

THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Welcome to and welcome back to the Bachelor of Management program! There is some important information and a few events we want to make sure you are aware of. As usual, we always update the <u>Bachelor of Management Online Resources</u> webpage and we encourage you to check that page frequently throughout the term to access key resources for you.

About Winter Term 1 and Term 2

Faculty of Management

Following on the recent Broadcast email that you received about Term 2 course delivery, we are clarifying that all MGMT courses in Winter Session Term 1 and Term 2 will be online. There will be no requirement to be in Kelowna, in BC, or even in Canada to complete a MGMT course for Term 1 & 2.

In-person experiences may be offered and we are exploring how these may complement online delivery. Any in-person experiences that we can offer will be completely optional and not required. We will ensure that all students, regardless of where they are residing and how they are participating in MGMT courses, will receive a comparable, high-quality learning experience.

No matter what, we will do everything we can to keep everybody together, connected as one community of students, faculty and staff.

Key Events on September 8

Two sessions will be offered by the Faculty of Management and the Management Students Association: a Create Meet Your Faculty session, which is an orientation for new-to-UBC students (those entering 1st year and transfer students), and a Welcome Back session for returning students (any student with 2nd, 3rd, or 4th year standing in the BMGT program). Please note that these sessions will be recorded and available if you are unable to attend the live sessions. Recordings will be posted in the Management Foundations Canvas course (more on this course at the bottom of this email).

- Create Meet your Faculty session, 1:30pm to 2:15pm (Pacific). Recorded Zoom webinar. At this session you will meet the Dean, find key resources that will help you be successful, and hear advice from a student and faculty panel on ways to be successful in the BMGT program. You will also be able to ask questions live to the panelists and other staff and faculty.
- Welcome Back session, 3:00pm-4:00pm (Pacific). We will begin with a webinar where the Dean and the Management Students Association welcome you back. We will then break out into three specific Zoom meetings, one primarily designed for students in 2nd year, one for students in 3rd year, and one for students in 4th year. Those break-out sessions will occur simultaneously; you can choose whichever breakout session is most relevant for you. At each break-out session you will have an opportunity to hear from faculty teaching courses as well as staff discussing key programs and dates that you may be interested in. Each break-out will cover different topics and answer questions that we have heard from students over the summer.
 - At 3:00pm (Pacific) start the Welcome Back session by attending the recorded larger group session.
 - When directed to shift to a break-out session, choose one of the following Zoom meetings:
 - 2nd year Break-out (moderated by Will)
 - 3rd year Break-out (moderated by Arshraj)



- 4th year Break-out (moderated by Emily):
- Check out the Management Students Association <u>webpage</u> for information on other events to help BMGT students connect and prepare for the academic year.

MGMT Foundations 2020/21 Canvas Course

You are enrolled in the <u>MGMT Foundations 2020/21 Canvas course</u>. You should be able to access this course from your Dashboard in Canvas. This course includes key information on how to access resources throughout the BMGT program to help you be successful as well as hosts the Welcome Session Recordings.

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