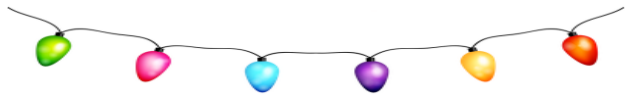


IMPORTANT DATES

- December 5** – Last Day of Classes
- December 7** – Engineering Grad Students Holiday Party at Sky Park (must register)
- December 8-21** - Final exam period
- December 10** – FGSR Grad Students Night
- December 22** - Faculty and Admin Offices closed at noon
- December 22 @ 12pm - January 1** - Campus Closed for Holiday Break

CONTACT US

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- Gina: gina.macpherson@uregina.ca
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- Book an advising appointment:
<https://www.uregina.ca/engineering/students/advising.html>



FOR YOUR INFORMATION

GTATA Positions – Application closed

The applications for GTATA positions are now closed. Thank you everyone who applied for a GTATA position. Offers will be made in early January. Please ensure that your study permit and registration are current for the term.

Are you completing the requirements of your degree in December 2023?

If yes, please book an appointment to get your photo taken so you will be included in the composite!

To book a graduation photo session with Camera One or to find out more details about when and where you can have your photo taken, please sign up on-line at www.cameraone.ca, email craig@cameraone.ca or call (306) 533-3347.

Completion of classes	Deadline for Application	Convocation Ceremony
December	November 30	Spring
April	January 31	Spring
Spring/Summer session	July 31	Fall

COMPETITION OPPORTUNITY

2024 SWANA SOLID WASTE DESIGN COMPETITION (DL: Jan 8, 2024)

The Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA) Young Professionals (YP) is holding its 9th annual International Solid Waste Design Competition (SWDC). SWANA's YP SWDC aims at providing design experience for students interested in pursuing an education and/or career in solid waste management. The 2023 competition included teams from University of Florida; University of Texas at Arlington; University of Ottawa; Jackson State University and Florida Atlantic University.

Team Entries are now being accepted for the program and students can participate in the Competition by having a team and a chance to win prizes! Application deadline is January 8, 2024. To participate, team members must be student members of SWANA. This year's competition will again be virtual, ensuring teams from around the world with the ability to be represented and present their designs. Create your teams now; spread the word among your students and remember the deadline for entering your team in the competition is January 8, 2024. The competition will be held during April 2024, and includes an awards ceremony.

For more, please visit the webpage <https://swana.org/community/young-professionals/solid-waste-design-competition>, or contact Kelvin Ng (kelvin.ng@uregina.ca).



DEAN'S HONOUR LIST

Do you want to be considered for the Fall 2023 Dean's Honour List?

Apply by emailing gina.macpherson@uregina.ca by **Jan. 5, 2024** – must include your student ID and a clear copy of your unofficial transcript.

The Graduate Dean's list is a list of students recognized for academic achievement by the Faculty of Engineering.

In order to be considered you must meet **ALL** requirements below:

1. Have completed all course requirements, including ENGG 900 and ENGG 800 (if it is a requirement of your program). You can apply if you are taking ENGG 900 this semester, with no other credit course.
2. Students who have completed the course requirements of their program and are working on their thesis are eligible to apply.
3. Have not received this award before (this is a one-time award).
4. Have a CGPA of 90% or greater.

Fine Print:

You will be contacted in January if awarded.

This is open to all MASC, MENG, and PhD students.

This is not added to your transcripts.

CONFERENCE

Industrial System Engineering (ISE) program at the University of Regina is organizing its 1st International Conference on Industrial, Manufacturing, and Process Engineering (ICIMP) in Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada (hybrid) during **June 27-29, 2024**. For detailed information, please visit the conference website: [Home | ICIMP-2024 \(icimp-ise.com\)](http://Home | ICIMP-2024 (icimp-ise.com)).

JOURNAL

ISE is excited to announce that accepted papers will be published in the Engineering Proceedings journal, which is indexed by major databases including SCOPUS. Additionally, selected high-quality papers will be published under multiple special issues in various journals. You can find more details about these special issues here [Publication | ICIMP-2024 \(icimp-ise.com\)](http://Publication | ICIMP-2024 (icimp-ise.com)). Paper can be submitted online via Log in to EasyChair for ICIMP – 2024, where you can also find detailed submission guidelines.

EVENT

December Grad Night!

Wrap-up the fall semester at FGSR's Grad Night.

Did you know that graduate students who take the time to be involved in their university community are more likely to complete their degrees?

**When: December 10th Where: Lazy Owl
Free Nachos for Grad Students!**

Why did the gingerbread man go to the doctor?



A: He felt crumbly!

SAFETY MOMENT

Lab Inspections

This month our faculty is focusing on the importance of lab safety inspections. They are one of the most important things your supervisor can do to ensure you have a safe environment for your research. You have a legal right to know about the hazards of your environment, and you have an important role to play! Take a moment this month to check - is your supervisor inspecting your lab monthly? (For computer labs, once a semester is fine). Are the inspections posted in your lab? What kind of hazards were noted, and were they all addressed? Are all lab hazards noted on the inspection form? If the answer to any of these questions is 'no', talk to your supervisor and see what can be done to improve lab safety.



GRAD DEFENSE UPDATES

Workshop: Citations: The Basics

An introduction to different citation styles, when and how to cite sources, with sample exercises.

The Graduate Thesis Coordinator will also be available to answer questions about thesis submission and defense following the workshop.

Thursday, December 7, 2023 at 2:00 pm via Zoom
(during Thesis Thursdays)

To register: <https://uregina.libcal.com/event/3737756>

Thesis submission deadlines:

Winter term PhD thesis submission deadline:
February 2, 2024.

Winter term Master's thesis submission deadline:
February 16, 2024.

For more information about thesis submission and defense email: grad.defense@uregina.ca

Workshop: How Do I Apply for Graduation?

How and when to apply for graduation: An overview for doctoral, masters, and master's certificate students.

Thursday, January 11, 2023 at 2:00 pm via Zoom

To register: <https://uregina.libcal.com/event/3768925>

Convocation:

2024 Spring (June) Convocation application deadline:
January 31, 2024.

For more information about applying to graduate email: grad.defense@uregina.ca

Workshop: How to Submit Your Thesis for Defense

Do you have questions about writing your thesis or how to submit? Then this information session is for you!

Tuesday, January 23, 2024 at 1:15 pm via Zoom

To register: <https://uregina.libcal.com/event/3762037>

Thesis Thursdays:

Winter: Thursdays, January 18 - April 4, 2024, 2:00 – 4:00 pm (no meeting Winter Break, February 22, 2024)

Meet virtually with the Grad Thesis Coordinator to ask questions about thesis submission and defense or attend virtual writing sessions designed to help you stay on track as you write your thesis.

To register: <https://uregina.libcal.com/calendar/grst> and look for "Thesis Thursdays – Winter 2024"





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Good luck on final exams and submitting final assignments as this term comes to a close!

We hope everyone has a restful break as we prepare to begin again in a new term and a new year.

For those of you defending this month, **congratulations!!** We wish you success in your future endeavours!

Happy Holidays

