

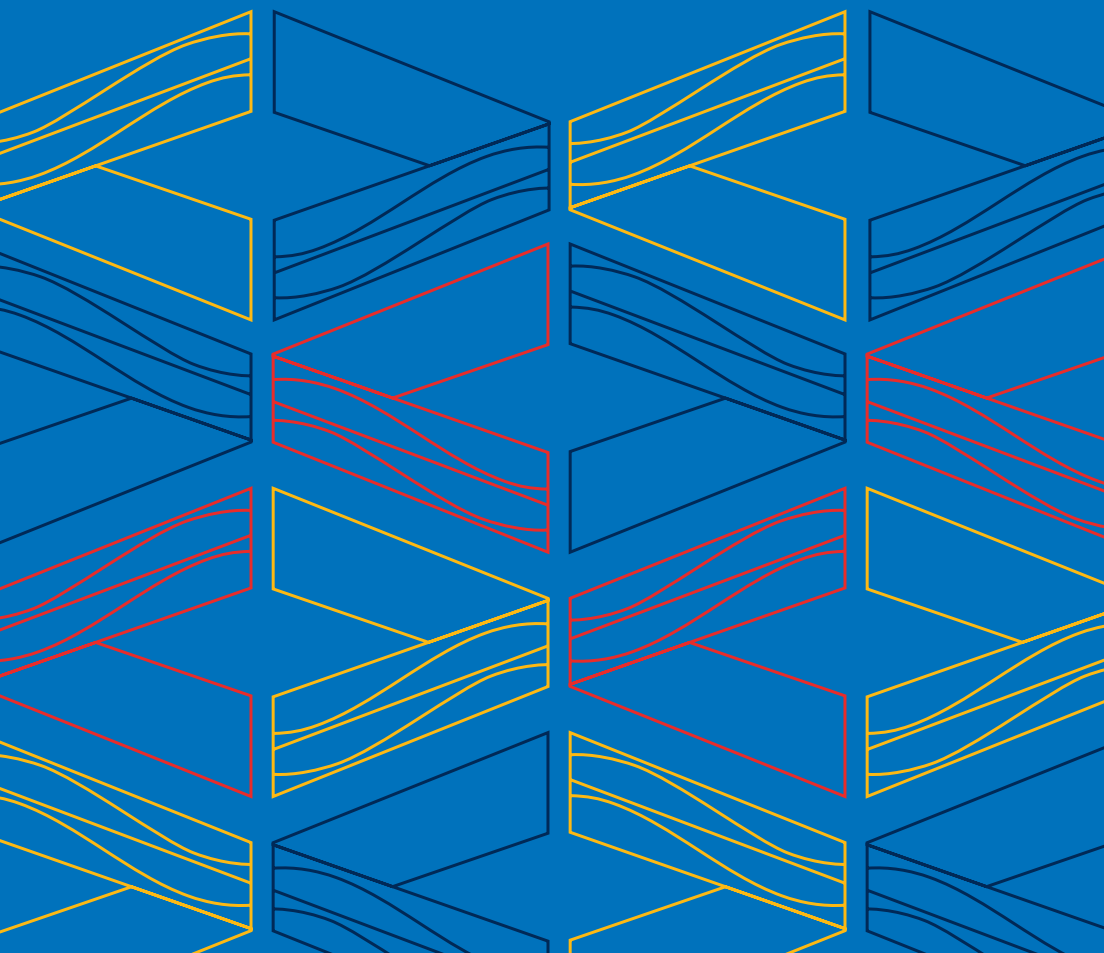


University
of Victoria

VICTORIA, CANADA

WELCOME TO THE
**UVIC PATHWAYS
PROGRAM**

SEPTEMBER 3, 2019 – AUGUST 28, 2020



THE UVIC PATHWAYS PROGRAM

This specialized first year program allows you to meet UVic's English language requirement while completing first year degree courses.

PROGRAM FEATURES

- Full-time, 12-month program
- 2 program streams: Canadian Career (includes pre-Business) or Science and Engineering
- 7 first-year degree courses = 10.5 units of credit (full year = 12 credits)
- UVic curriculum and instructors
- Academic support through labs and tutorials
- Smaller first-year classes
- Specialized workshops

The Pathways Program is delivered by the UVic English Language Centre (UVic ELC) in collaboration with the faculties of Social Sciences, Science and Engineering.

UVIC AT A GLANCE



RANKED IN THE
TOP 1%
OF UNIVERSITIES
WORLDWIDE



RANKED IN THE
★ TOP 5 ★
UNIVERSITIES IN CANADA
FOR SCIENTIFIC IMPACT



LOCATED IN VICTORIA,
**THE SECOND
SUNNIEST CITY**
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA



21,700 STUDENTS
UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE

ENGLISH LANGUAGE CENTRE AT A GLANCE

WINNER
LANGUAGE SCHOOL
OF THE YEAR
(ISTUDY GUIDE 2018-19)



A LEADER
IN INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION:
TEACHING ENGLISH
AT UVIC FOR 49 YEARS!



**TESOL-TRAINED
INSTRUCTORS**
WITH INTERNATIONAL TEACHING
EXPERIENCE GUARANTEED



**CENTRAL
LOCATION**
ON UVIC'S
BEAUTIFUL CAMPUS

2,500

STUDENTS FROM +35 COUNTRIES
ATTEND ELC PROGRAMS EACH YEAR

YOUR FUTURE SUCCESS BEGINS WITH UVIC PATHWAYS

UVic Pathways is a specialized first-year university program that combines degree courses with advanced academic English classes. You can look forward to a challenging, supported first year of university that will put you on the path to success in your UVic degree program.



**Engineering and Business are 5-year programs with mandatory co-op.*

BE PART OF THE UVIC COMMUNITY

As a Pathways student, you'll enjoy access to all UVic facilities and services, including:

- World-class athletic and recreation centre (CARSA) + 48 sport clubs
- 200 student clubs and 40 course unions
- The UVic library and International Learning Commons
- Computer-Assisted Language Laboratory (CALL) and Computer labs

PHUONG DUONG
Vietnam | Social Sciences

"I chose UVic because I want to be a successful business woman. I have a dream to become the owner of a restaurant or a coffee shop."



UVIC PATHWAYS OPTIONS

PATHWAYS STREAM	CANADIAN CAREER	SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING
SUITABLE FOR STUDENTS WHO:	Want to explore Social Sciences subjects while gaining practical experience to help get their careers off to a strong start after graduation.	Want to focus on foundational first-year courses in order to pursue specific careers in Science and/or Engineering.
COURSES OFFERED*	Canadian Studies, Economics, English, Math, Social Sciences	Canadian Studies, English, Math, Physics
TYPES OF DEGREES	<p>BA or BSc in 7 disciplines: Anthropology, Economics, Environmental Studies, Geography, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology</p> <p>BComm from the UVic Gustavson School of Business</p>	<p>BSc in 9 disciplines: Astronomy, Biochemistry, Biology, Chemistry, Earth & Ocean Sciences, Mathematics, Microbiology, Physics, Statistics</p> <p>BEng in 7 disciplines: Computer Science, Biomedical/Civil/Computer/Electrical/Mechanical/Software Engineering</p>

*Courses are subject to change

PATHWAYS PROGRAM SAMPLE SCHEDULE

ACADEMIC SESSION	DATES	UVIC DEGREE COURSES	ENGLISH LANGUAGE COURSES
WINTER SESSION	Sept-Dec 2019	Degree course 1, 1.5 units	Academic English (ELPI 490)
	Jan-April 2020	Degree course 2, 1.5 units	Academic English (ELPI 570)
SUMMER SESSION	April-May 2020	Degree course 3 (Canadian Studies), 1.5 units	University Admission Preparation (UAP)
	May-June 2020	Degree course 4, 1.5 units	English Tutoring Support
		Degree course 5, 1.5 units	
July –Aug 2020	Degree course 6, 1.5 units	English Tutoring Support	
	Degree course 7, 1.5 units		

UVic awards "units" of academic credit to completed courses; a one-term course typically has 1.5 credit units.

PROGRAM COMPLETION

Upon successful completion of the winter and summer sessions, you will have completed 10.5 units of university-level course work. To qualify for continued academic study at UVic, you must pass UAP and Canadian Studies and maintain good academic standing.



95%
OF PATHWAYS STUDENTS
PASSED UVIC'S ENGLISH
REQUIREMENT
DURING THE PROGRAM
(2016/17)



5.02
AVERAGE GPA
IN THE PATHWAYS
ACADEMIC
SESSIONS
(2016/17)

CAREER DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

No matter your UVic degree, business knowledge and professional communication skills enhance employability in any field. UVic's Gustavson School of Business and the Faculty of Humanities offer the following programs to give a competitive edge to your degree:

- **The Business Minor Program** uvic.ca/gustavson/undergraduate/minor
- **The Master of Management (a graduate degree)** uvic.ca/gustavson/gill/mm
- **The Professional Communication Program (a minor degree)**
uvic.ca/professionalcommunication

UVIC CO-OP

Enhance your degree studies with paid work experience! With the UVic co-operative education ("co-op") program, you'll alternate study terms with paid work terms employed in your field of study. It's a great way to find a career path that you love!

WORK LOCALLY, NATIONALLY OR INTERNATIONALLY

- BC Cancer Agency
- Google
- Microsoft
- Pacific Biological Station
- Parks Canada
- Tesla

2017 CO-OP AND CAREER GRADUATING SURVEY RESULTS

51%
OF GRADUATING STUDENTS HAD
RECEIVED AN OFFER
OF EMPLOYMENT
BY THEIR DATE OF GRADUATION;

87%
OF THESE REPORTED THAT
THEIR POSITIONS WERE
CAREER ORIENTED
AND IN THEIR CHOSEN FIELD

67%
OF STUDENTS
FOUND WORK THROUGH A
PREVIOUS CO-OP EMPLOYER

53%
OF CO-OP STUDENTS HAD
OBTAINED A SALARY
OVER \$50,000 PER YEAR

YAMILA FRANCO
Dominican Republic | Biology

Yamila completed a valuable co-op term with the Science Venture Program, coordinating science experiments for youth campers.



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS: (ONE OF THE FOLLOWING)

- › CAEL 50 with no section less than 40
- › IELTS 5.5 with no section less than 5.0
- › TOEFL 71 with no section less than 15
- › Passing grade for level 410 in the ELC 12-Week Program

ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS:

For acceptance into the Pathways Program, you must meet the University of Victoria's academic entrance requirements for your country.

For more information, visit: uvic.ca/future-students/undergraduate/admissions

PROGRAM FEES

- › **Tuition: \$33,175 CAD**
(includes all credit and English courses, English tutors, gym membership, extended health and dental insurance and a 12-month bus pass)
- › Application fee: \$325 CAD (includes courier fee)
- › Program deposit: \$1,000 CAD (part of tuition, not an additional cost)

ADDITIONAL EXPENSES

- › Books and supplies: \$1,700 CAD (approximate)
 - › Homestay with meals: \$950 CAD / month
 - › UVic Residence with standard meal plan: \$5,304 CAD/4-month term (based on 2018-19 rates)
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APPLYING TO THE PATHWAYS PROGRAM

Complete the
Pathways application
uvic.ca/pathways
Deadline: April 30

Pay the application
fee and deposit

Send official
transcripts and
language exam
results

Visit
uvic.ca/applied
Check the status of
your application

QUESTIONS?

For further information find us online at uvic.ca/elc
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