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GRADUATE SCHOOL

WELCOME

FT MBA Class of 2021

UBC SAUDER
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS



Congratulations!

Agenda

1. **Key staff**
2. **Ensure everyone understands the program schedule**
3. **Tips for Success**
4. **Global Opportunities**
5. **MBA Society & MBA Games**

Opening Week Schedule

- Times
- Location
- Items to bring
- Dress code

Opening Week

Why are we here?

Get to know

- The people
- The program & policies
- Understand our expectations of you and what you can expect of us

Your RHL Student Experience Team



Shannon Sterling
Director
MBA Programs



Paola Portaro
Manager
FT MBA Program



Alina Yukhymets
Manager
Global Learning



Tony Olenja
FT MBA Senior
Program Assistant



Marianne Kinley
IMBA Senior
Program Assistant

Your BCC Team



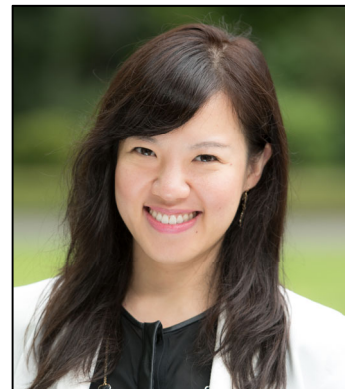
Martina Valkovicova
Assistant Dean



Ivan Yuen
Associate Director



Mary Cowan
Manager, MBA Careers



Iris Cai
Manager, MBA Careers

Who's here for you?

Key contacts for the program:



Paola Portaro
Program Manager



Tony Olenja
Senior Program Assistant

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MBA Class of 2021 Class Profile

- **Class size: 100**
- **Average age: 29**
- **Gender:**
 - 37% Female
 - 63% Male
- **International/Domestic:**
 - 36% Domestic
 - 64% International
- **Number of countries represented: 24**

MBA Program Journey



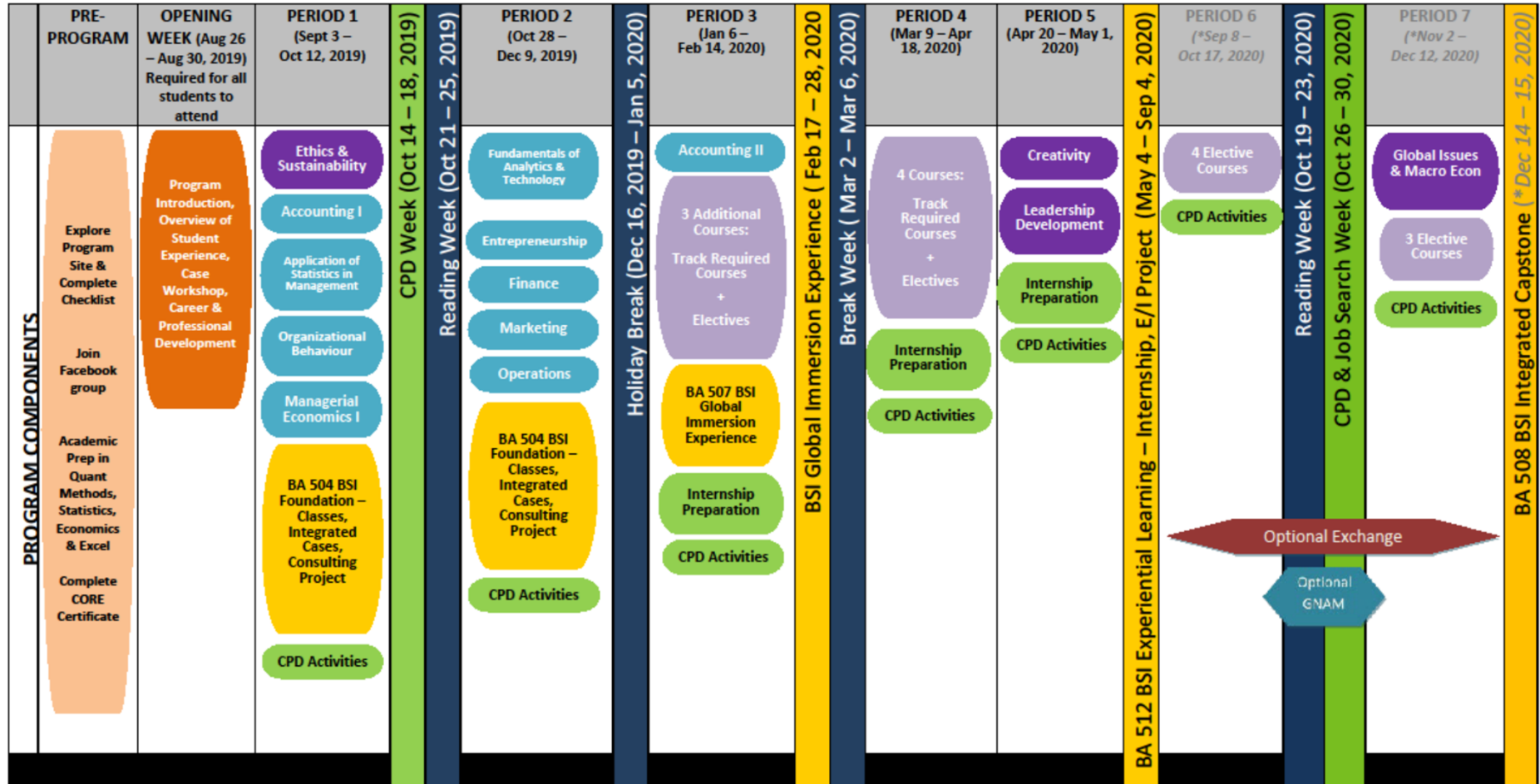
MBA Program Content

16-month Program

August 2019 to December 2020, Graduation in May 2021

- 51.5 credits of course work in total to earn your degree
- Foundational course work
- Wide range of electives
- Experiential Learning
- Start of Classes: Tues Sept 3, 2019 (Labor Day Holiday: Monday Sept 2)

Full-time MBA Class of 2021 – Program Overview



*Dates from P6 onwards are tentative and subject to change – please do not make travel plans for P6 onwards until the schedule is finalized in May 2020

CPD = Career & Professional Development

GNAM = Global Network for Advanced Management

Updated April 15, 2019

But first, what is a “Period?”

- 6 weeks long: 5 weeks in class, 1 week exams
- You will have 7 Periods throughout your 16 month MBA

P1 & P2

- Time of excitement and adjustment
- Transition to Grad School
- Getting to know your classmates, professors and advisors
- Working in teams
- Conflicting priorities
- Lots of information!

Tips for success

- Support each other & connect with other RHL grad students
- Time management
- Realistic expectations
- Ask questions
- Make the most of your time here!

Class Norms - Respect

- Be on time
- Don't leave unnecessarily
- Have an open mind
- Disagree respectfully
- Add value – pay attention to what has been said already, and don't just repeat it
- Encourage your classmates
- Be accountable & hold each other accountable



In the classroom

- Casual dress-code for day-to-day classes – profs will tell you when you need to dress up
- Bring your name tent to every class & set it up on the desk in front of you
- Be on time
- Lids down policy – taking notes by hand. Many profs will post their powerpoint slides in advance on the module site so you can print them and bring them with you to take notes on
- Review the syllabus & module site and ask for clarifications
- Participate - be prepared to actively contribute
- Don't be afraid to ask questions

Graduation

May 2021



Program Communications

Who: RHL, BCC, your MBA Instructors

When: Only when necessary – we don't want to spam you!

Where: Canvas

Why: Relevant program/course information, events, reminders

Canvas Set Up

Account > Notifications > Announcement > Send daily summary

Notification Preferences

Rebekah Chotem > Notification Preferences

Notifications

Profile Notify me right away Send daily summary Send weekly summary Do not send me anything

Course Activities	Email Address
Due Date	rebekah.chotem@sauder.ubc.ca
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Course Content	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Questions?

Global Immersion Experience 2020

Feb 17 to 28, 2020



Global Immersion Experience



GIE Germany (Berlin)



Darren Dahl



Teresa Pan



GIE Chile (Santiago)



**Danielle van
Jaarsveld**



Paola Portaro



GIE Israel (Tel Aviv)



Rob Prowse



Shannon Sterling



GIE Hong Kong



**Lisa
Cavanaugh**



**Alina
Yukhymets**

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Global Immersion Experience 2020

Budgeting for Global Immersion

- Approximately \$5000 CAD (not included in your tuition) for flights, accommodations, meals, ground transportation at host countries
- Includes \$600 paid directly to Sauder as a course fee for some shared costs.



Global Immersion Timeline and Selection

Sept. 14 – on-line application open

Sept. 19 – on-line application and \$600 course fee due

Sept. 23 – location results announced

Lottery method selection for oversubscribed destinations

Global Immersion Important Dates

GIE Hong Kong, Chile, Germany:

Mon. Feb. 17 – Fri. Feb. 28, 2020

GIE Israel:

Sun. Feb. 16 – Thur. Feb 27, 2020

GIE Preparation Class Dates:

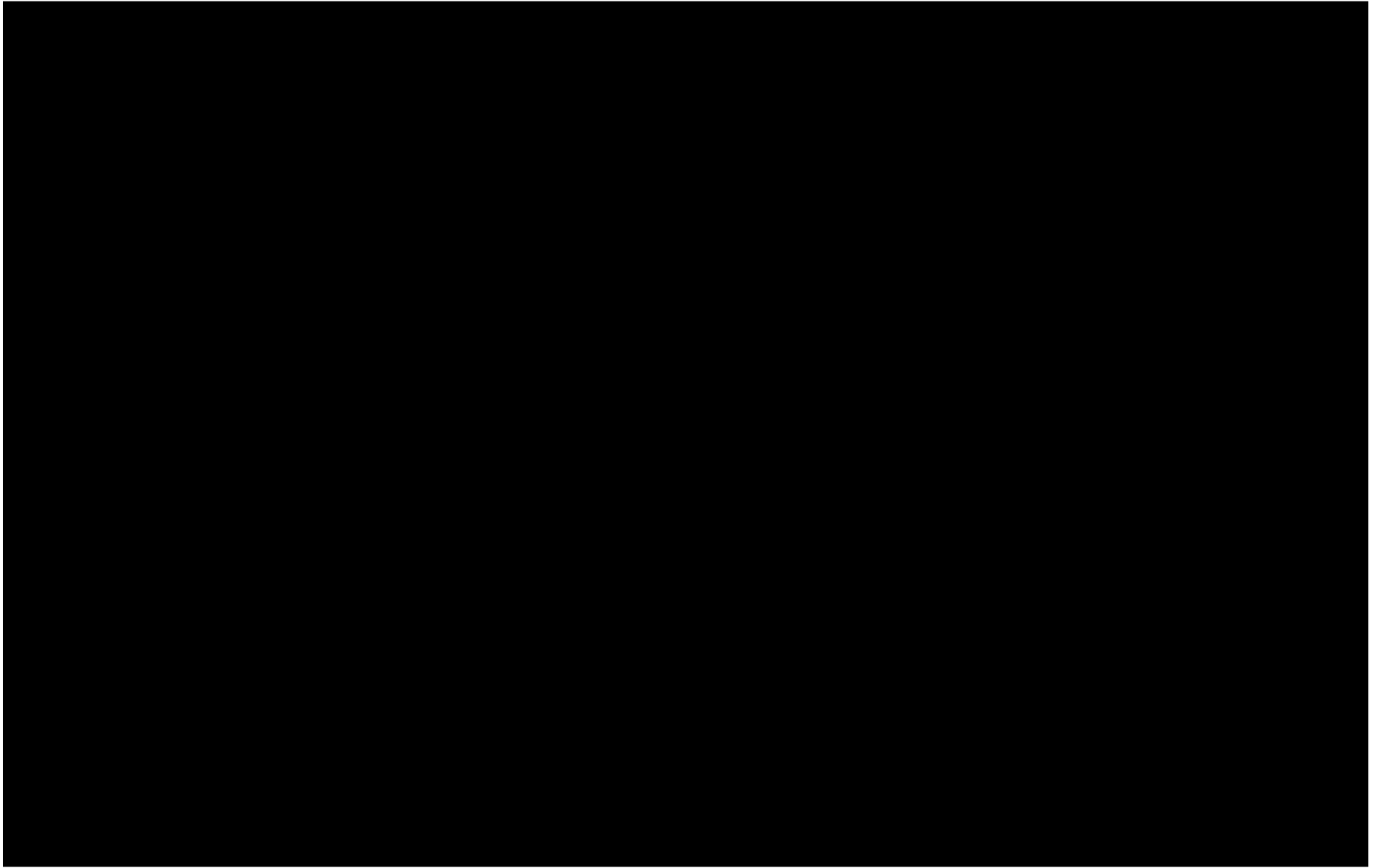
Class 1: Tuesday, September 24th, 1:00-4:00pm

Class 2: Thursday, November 21st, 1:00-4:00pm

Class 3: Tuesday, January 21st, 2020, 1:00-4:00pm

GIE Debrief and Celebration:

Tuesday, March 12th, 2020



International Exchange

Period 6 & Period 7

34 Partners in 21 Countries

IE Business School, **Spain**

ESSEC, **France**

RSM, **Netherlands**

IIM Bangalore, **India**

NUS, **Singapore**

CEIBS, **China**

FGV-EASP, **Brazil**

Melbourne Business School, **Australia**



International Exchange

Period 6 & Period 7

- Detailed Presentation in the Fall
- Application is due mid-January
- Spend your last term at one of the top business schools globally



Global Network for Advanced Management

Fall 2020

- Unprecedented access to global learning (30 partners around the world)
- Global Network Courses: On-line courses
- Global Network Weeks: intensive course at partner institution



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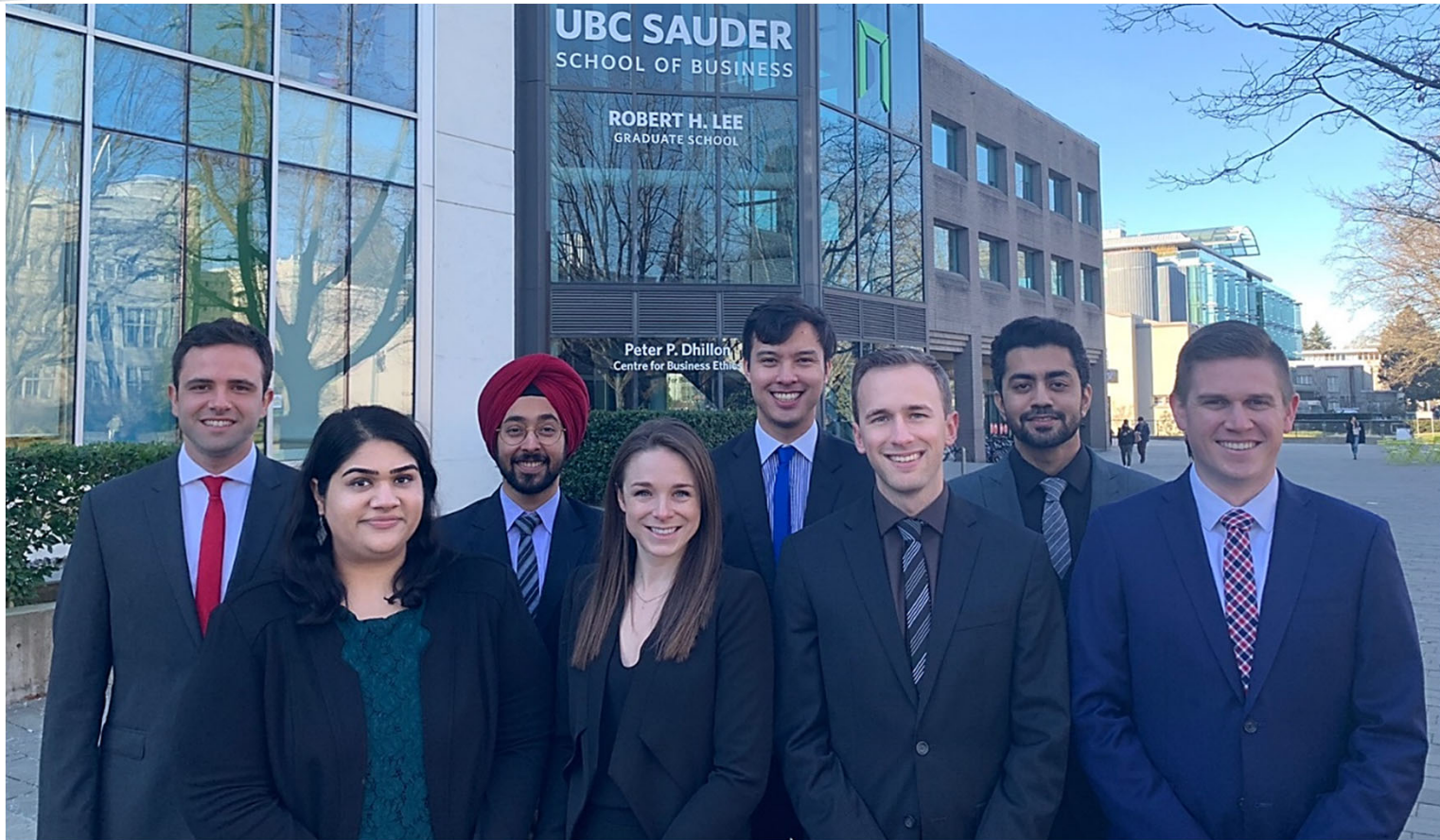


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UBC MBA – Yale Master of Advanced Management (MAM) Dual Degree



MBA Student Society



<http://www.mbasociety.ca>

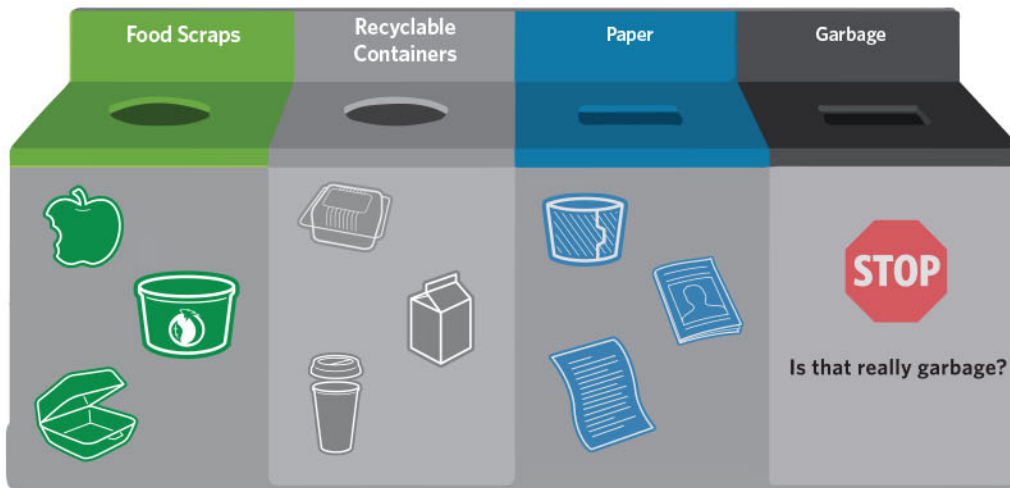
Announcements

Class photo & Bags

- Outside in front of the UBC Sauder building & Bag distribution

You Make a Difference. Sort It Out. Keep It Clean.

Respect your environment and others when you're sharing a space.



Recycling stations are available throughout the school for you to dispose your food scraps and recyclables.