



## UCalgary Graduate Demystifying Finance For Everyone

Kalee Boisvert, MBA'19 is a UCalgary graduate and a published author, promoting financial literacy and accessibility to groups who are often ignored or excluded in financial conversations. Her book "Make Money Your Thing" is specifically aimed towards women looking to start their financial journey, and her most recent release, a children's book titled "Moneywise Mabel's Bursting Bank" is a fun, easy-to-understand way to teach school-aged kids the fundamentals and concepts of money management. The only thing more impressive than her current accolades is the inspiring story of how she got there. Now an advisor at Raymond James, Boisvert is putting her stamp on the way we view finance.

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## Alumni Engagement Corner



### Alumni All-Access: Spend the day at TELUS Spark

For one day only, UCalgary alumni and their families will get a special alumni discount on admission to UCalgary community partner TELUS Spark, as part of Alumni All-Access. The first 250 guests checked-in will also receive a fun space-themed goody, on us!

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### Alumni All-Access Story: What is The Human Performance Lab?

As part of Alumni All-Access and the UCalgary Alumni Association Field Trips series the Human Performance Lab (HPL) is giving your family or fellow alumni an exclusive behind the scenes tour on October 21st! But what can you see in the HPL?

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### Alumni All-Access: Learn How To Combat Food Insecurity

October 16 is World Food Day. Join a free webinar to learn more about food insecurity on campus and in the Calgary community, and what you can do to address it.

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### Alumni All-Access: Hone Your Professional Development Skills

Join UCalgary's Continuing Education for three free webinars on marketing, AI and cloud computing and using strategic thinking to excel in your profession!

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### Calling all UCalgary Law Alumni!

Did you attend our fantastic event at the Craft Beer Market in Toronto back in September? We had a blast, and now we're looking to expand our incredible alumni society. Join us in shaping the future of UCalgary law alumni connections and events! Become a volunteer today and help us grow together!



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### Save The Date To Skate With Santa!

It's never too early to start thinking about the holidays! Join fellow UCalgary alumni on Dec. 10 at the Olympic Oval to indulge in some sweet treats, participate in a craft and, of course, skate with the big man himself!

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## Alumni Exclusives



### Closed Door: Handling Difficult Conversations In The Workplace

As part of UFlourish 2023, UCalgary graduate Gillian Rasmussen has some advice for all on "Navigating Tricky Conversations" in the workplace whether you are an entry level employee, manager or CEO, these skills will help you to step up your conversation game.

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### UCalgary Around the World: 12 Academics Who Took Their Expertise Global this Summer

From South Africa and Spain to the United Kingdom and Australia, UCalgary researchers went around the world for field schools, conferences, cross-border projects, global relations and more!

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### Navigating the Virtual Crime Universe

A partnership between the Calgary Police Service and UCalgary's cybercrime simulation centre aims to help catch real-life criminals and has the potential to change the game for cybercrime-detectives here and around the world. .

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### Fort McMurray Wildfires Inspired UCalgary Alum to Start Fundraising Candle Business

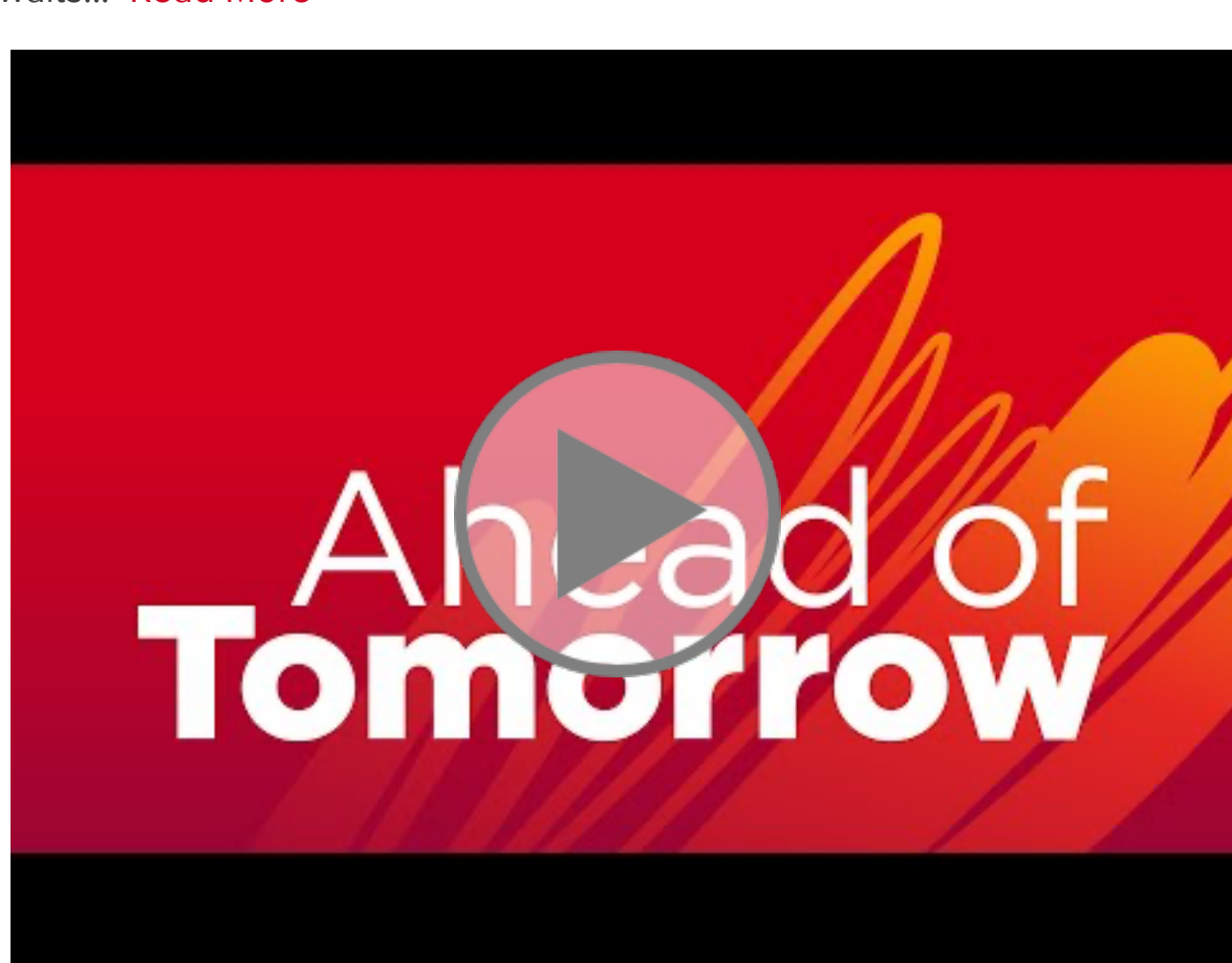
Inspired by an Adaptive Physical Activity class she took at UCalgary, Holly Singer, BSc'12 knew that if she was going to start a business she was going to use it as a way to raise money for people with disabilities. As a result, her company, Milkjar, now donates a dollar for every candle sold. Milkjar has raised more than \$236,000.

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## Campus Connect

### Ahead of Tomorrow: UCalgary And Community Embark Together On Bold New Course

A new chapter has begun at the University of Calgary, marked by the community unveiling of our strategic plan, Ahead of Tomorrow, on Sept. 16. More than 600 guests joined us at the Genesis Centre in northeast Calgary to celebrate this important milestone. The excitement and anticipation that filled the air reflected the growth and drive that define our university, providing a glimpse into the bright future that awaits... [Read More](#)



### Career Services and Leadership And Student Engagement Offices Merge

A shared goal of providing students with exemplary support and guidance has brought two University of Calgary offices together to create the [Centre for Career and Personal Development \(CCPD\)](#).

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### UCalgary Innovators Celebrated at 2023 BioAlberta Achievement Awards

Dr. Kristina Rinker, P.Eng, professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Schulich School of Engineering, was recognized along with her team of additional co-founders, including Dr. Kenneth Fuh, PhD'17, for research contributions that led to the development and commercialization of an innovative molecular diagnostic technology, [Syantra DX](#).



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### Trick or Eat Food Drive

The Centre for Career and Personal Development is hosting the annual Trick or Eat food drive Oct 30 from 4:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m. This event collects food donations for the Students' Union Campus Food Bank and the Calgary Food Bank through an on-campus food drive and a trick-or-treat-style collection from residents in the surrounding community. Contribute to student food access by volunteering with this event, or bringing a non-perishable food donation to a participating office!

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### Kassua Dreyer's Story | National Day for Truth and Reconciliation

Dinos athlete and International Indigenous Studies student Kassua Dreyer tells her inspiring story of being an Indigenous USports athlete.



## Upcoming Events and Programs

- Oct. 12 - 22 | [Alumni All Access](#)
- Oct. 12 | [2023 Arch Awards](#)
- Oct. 12 | [A Four Decade Journey From Cross-Cultural Education](#)
- Oct. 14 | [Marguerite Schumacher Memorial Alumni Lecture](#)
- Oct. 14 | [Science In Cinema: Inside Out](#)
- Oct. 15 | [UCalgary Alumni Day At TELUS Spark Science Centre](#)
- Oct. 16 | [Addressing Food Insecurity At UCalgary](#)
- Oct. 17 | [UCalgary Alumni Association Annual General Meeting](#)
- Oct. 17 | [Unpacking Portfolio Careers Webinar](#)
- Oct. 18 | [Continuing Education Webinar 1: Rediscovering Marketing](#)
- Oct. 18 | [Continuing Education Webinar 2: Journey into Cloud Computing and AI](#)
- Oct. 19 | [Continuing Education Webinar 3: Strategic Thinking Skills](#)
- Oct. 19 | [Charbonneau Lab Tours](#)
- Oct. 20 | [Dinos Volleyball Games](#)
- Oct. 21 | [Field Trip: Human Performance Lab Tours](#)
- Oct. 22 | [Connecting The Innovation Dots With Dr. Bob](#)
- Oct. 22 | [Field Trip: Yamnuska Wolfdog Sanctuary](#)
- Oct. 25 - 26 | [International Symposium for Well-Being and Violence Prevention](#)
- Oct. 30 | [Trick or Eat Food Drive](#)
- Nov. 1 - 15 | [UFlourish](#)

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