 30
- > Mathematics 30-1 or Mathematics 30-2
- > Mathematics 31
- > Physics 30

- > Science 30
- > Social Studies 30-1
- > 30-level Language other than English

5 CHOOSE ONE OF:

- > An approved 30-level subject (5 credits)\*
- > **Additional Major Requirements**
- > An audition and completion of a music questionnaire. Contact Augustana Campus, Fine Arts and Humanities Department, at 780-679-1673

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE / BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (SECONDARY) COMBINED

1 English Language Arts 30-1

2 Mathematics 30-1

3 Biology 30

4 Chemistry 30

5 CHOOSE ONE OF:

- > An approved 30-level subject (5 credits)\*

#### BACHELOR OF SCIENCE

◊ For a major in Computing Science and Mathematics, Aboriginal Studies 30, Social Studies 30-1 or a 30-level Language other than English may be presented in lieu of a second 30-level Science subject.

1 English Language Arts 30-1

2 Mathematics 30-1 (or Mathematics 30-2 for a Physical Education major)

3 4 CHOOSE TWO OF: ◊

- > Biology 30
- > Chemistry 30
- > Computing Science Advanced-Level Career and Technology Studies (5 credits)
- > Mathematics 31
- > Physics 30
- > Science 30

5 CHOOSE ONE OF:

- > An approved 30-level subject (5 credits)\*
- > **Additional Major Requirements** (In place of requirement 3 & 4)
- > **Chemical and Physical Sciences:** Chemistry 30 and one of Biology 30, Physics 30 or Science 30
- > **Environmental Science:** Biology 30 and Chemistry 30
- > **Integrative Biology:** Biology 30 and Chemistry 30
- > **Physical Education:** Biology 30 and Chemistry 30

\* Approved 30-level subjects include, but are not limited to:

- > Aboriginal Studies 30
- > Science 30
- > Social Studies 30-1 or Social Studies 30-2
- > 30-level Language other than English
- > Physical Education 30
- > Art 30
- > Drama 30
- > Advanced-Level Career and Technology Studies
- > General Music 30
- > Leadership, Character and Social Responsibility 35

Visit [uab.ca/programs](http://uab.ca/programs) or contact [augustana@ualberta.ca](mailto:augustana@ualberta.ca) for more information.

# FIND YOUR **PURPOSE**

[uab.ca/augfuture](https://uab.ca/augfuture)

## ASK US

You've got questions.  
We've got advisors.  
[augustana@ualberta.ca](mailto:augustana@ualberta.ca)

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