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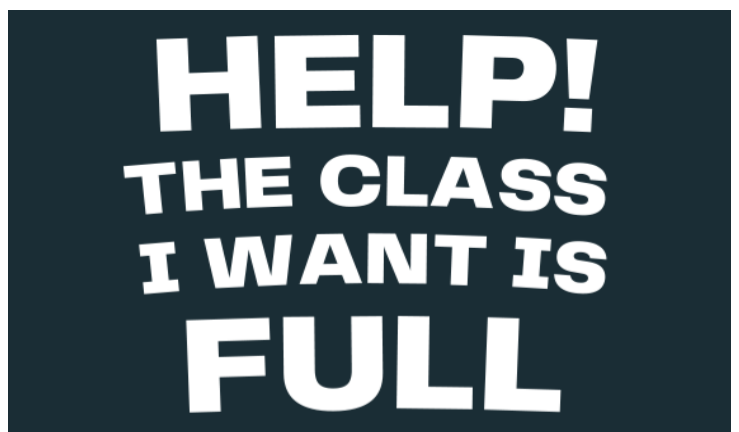
Hi there, students! It is almost the end of the Spring 2024 semester, and we bet you are extremely busy wrapping up this exciting term. We at KPU International wish you all the best with your exams and projects. If you are looking for some fun activities to do this April, visit the [Whistler Ski & Snowboard Festival](#) where you can enjoy exciting ski and snowboard competitions, concerts and other events. You can also consider dropping by the [Abbotsford Tulip Festival](#), the largest display of tulips in Canada and a fabulous place to take photos, stroll and enjoy a picnic. Now, in this edition of our newsletter, let us explore some important information for international students, especially for those who will join KPU for the first time in Summer 2024.

Classes are full! What should I do?

The class you want to take for **Summer 2024** is full?

Don't worry! Other students who got in may change their selections before the new semester starts, or new sections of certain classes may open to accommodate more students. Besides, you still have a chance to get into the class you want with our [Waitlisting](#) option.

For more information on what to do when the class you want to register for is full, take a look at our [video tutorial](#) and [handout](#).



New International Student Checklist

Are you an international student joining KPU for the first semester in **Summer 2024**? As a new international student, there are several important steps and procedures you need to complete before starting your first class at KPU.

Let's take a look through the [New International Student Checklist](#) to learn more about what you need to do to ensure a smooth transition to KPU!

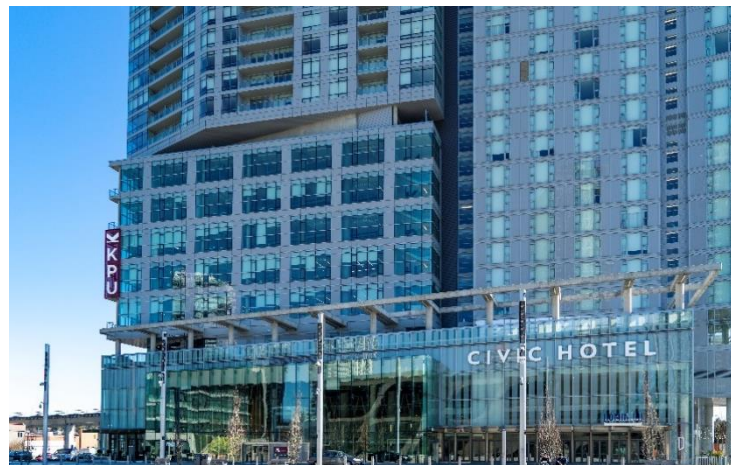
KPU100 - Introduction to University

Get prepared for a new semester at KPU with highly effective learning and life tips by taking the **KPU100** course!

This course offers **university beginners** the opportunity to engage with faculty and other students and learn useful tips for your brand-new academic journey at KPU.

This non-credit course is offered completely **free to KPU students** with multiple online sessions on **April 22 - 26**.

New international students are highly encouraged to join. Click [here](#) to sign up!



Co-op Information Session with KPU International

Looking for opportunities to apply your classroom knowledge to address real-world challenges and gain Canadian work experience? All Co-op jobs are paid and are offered for students in a variety of [programs](#)!

To learn more about how Co-op can enhance your educational experience and prepare you for a rewarding career, join us online on **Apr 03, 2024 (12 - 1 PM)** for the **Co-op Information Session**! The **Co-op Education Team** and **KPU International** will be there to answer your questions. Visit [KPU Career Connection](#) for more information on the event!

New Student Orientation for Summer 2024!

New Student Orientation is an opportunity to discover KPU and the resources available for students. New students can also meet fellow students and receive advice from seniors before starting the first semester at KPU.

New international students are required to attend the **International Live Virtual Orientation** and **KPU Welcomes You** and to enroll in the **Online Orientation Course** to learn valuable information before starting your studies at KPU. Click [here](#) for more details!



IRCC updates on Open Work Permit (OWP) eligibility for spouses and common-law partners of international students

Starting **March 19, 2024**, your spouse or common-law partner may be eligible for an OWP if you have a valid study permit, and you are studying in either:

- a master's or doctoral degree program in a university or polytechnic institution, or
- one of the eligible professional degree programs at a university.

This change shall not affect those who applied for an OWP before March 19, 2024, or those with an existing valid OWP and want to extend it under this stream. Click [here](#) for more information!

Please feel free to contact us at KPU International if you have any questions or need support!