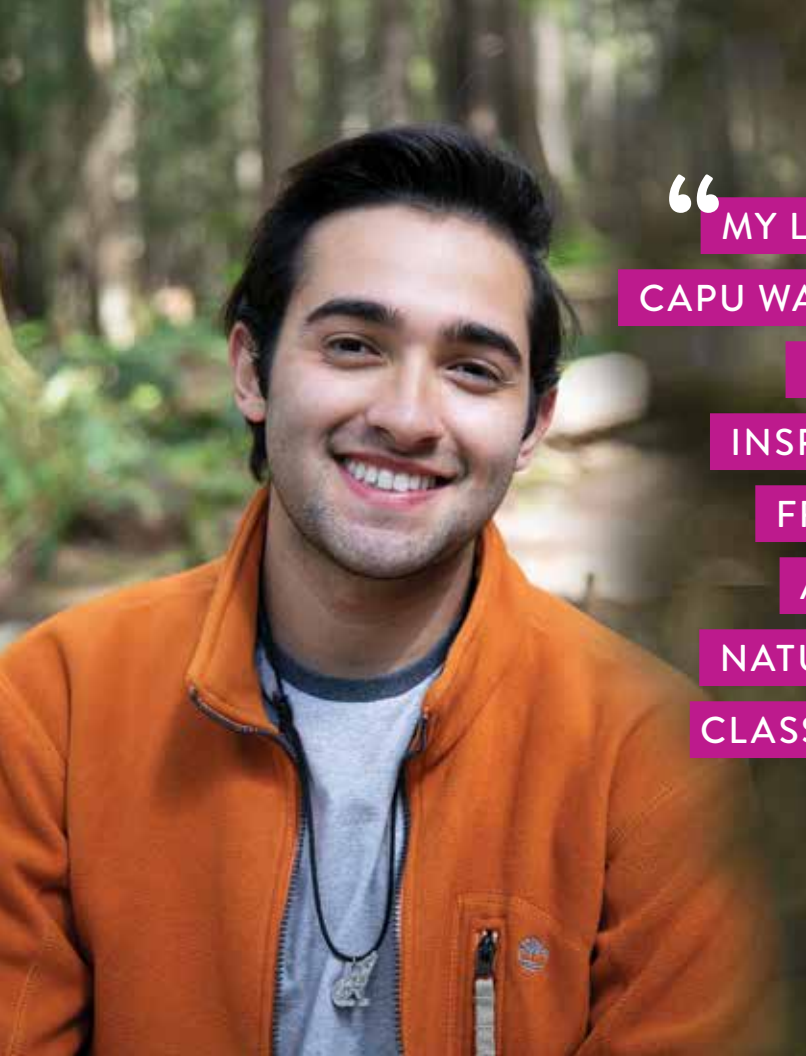




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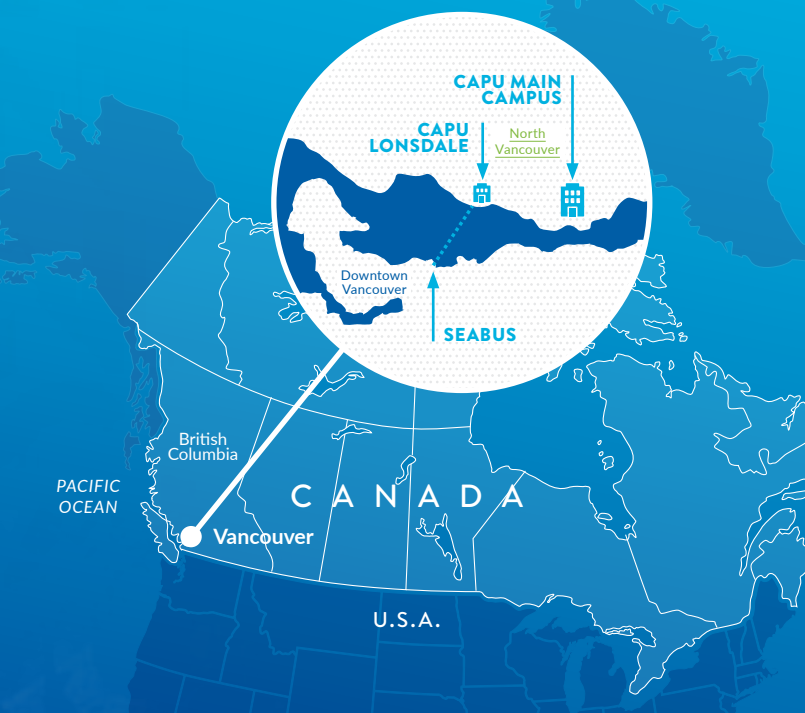
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CAPU WAS WELL WORTH IT.

TO THIS DAY, I GET
INSPIRED BY THE SUN,
FRESH VANCOUVER
AIR AND AMAZING
NATURE, ALL FROM MY
CLASSROOM WINDOW.”

GABRIEL MACIEL
BACHELOR OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION STUDENT

SKI, HIKE OR BIKE IN THE MORNING. HIT THE BEACH IN THE AFTERNOON.

Ranked one of the world's most livable cities, Vancouver is a vibrant, ethnically-diverse city with a mild coastal climate. The communities surrounding CapU are known for an active lifestyle, innovative food scene and lively urban neighbourhoods.



Baden Powell Trail, North Vancouver, B.C.

FROM CAPU

| | |
|---------|-----------------------|
| 30 min. | to downtown Vancouver |
| 10 min. | to the beach |
| 20 min. | to local mountains |

MILD CLIMATE

| | |
|-------|----------------------|
| 22° C | average July high |
| 7° C | average January high |

Source: Meteorological Service of Canada



Main Campus, North Vancouver, B.C.

PREPARING YOU FOR A CHANGING WORLD

Study for success in interactive and focused classes dedicated to providing you with hands-on experiences and education of the highest quality.

Gain industry-relevant knowledge with experienced instructors who are here to coach and guide you along the way.

Build new friendships with student mentors who are excited to introduce you to CapU and all the resources we offer for a smooth transition.

Discover your path through practical studies and a range of credentials offering volunteer, study abroad and/or work-integrated learning opportunities.

95%

of CapU bachelor's degree graduates are satisfied with their CapU education

*B.C. Student Outcomes Bachelor's Degree Survey (2016-2018)

DIVERSE AND GLOBALLY ENGAGED

Capilano University is a public university that is fully accredited by both the Government of British Columbia (Canada) and the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (USA).

CAPU FACTS

9,032 students enrolled in for-credit programs

2,493 international students call CapU home

430 Indigenous students

80 countries represented

36 student clubs and associations

20 study abroad destinations to choose from

25 average class size

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CAPU GIVES YOU A SAFE

SPACE TO EXPLORE

DIFFERENT SUBJECTS.

INSTRUCTORS WELCOME

NEW IDEAS AND ENCOURAGE

RELEVANT DISCUSSIONS

TO PREPARE YOU FOR

THE REAL WORLD.”

YEONJU HONG

TOURISM MANAGEMENT FOR
INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
DIPLOMA STUDENT



ADVANCE YOUR ENGLISH SKILLS

English for Academic Purposes (EAP) courses

Find out your EAP Level (050 to 100/101).

If you do not have proof of your English language proficiency, find out your English level by taking CapU's English for Academic Purposes (EAP) Placement Test.

capilanou.ca/eap/eap-placement-test

✔ Studying in an English Language Partner School?

Successful completion of a specific English level at one of CapU's partner schools will help you meet the English Language Requirement for select programs, noted in the table below.

For a list of partner schools, see capilanou.ca/international/pathway-partners

| ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR CAPU PROGRAMS | | ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP) LEVEL | ACADEMIC IELTS | | TOEFL | | OTHER TESTS | | |
|--|---|--|-------------------|----------------------------|-------|-----|-------------|----------------|-----|
| | | | OVERALL SCORE | NO SCORE BELOW | IBT | PPT | ELA | CAEL | PTE |
| ACADEMIC AND PATHWAY PROGRAMS | | | | | | | | | |
| Most Capilano University Programs capilanou.ca/programs | | EAP 100 & EAP 101 (minimum B+ grade) | 6.5 | 6.0 | 83 | 560 | 145 | 70 | 56 |
| North American Business Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma | ✔ | EAP 090 (minimum B+ grade) | 6.0 | 5.5 (6.0 in writing) | 75 | * | * | 60 | 50 |
| North American Business Management Applied Post-Baccalaureate Diploma | ✔ | | | | | | | | |
| North American & International Management Graduate Diploma | ✔ | | | | | | | | |
| Global Hospitality and Tourism Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma | ✔ | | 6.0 | 5.5 (6.0 in writing) | 75 | 540 | 128 | 60 | 50 |
| EAP 100 & EAP 101 PLUS 1 term 9 credits | | EAP 090 (minimum B grade) | 6.0 | 5.5 | 71 | 530 | 128 | 60 | 53 |
| Tourism Management for International Students Diploma | ✔ | EAP 080 (minimum B grade) | 5.5 | 5.0 | 67 | 520 | 114 | * | * |
| Business Administration Pathway 2 terms 33 credits | ✔ | | | | | | | | |
| Early Childhood Care and Education Pathway 2 terms 30 credits | ✔ | | | | | | | | |
| EAP 090 PLUS 1 term 12 credits | ✔ | | | | | | | | |
| ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP) COURSE LEVELS | | | | | | | | | |
| EAP 080 (Advanced) 1 term 15 credits | | EAP 070 (minimum B grade) | 5.0 | 4.5 | 45 | 480 | 96 | * | * |
| EAP 070 (Advanced) 1 term 15 credits | | EAP 060 (minimum B grade) | 4.5 | 4.0 | 32 | 440 | 77 | 30 | 44 |
| EAP 060 (Intermediate) 1 term 15 credits | | EAP 050 (minimum B grade) | Not applicable | | | | 57 | Not applicable | |
| EAP 050 (Intermediate) 1 term 15 credits | | Placement based on CapU's EAP Placement Test | Not applicable | | | | 32 | Not applicable | |

*For scores, see CAPILANO.CA/PROGRAMS



CapU Main Campus, North Vancouver, B.C.

GET INTO CAPU

The admission requirements below provide a general guideline. For specific program requirements, see capilanou.ca/programs

Business | Tourism Management

- High school graduation (Grade 12) or equivalent
- English 12
- Mathematics-related courses (Grade 11 or 12)

Post-baccalaureate and graduate programs:

- An undergraduate degree
- Minimum 63% cumulative grade point average (GPA)
- Letter of interest/intent
- Résumé/CV or summary of experience

Fine & Applied Arts

- High school graduation (Grade 12) or equivalent
- Audition, portfolio and interview may be required

Education & Childhood Studies

- High school graduation (Grade 12) or equivalent
- Minimum 60% grade point average (GPA) calculated on English 12 and three academic Grade 12 courses

Arts & Sciences

- High school graduation (Grade 12)
- Minimum 60% grade point average (GPA) calculated on English 12 and two academic Grade 12 courses such as: Accounting, Mathematics, Physics, Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Communications, Economics, English Literature, French, Geography, Geology, German, History, Information Technology, Japanese, Korean, Law, Mandarin, Marketing, Philosophy, Religion, Pre-calculus, Psychology, Punjabi and Spanish

English Language Proficiency

If English is not your primary language, you must submit proof that you meet CapU's English Language Requirement. This is a requirement for all programs except if you start your studies at CapU with the English for Academic Purposes (EAP) program.



CapU Main Campus, North Vancouver, B.C.

WHERE NEW FRIENDSHIPS ARE MADE

Affordable, supportive and convenient, CapU Residence is only minutes away from campus. Expect all-you-care-to-eat meal plans and support from live-in residence advisors.

capilanou.ca/residence



CapU Residence, North Vancouver, B.C.

PICK THE BEST PROGRAM FOR YOU

CapU offers programs of the highest quality across five Faculties along with work-integrated learning and volunteer options to set you up for academic and career success.

| AREAS OF STUDY | STUDY ABROAD | WORK/ CO-OP | PROGRAM STARTS IN | | | INTERNATIONAL FEES IN CAD \$ | | | | |
|--|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|-----|-----|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|---------|
| | | | Sept | Jan | May | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Total |
| BUSINESS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Business Administration Degree | ✖ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,122 | 19,122 | 20,585 | 20,585 | 79,414 |
| Business Administration Diploma | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| Accounting Assistant Diploma | | W | ✓ | | | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| Accounting Assistant Certificate | | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 19,122 | - | - | - | 19,122 |
| Advanced Business Administration Certificate | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 20,585 | - | - | - | 20,585 |
| Business Administration Certificate | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 11,861 | - | - | - | 11,861 |
| Retail Business Fundamentals Certificate | | | ✓ | ✓ | | 19,122 | - | - | - | 19,122 |
| Business Administration Pathway | | | ✓ | | | 20,907 | - | - | - | 20,907 |
| North American Business Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma | | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 26,870 | - | - | - | 26,870 |
| North American Business Management Applied Post-Baccalaureate Diploma | | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 26,870 | 6,300 | - | - | 32,665 |
| North American and International Management Graduate Diploma | ✖ | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 26,870 | 23,180 | - | - | 50,050 |
| COMMUNICATION | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Communication Studies Degree | ✖ | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 19,122 | 19,122 | 20,548 | 20,402 | 79,194 |
| Communication Studies Diploma | | | ✓ | ✓ | | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| LEGAL STUDIES | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Legal Studies (Paralegal) Degree | ✖ | W | ✓ | | | 19,369 | 19,451 | 21,551 | 21,551 | 81,922 |
| Paralegal Diploma | | W | ✓ | | | 21,511 | 24,448 | - | - | 45,959 |
| Legal Administrative Assistant Certificate | | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 20,907 | - | - | - | 20,907 |
| MOTION PICTURE ARTS: FILMMAKING ANIMATION VISUAL EFFECTS COSTUMING | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Motion Picture Arts Degree | ✖ | W | ✓ | | | 30,157 | 32,145 | 29,511 | 27,529 | 119,342 |
| Costuming for Stage and Screen Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 28,646 | 22,802 | - | - | 51,448 |
| Digital Visual Effects Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 34,172 | 34,172 | - | - | 68,344 |
| 2D Animation and Visual Development Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 29,752 | 30,666 | - | - | 60,418 |
| 3D Animation for Film and Games Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 33,452 | 33,414 | - | - | 66,866 |
| Documentary Certificate | | | ✓ | | | 27,140 | - | - | - | 27,140 |
| Lighting for Digital Imaging and Film | | | June | | | 3,012 | - | - | - | 3,012 |
| Grip Work for Digital Imaging and Film | | | June | | | 3,012 | - | - | - | 3,012 |
| Animation Fundamentals Citation | | | July | | | 6,080 | - | - | - | 6,080 |
| PERFORMING ARTS: MUSIC THEATRE ACTING ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Music in Jazz Studies Degree (Education) | | | ✓ | | | 26,344 | 26,620 | 25,843 | 28,917 | 107,724 |
| Bachelor of Music in Jazz Studies Degree (Performance/Composition) | | | ✓ | | | 26,344 | 26,620 | 25,843 | 26,034 | 104,841 |
| Bachelor of Performing Arts Degree | | | ✓ | | | - | - | - | 24,218 | 24,218 |
| Acting for Stage and Screen Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 22,346 | 26,329 | 27,014 | - | 75,689 |
| Arts and Entertainment Management Diploma | | W | ✓ | | | 18,351 | 22,512 | - | - | 40,863 |
| Music Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 24,333 | 24,333 | - | - | 48,666 |
| Musical Theatre Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 24,473 | 24,563 | 25,066 | - | 74,102 |
| Technical Theatre Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 21,989 | 24,219 | - | - | 46,208 |
| Advanced Arts & Entertainment Management Certificate | | W | | | ✓ | 23,200 | - | - | - | 23,200 |
| Conducting in Music Certificate | | | ✓ | | | 13,990 | - | - | - | 13,990 |
| IDEA SCHOOL OF DESIGN | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Design in Visual Communication Degree | ✖ | W | ✓ | | | 25,667 | 27,403 | 26,535 | 26,535 | 106,140 |

| AREAS OF STUDY | STUDY ABROAD | WORK/ CO-OP | PROGRAM STARTS IN | | | INTERNATIONAL FEES IN CAD \$ | | | | |
|--|-----------------|----------------|----------------------|-----|-----|------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | | | Sept | Jan | May | Year 1 | Year 2 | Year 3 | Year 4 | Total |
| TOURISM MANAGEMENT | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Tourism Management Degree | ✗ | W | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,689 | 19,202 | 20,894 | 21,819 | 81,604 |
| Tourism Management Co-operative Education Diploma | | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 19,886 | 19,202 | - | - | 39,088 |
| Tourism Management for International Students Diploma | | W | ✓ | ✓ | | 23,601 | 15,818 | - | - | 39,419 |
| Global Hospitality and Tourism Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma | | W | ✓ | | ✓ | 19,311 | 13,910 | - | - | 33,221 |
| OUTDOOR RECREATION MANAGEMENT | | | | | | | | | | |
| Outdoor Recreation Management Diploma | | W | ✓ | | | 28,986 | 11,874 | - | - | 40,860 |
| GLOBAL STEWARDSHIP | | | | | | | | | | |
| Associate of Arts Degree - Global Stewardship | | | ✓ | | | 21,502 | 20,907 | - | - | 42,409 |
| HUMAN KINETICS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Human Kinetics Diploma (Physical Education or Exercise Science) | | | ✓ | | | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| EDUCATION AND CHILDHOOD STUDIES | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Early Childhood Care and Education Degree | | W | ✓ | | | 20,610 | 18,518 | 20,493 | 21,042 | 80,663 |
| Early Childhood Care and Education Diploma | | W | ✓ | | | 20,610 | 19,853 | - | - | 40,464 |
| Early Childhood Care and Education Pathway | | | ✓ | | | 19,122 | - | - | - | 19,122 |
| Early Childhood Care and Education Post-Baccalaureate Diploma* | | | ✓ | | | 21,042 | - | - | - | 21,042 |
| ALLIED HEALTH | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Music Therapy Degree | | W | ✓ | | | 24,805 | 23,015 | 9,685 | - | 57,505 |
| Health Care Assistant Certificate | | W | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,122 | - | - | - | 19,122 |
| Rehabilitation Assistant Diploma | | W | ✓ | | | 20,015 | 20,015 | - | - | 40,030 |
| ARTS (HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Arts - Applied Behaviour Analysis (Autism) | | W | ✓ | | | 20,585 | 20,585 | 22,340 | 23,145 | 86,655 |
| Bachelor of Arts with a major in Liberal Studies | ✗ | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,268 | 19,415 | 20,585 | 20,585 | 79,854 |
| Associate of Arts Degree | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| Associate of Arts Degree - Creative Writing OR English OR Psychology | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| Academic Studies Diploma | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 19,122 | 19,122 | - | - | 38,244 |
| Applied Behaviour Analysis (Autism) Post-Baccalaureate Diploma* | | W | ✓ | | | 16,494 | 18,709 | - | - | 35,203 |
| Applied Behaviour Analysis (Autism) Post-Baccalaureate Certificate | | | ✓ | | | 7,266 | 7,266 | - | - | 14,532 |
| SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS (STEM) | | | | | | | | | | |
| Associate of Science Degree | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 20,312 | 20,312 | - | - | 40,624 |
| Associate of Science Degree - Biology | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 20,312 | 20,312 | - | - | 40,624 |
| Engineering Transition Diploma | | | ✓ | | | 21,502 | 19,094 | - | - | 40,596 |
| Engineering Certificate | | | ✓ | | | 26,858 | - | - | - | 26,858 |
| ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES COMBINED PROGRAMS | | | | | | | | | | |
| EAP 100 and EAP 101 plus 2 academic courses from Arts, Sciences or Business | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 7,898 (1 term) | | | | 7,898 |
| EAP 100 and EAP 101 plus 1 academic course from Arts, Sciences, Business or ENGL 100 | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 6,112 (1 term) | | | | 6,112 |
| EAP 090 plus 1 academic course from Arts, Sciences or Business | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 8,326 (1 term) | | | | 8,326 |
| ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP) FULL-TERM COURSES | | | | | | | | | | |
| EAP 100 and EAP 101 | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 4,327 (1 term) | | | | 4,327 |
| EAP 090 | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 6,540 (1 term) | | | | 6,540 |
| EAP 050, EAP 060, EAP 070 or EAP 080 | | | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ | 7,986 (1 term) | | | | 7,986 |

The above fees include your tuition fees, transportation pass and school fees. They are rounded estimates, payable in increments each term and subject to change without notice. Plan for other costs such as books and supplies (\$1,000/year), accommodation and food (CapU Residence is \$4,462 per term for a shared room and includes an all-you-care-to-eat meal plan), living costs and temporary health insurance (\$180 for new international students only).

Academic programs: \$595.11 per credit | EAP programs: \$482 per credit (excluding EAP 100 and 101).

*Previous work experience in Canada is required.

COME JOIN US! BECOME A CAPU STUDENT

- ☒ **Apply for your program of choice** at capilano.ca/apply.
The application fee is CAD \$135.
- ☐ **Email scanned supporting documents** such as high school transcripts, post-secondary transcripts, English translations (if applicable) and proof of English language proficiency results to inted@capilano.ca
- ☐ **Receive your letter of offer** and confirm the offer by paying your tuition deposit.
- ☐ **Receive your letter of acceptance** and apply for or renew a study permit (and an entry visa, depending on citizenship).
See cic.gc.ca/english/study/study-how.asp
- ☐ **Access your Welcome Guide for New International Students** to support your journey: elearn.capu.ca
- ☐ **Register for courses online and pay fees**
- ☐ **Attend Orientation** Your first day at CapU will be memorable,

Track your application through the student portal: capilano.ca/mycapu

DISCOVER CAPU

Connect with an international student admissions advisor!

In-person appointments available daily from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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Take a guided tour of our beautiful campus.

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Explore CapU Info Night

November 13, 2019 & March 11, 2020

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