

Alumni Engagement



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**Why Care About Pat Carlson?
(We Do – and With Good Reason)**

The son of a farmer, this year's Arch Award-recipient for Distinguished Alumni Award for Lifetime Achievement weighs in on everything under the sun, from pinching perogies and launching five energy companies to thoughts on climate change and marriage at 19. This feature by Deb Cummings, MEd'17, takes a look at the fascinating career, life and family of this energy entrepreneur, philanthropist and father of three.

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Whats on Deck?



CIH 6th Annual LGBTQ2S+ Lecture | Sep.4

As a part of Pride Week, the CIH will be hosting Dr. Dan Healey, Professor Emeritus of Modern Russian History at the University of Oxford to speak on "Ukraine, Russia, and the Struggle for LGBTQ Freedom".

[Register Here](#)



University of Calgary Alumni Association Annual General Meeting | Sept.18

All UCalgary alumni are invited to the 2024 Annual General Meeting of UCalgary Alumni Association (UCAA). Want to be involved? Follow the link for AGM notice and to register.

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Alumni All Access | Oct. 15-30

Our annual celebration of all things UCalgary returns this October. Everyone is invited to join us for 15 exciting days in filled with amazing events, opportunities to discover new ideas and a chance to explore UCalgary programs.

[See Full Lineup](#)

Alumni Features



Recognizing Your 2024 Arch Awards Recipients

It's that time of year again and we are very proud to introduce your 2024 Arch Award recipients! Congratulations go out to Pat Carlson, BSc (Eng)'75; Dr. Karim-Aly Kassam, BA'87, PhD.; Laakkuluk Williamson Bathory, BA'04; Dr. Monty Ghosh, BSc'03, MBT'04, MD'09; Joanne Cuthbertson, BEd'73, Hon. LLD'11 and Dr. Asha Hollis, BHSc'17, MSc'22, MD'22.

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Winter Olympian Shines as an Artist at the Paris 2024 Games

Few athletes will participate in either the Winter or Summer Olympics, and even fewer manage to do both. But Brooklyn McDougall, BSc'21, an Olympic speed skater can now count herself in this elite group. Instead of chasing medals in Paris, McDougall traded her skates for a paintbrush, using her artistic talents to make her mark on the world's biggest stage.

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Alumni Benefits & Offers



New Alumni Exclusive Dinos Athletics Season Ticket Discount

Enjoy a 25% discount on sport-specific season tickets for Dinos Athletics. This special offer is available from August 19 to October 31. To take advantage of this offer, visit [here](#) and use the code **24-25UCALGARYALUMNI25%** at checkout. Must be purchased [online](#). This is just one of the many special offers currently available to you as UCalgary Alumni, read more below!

[Dinos Season Tickets | Alumni Benefits and Discounts](#)

Campus Connect

UCalgary Pride Week (Aug. 26 to Sept. 1)

Join us in recognizing and celebrating the LGBTQ2S+ community through a series of exciting events, including a flag-raising ceremony, celebrations and our participation in the Calgary Pride Parade, and timely speaker series.

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Distinguished Members of UCalgary Community Among Latest Appointees to Order of Canada

Four outstanding members of the UCalgary community have been appointed to one of the highest civilian honours - the Order of Canada - including alum Nima Dorjee, BSc (Eng)'92.

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Creating Tomorrow: Water | Oct.22

UCalgary is changing the landscape of water research. We are at the forefront of developing innovative technologies and strategies for ensuring long-term water sustainability. Join us as we explore the relationships, partnerships and people involved. You'll hear from the experts currently working on water research projects and learn more about how you can get involved.

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Upcoming Events and Programs

- Aug.26 - Sept.1 | UCalgary Pride Week
- Aug.30 | Dinos Kickoff
- Sept.4 | CIH 6th Annual LGBTQ2S+ Lecture
- Sept.8 | Dino Dash
- Sept.17 | Career Connect: Is it Stress or Burnout?
- Sept.17 | Cumming School of Medicine, McCaig Institute: Cy Frank Legacy Lectureship
- Sept.18 | UCAA Annual General Meeting
- Sept.20-22 | Beakerhead
- Sept.19-29 | Calgary International Film Festival
- Sept.30 | National Day for Truth and Reconciliation
- Oct.17 | Arch Awards
- Oct.28 | Dinos Hall of Fame Induction
- Oct.15-30 | Alumni All Access

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