

JMSB

2000

SURVIVAL GUIDE
2025-2026

TERRITORIAL ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Concordia University is located on unceded Indigenous lands. The Kanien'kehá:ka Nation is recognized as the custodians of the lands and waters on which the University is located. Tiohtià:ke/Montréal is historically known as a gathering place for many First Nations. Today, it is home to a diverse population of Indigenous and other peoples. We respect the continued connections with the past, present and future in our ongoing relationships with Indigenous and other peoples within the Montreal community.

l'Université Concordia est située en territoire autochtone, lequel n'a jamais été cédé. La nation Kanien'kehá: ka comme gardienne des terres et des eaux sur lesquelles nous nous réunissons aujourd'hui. Tiohtiá:ke / Montréal est historiquement connu comme un lieu de rassemblement pour de nombreuses Premières Nations, et aujourd'hui, une population autochtone diversifiée, ainsi que d'autres peuples, y résident. C'est dans le respect des liens avec le passé, le présent et l'avenir que nous reconnaissons les relations continues entre les Peuples Autochtones et autres personnes de la communauté montréalaise.

WHAT IS THE SURVIVAL GUIDE?

The Commerce and Administration Students' Association (CASA) is proud to present the 2025–2026 edition of the Survival Guide.

For several years, this guide has served as a trusted resource for students at the John Molson School of Business (JMSB), offering valuable support throughout the academic year.

Within its pages, you'll discover essential academic information, opportunities to get involved, and a wide range of tools designed to help you thrive during your time at JMSB.

ABOUT CASA

Visit us at: www.casajmsb.ca

Email: info@casajmsb.ca

CASA Office: MB. 4.105



The Commerce and Administration Students' Association (CASA) is a student-run organization that represents undergraduate students at the John Molson School of Business (JMSB). We offer a wide range of services focused on academic support, student life, and community engagement. From exciting events like Frosh and the Halloween Party to academic resources like the mentorship program and tutoring sessions for your toughest classes, our goal is to help you make the most of your time at JMSB. We are here to create opportunities for you to learn, grow, and connect beyond the classroom and to help bridge the gap between what you study and how you apply it in the real world.



University is a time of growth personally, socially, and professionally. It is when you will create lasting memories, meet new people, and experience moments that shape your future. At CASA JMSB, alongside our six associations and ten committees, we're excited to be part of that journey with you. Whether you stop by our office, join us at an event, or just pass us in the hallway, know that we're here to support you. Because in the end, we're students just like you!

CONTENT

THE JMSB WIKI	6
HOW TO GET THROUGH YOUR CLASSES	13
RESOURCES	21
STUDENT ASSOCIATIONS & COMMITTEES	25



THE JMSB WIKI

A) STUDY SPOTS

B) MEAL SPOTS AROUND CAMPUS

C) CAMPUS MAP

D) GETTING AROUND MONTREAL



A) STUDY SPOTS

Concordia Libraries

- The Webster and Vanier libraries are fully open, giving students access to quiet study areas, extensive print collections, computer workstations, and in-person research help from library staff.

CASA Lab (JMSB)

- As of Fall 2024, all students in the John Molson School of Business can use the CASA computer lab, located on the 4th floor of the MB building. It's equipped with specialized software and is a great space for group or solo work.

Grande Bibliothèque (BAnQ)

- Just a 13-minute trip from the Sir George Williams Campus, the Bibliothèque et Archives nationales du Québec offers a wide range of study environments, from silent reading rooms to collaborative spaces. A free BAnQ membership gives you access to thousands of resources.

JMSB Study Rooms

- Students can reserve study rooms in the MB building for up to 3 hours per day. These rooms are available every day of the week and are ideal for group projects or focused solo sessions. Visit this website for room booking: <https://jmsb.libcal.com/>.

Grey Nuns Reading Room

- A peaceful study environment located just a five-minute walk from Webster Library, ideal for deep focus and research.

Hall Building Lounges

- Open seating areas on various floors, great for casual studying between classes.

Coffee shops with great study spots:

- Leaves Café
 - Brûleries Faro
 - Crew Collective & Café
 - Parma Café
 - Myriade
 - Pigeon Café
 - Hinnawi Bros Bagel & Cafe
 - Rosetti Boulangerie Italienne
 - Tim Hortons (multiple locations near campus)
 - Café Aunja
 - Accio Cup
 - Café Olimpico
 - Café Névé
 - Tunnel Espresso Bar
- 
- 

B) MEAL SPOTS AROUND CAMPUS

Try these great places for food close to campus!

Joe's panini

Nilufar

Tropé

Mandy's

Boustan

M4 Burrito

Presotea

La Diperie

Poulet Rouge Abe & Mary's

Yumi Burger

Sammi Soupe Dumpling

Le Poke Station

Le Warehouse

La Panthere Verte

McKibbins Irish Pub

Poulet Bronzé

Antep Kabab

Kinton Ramen

MooseBawr

3 Amigos (Centre ville)

B) CAMPUS MAP

Find interactive campus maps and other helpful tools on the Concordia app:
concordia.ca/students/concordia-app.html

SGW CAMPUS



B) CAMPUS MAP

LOYOLA CAMPUS



D) GETTING AROUND MONTREAL

OPUS Card

- If you're a full-time student, you can apply for a reduced-fare OPUS card for unlimited monthly transit. It works on the metro, buses, and commuter trains: <https://www.concordia.ca/card/benefits/opus.html>

Chrono App

- Download the Chrono app to plan your trips, check real-time bus and metro schedules, and reload your OPUS card directly from your phone.

Campus Metro Access

- SGW Campus: Right next to Guy-Concordia station (Green Line)
- Loyola Campus: Closest to Vendôme station (Orange Line), then a short bus ride or 20-minute walk

Shuttle Bus

- Concordia offers a free shuttle bus between the SGW and Loyola campuses. Just show your student ID to ride, no OPUS required. You can check the schedule and live shuttle tracking through the Concordia app.

Bicycle (BIXI)

- Biking is a fast and convenient way to get around. The SGW Campus is right on the Maisonneuve bike path, with plenty of bike racks nearby. BIXI, Montreal's seasonal bike-sharing service, offers student discounts for Concordia students.
- Find the discount code and more info here: [concordia.ca/sustainability/campus/transportation/bixi.html](https://www.concordia.ca/sustainability/campus/transportation/bixi.html)

D) GETTING AROUND MONTREAL

Parking

- Student parking permits are available at the Loyola Campus. At the SGW Campus, hourly parking is available on a first-come, first-served basis in several locations.
- You can find parking info and locations on the Concordia app or at concordia.ca/maps/parking.html



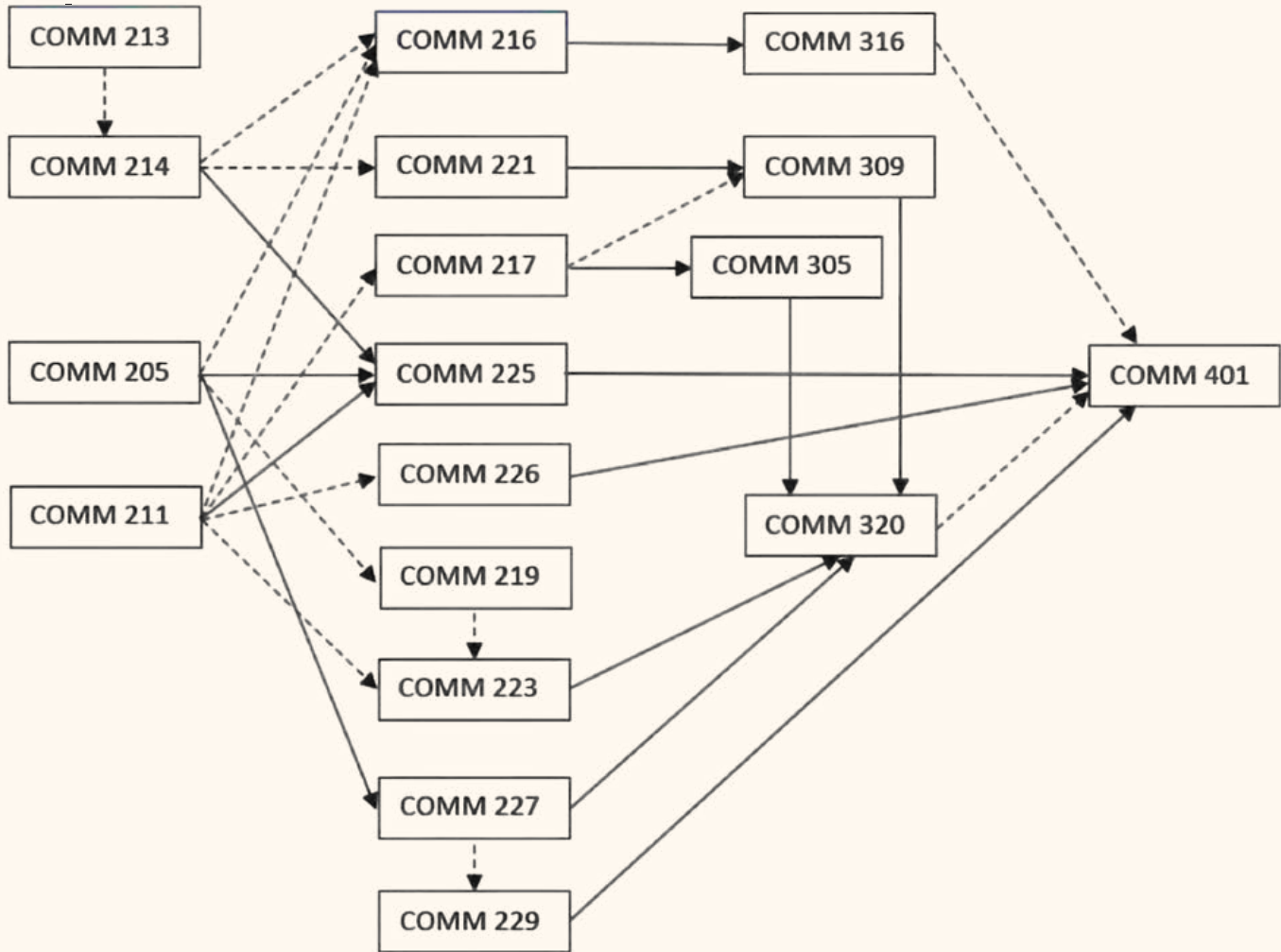
To access the JMSB building from the metro, exit at Guy-Concordia station (Green Line), follow the signs for the Guy Street exit, and look for the underground tunnel entrance. It leads directly into the S2 level of the MB building, super convenient in bad weather!

HOW TO GET THROUGH YOUR CLASSES

There is a lot of information to take in early on in your undergrad at JMSB. To assist you, we have provided a COMM course flowchart to help you plan out your class schedule. Additionally, here is where you can find resources on our CASA Mentors and Tutors who are here to help you reach your academic goals. Most importantly, all of the key academic dates and deadlines can be found below.

A) COMM Course Flowchart	14
B) Academic Support & Mentorship	15
C) Important Dates	15
D) Find your Advisors	19

A) COMM COURSE FLOWCHART



1. The course COMM 205 requires ECON 203 previously or concurrently.
2. The course COMM 211 requires ECON 201 and ECON 203 previously or concurrently.
3. The course COMM 213 requires ECON 201 previously or concurrently.
4. The course COMM 214 requires MATH 208 and MATH 209 previously.
5. The course COMM 221 requires ECON 201 previously and ECON 203 previously or concurrently.

A prerequisite → refers to a course that should be completed before the course that appears at the tip of the arrow. For example, COMM 214 must be completed before COMM 225.

A prerequisite or co-requisite → refers to a course that can be completed in the same term as the course that appears at the tip of the arrow. For example, COMM 213 and COMM 214 can be completed in the same term.

B) ACADEMIC SUPPORT & MENTORSHIP

Midterm & Final Tutorials

- CASA JMSB offers free tutorials for some of the most challenging JMSB courses, scheduled right before midterms and finals. These sessions are designed to help you review key material, ask questions, and feel confident going into exams. Stay updated on upcoming tutorials by checking our Facebook and Instagram pages. For more info, reach out to narmineboubasla@casajmsb.ca.

Mentorship Program

- Looking to build your network and gain real-world insight? Our mentorship program connects JMSB students with experienced professional alumni. Whether you're exploring career paths or looking for guidance, this is a great way to learn from those who've been where you are. For more info, reach out to olivia.jamgotchian@casajmsb.ca.

C) IMPORTANT DATES

Fall Term 2025

September 2025

- Mon, Sep. 1 Tuition fee payment due — fall term
- Mon, Sep. 1 Last day to apply for late completion of courses taken during the summer session 2025
- Mon, Sep. 1 Labour Day, university closed
- Tue, Sep. 2 Classes begin, fall and fall/winter terms 2025-26
- Sun, Sep. 7 Last day to apply for Co-op
- Mon, Sep. 15 Last day for submission of late-completion work for summer session 2025 courses
- (application deadline September 1)
- Mon, Sep. 15 Last day to add fall-term and two-term courses
- Mon, Sep. 15 Deadline for withdrawal with tuition refund (DNE) from fall-term and two-term courses
- Tue, Sep. 16 Last day to apply for supplemental examinations for courses taken during the summer session 2025
- Wed, Sep. 17 Registration start date for newly admitted students, winter 2026 term. New students admitted for winter 2026 can register any time after admission and advising criteria have been satisfied
- Tue, Sep. 30 Last day to pay tuition: fall term

October 2025

- Wed, Oct. 1 Last day to apply for re-evaluation of courses taken during the summer session 2025
- Sat, Oct. 4 Replacement and supplemental examinations, summer session 2025 courses
- Sat, Oct. 11 Reading week begins
- Mon, Oct. 13 Thanksgiving Day, university closed
- Wed, Oct. 15 First day to apply for work-study authorization — winter term
- Fri, Oct. 17 Last day to submit required documentation to register with the Access Centre for Students with Disabilities and request exam accommodations for the fall 2025 final examination period
- Fri, Oct. 17 Reading week ends
- Sat, Oct. 25 Open House for future undergraduate and graduate students
- Tue, Oct. 28 Fall convocations. Please see concordia.ca/graduation-convocation

November 2025

- Sat, Nov. 1 Last day to apply for admission to undergraduate programs, winter term 2026
- Sat, Nov. 1 Last day to apply for degree transfer, winter term 2026
- (For currently registered students to transfer into the Faculty of Arts and Science or the Gina Cody School of Engineering and Computer Science)
- Mon, Nov. 10 Last day for academic withdrawal (DISC) from fall-term courses (/2)
- Sat, Nov. 15 Last day to apply for work-study authorization — winter term
- Mon, Nov. 24 Last day for instructor-scheduled tests or examinations
- Tue, Nov. 25 Registration start date for newly authorized independent students, winter term 2026

December 2025

- Mon, Dec. 1 Last day to apply for Quebec resident status, fall term 2025
- Mon, Dec. 1 Last day of classes, fall term
- Mon, Dec. 1 Work-study jobs posted — winter term
- Wed, Dec. 3 Examinations begin
- Thu, Dec. 18 Examinations end
- Thu, Dec. 18 Aide financière aux études (AFE) end of funding, fall term
- Wed, Dec. 24 Holiday period, university closed (December 24 to January 4)
- Non-standard term dates
- Not all courses fall within the standard term dates and deadlines. Please refer to term dates and deadlines.

Winter term 2026

January 2026

- Mon, Jan. 12 Classes begin, winter term 2026
- Mon, Jan. 12 Classes resume, fall/winter term 2025-26
- Thu, Jan. 15 Last day to apply for spring 2026 graduation
- Thu, Jan. 15 Last day to apply for DEF (Deferred) or MED (Medical) notation for courses ending in December 2025
- Mon, Jan. 26 Last day to add winter-term courses
- Mon, Jan. 26 Deadline for withdrawal with tuition refund (DNE) from winter-term courses

February 2026

- Sun, Feb. 1 Last day to apply for supplemental examinations for courses ending in December 2025 (graduating students only)
- Sun, Feb. 1 Last day to apply for re-evaluation of courses ending in December 2025
- Sun, Feb. 1 Last day to apply for late completion of courses ending in December 2025
- Sun, Feb. 15 Last day for submission of late completion work for courses ending in December 2025 (application deadline February 1)
- Fri, Feb. 27 Last day to submit required documentation to register with the Access Centre for Students with Disabilities and request exam accommodations for the Winter 2026 final examination period

March 2026

- Sun, Mar. 1 Last day to apply for admission to undergraduate programs, full-time regular session 2026-27
- Sun, Mar. 1 Last day to apply for degree transfer, fall term 2026
(for currently registered students to transfer into a different degree in any faculty)
- Mon, Mar. 2 Reading week begins
- Mon, Mar. 2 Replacement examinations begin
- Mon, Mar. 2 Supplemental examinations begin for courses ending in December 2025
(graduating students only)
- Thu, Mar. 5 Replacement and supplemental examinations end
- Fri, Mar. 6 President's Holiday, university closed
- Sun, Mar. 8 Reading week ends
- Mon, Mar. 23 Last day for academic withdrawal (DISC) from two-term (/3) and winter-term (/4) courses

April 2026

- Wed, Apr. 1 Last day to apply for Quebec resident status, winter term 2026
- Fri, Apr. 3 Easter holidays, university closed (April 3 - April 6)
- (see April 14, 2026)
- Tue, Apr. 7 Last day for instructor-scheduled tests or examinations
- Mon, Apr. 13 Last day of classes, fall/winter and winter terms 2025-26
- Tue, Apr. 14 Make-up day for classes scheduled on April 3 and 4
- Thu, Apr. 16 Examinations begin
- Thu, Apr. 30 Aide financière aux études (AFE) end of funding, winter term
- Non-standard term dates
- Not all courses fall within the standard term dates and deadlines. Please refer to term dates and deadlines.

Summer term 2026

May 2026

- Sun, May 3 Examinations end
- Sun, May 10 Last day to apply for DEF (Deferred) or MED (Medical) notation for courses ending in April 2026
- Fri, May 15 Last day to apply for late completion of courses ending in April 2026
- Mon, May 18 Journée nationale des patriotes (Quebec), Victoria Day (elsewhere in Canada), university closed
- Sat, May 30 Last day for submission of late-completion work for courses ending in April 2026
- (application deadline May 15)

June 2026

- TBD Spring convocations. Please see concordia.ca/graduation-convocation
- Mon, June 15 Last day to apply for supplemental examinations for courses taken during the regular session 2025-26
- Mon, June 15 Last day to apply for re-evaluation of courses ending in April 2026

What's the Difference Between DNE and DISC?

When you withdraw from a course, it falls into one of two categories.

DNE stands for Did Not Enter. This applies when you drop a course early in the term. It does not appear on your transcript, has no effect on your GPA, and you are not charged any tuition or fees for that course. It is treated as though you were never enrolled.

DISC means Discontinued. This applies when you withdraw after the DNE deadline. The course remains on your academic record with a DISC notation. While it does not impact your GPA, you are still responsible for paying the full tuition and associated fees. No reimbursement is provided.

D) FIND YOUR ADVISORS

Academic Advisors (Undergraduate Programs Office)

Office: MB 4.201

How to Book:

Go to the Student Hub → Services & Resources → Academic → Advising & Supervision → Undergraduate Advising → John Molson Program Advisors:

https://www.concordia.ca/jmsb/programs/undergraduate/bachelor/students/advising_policies/academic-advising.html

By Major

- Accountancy (BComm & Certificate):
Marwa Gouda – marwa.gouda@concordia.ca
- Economics, Supply Chain, BTM, International Business:
Edda Fargnoli – edda.fargnoli@concordia.ca
- Finance & Bachelor of Administration:
Manal Tarhini – manal.tarhini@concordia.ca
- Marketing, HRM, Management, Business Studies (Cert. & Minor):
Fan Zang – fan.zang@concordia.ca
- Foundations for Business, Internal Transfers, Independent Students:
Steve Clark – steve.clark@concordia.ca

Co-op Advisors (Work-Study Program)

General Co-op Inquiries:

Kiyanna Faustin – coop.jmsb@concordia.ca | 514-848-2424 ext. 4117

By Major

- Accountancy: Dr. Alex Lyubimov – alex.lyubimov@concordia.ca | ext. 2930
- BTM & Supply Chain: Dr. Raul Valverde – raul.valverde@concordia.ca | ext. 2968
- Finance: Prof. Loretta Hung – loretta.hung@concordia.ca | ext. 5114
- HRM: Dr. Alex Lefter – alex.lefter@concordia.ca | ext. 4554
- Marketing: Prof. Iman El Meniawy – iman.elmeniawy@concordia.ca | ext. 2955
- International Business: Dr. Yu-Ping Chen – yu-ping.chen@concordia.ca | ext. 2910

D) FIND YOUR ADVISORS

Career Advisors (CMS – Career Management Services)

Office: [MB 4.305](#)

<https://www.concordia.ca/jmsb/career/team.html>

- Finance & International Business:
Susanne Thorup – susanne.thorup@concordia.ca | ext. 4342
 - Marketing, Management, Supply Chain, BTM, BAdmin:
Amanda Monaco – amanda.monaco@concordia.ca | ext. 4285
 - Accounting, HRM, Economics:
Tammy Buonanno-Marcheschi – tamilia.buonanno@concordia.ca
ext. 4230
-

International & Exchange Student Advisors- International Students Office (ISO)

- SO Office: GM-330
- Website: concordia.ca/students/international.html
- Support with immigration, CAQ/study permit, work eligibility, and exchange-specific guidance.

Your advisor is based on the last digit of your Concordia student ID number:

- 0 or 1 → Anna Nigoghosian
- 2 or 3 → Brenda Brisson
- 4 or 5 → Daniel Giglio
- 6 or 7 → Farooq Shaikh
- 8 or 9 → Tatiana Gomez

Book a meeting through the ISO website.

RESOURCES

Academics

Advising

Students have access to advising from a professional at the faculty level, program level, and department level. They can go discuss and seek catered advice from a professor or staff member.

<https://www.concordia.ca/students/registration/advising.html>

Office of the Registrar

The Office of the Registrar assists students with a variety of services, including transcript requests, student ID cards, tuition payments, and convocation-related information.

<https://www.concordia.ca/offices/registrar.html>

Examinations Office

Students with any exam-related inquiries can visit the Examinations Office for guidance, whether before or after their exam. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/exams.html>

Student Advocacy Office

If a student is charged under the Academic Code of Conduct or Code of Rights and Responsibilities, the Student Advocacy Office is there to assist and support the student.

<https://www.concordia.ca/students/advocacy.html>

Art, Culture & Media

Art Matters Festival Art Matters is North America's largest student-run art festival, taking place annually in March throughout Tiohtià:ke/Montréal. <https://www.artmattersfestival.org/>

Milieux • Milieux is an institute for research-creation at the intersection of the fine arts, digital culture and information technology. <https://milieux.concordia.ca/>

Visual Arts Visuels Gallery • A student-run exhibition space where showings are held all year round, changing every three weeks. <https://www.vavgallery.ca/>

FOFA Gallery • The FOFA Gallery is the primary venue dedicated to showcasing the current artistic and research practices of the Faculty of Fine Arts. <https://www.concordia.ca/finearts/facilities/fofa-gallery.html>

Concordia Film Festival • The Concordia Film Festival screens selected films made by Concordia film production and animation students as well as selected films from international students. <https://www.concordiafilmfestival.com/>

RESOURCES

Community Engagement

Otsenhákta Student Centre • The Otsenhákta Student Centre is an on-campus resource for First Nations, Inuit and Métis students. The centre is a warm place where Indigenous students can find community, support and assistance. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/otsenhakta.html>

Black Perspectives Office • The Black Perspectives Office resources, supports, connects, and advocates for Black communities, perspectives, initiatives, and scholarship at Concordia University. <https://www.concordia.ca/provost/about/areas/black-perspectives-office.html>

Multi-faith and Spirituality Centre • The Multi-faith and Spirituality Centre is a home on campus for all those who wish to celebrate the human spirit in the widest sense of the word; we are open to all students whether spiritual, secular or religious. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/spirituality.html>

Sustainability hub • Get involved in sustainability on campus! From student initiatives to taking sustainability courses, you will find many ways to get involved in sustainability at Concordia. <https://www.concordia.ca/sustainability.html>

Zero waste • Zero Waste's mission is to divert and reduce as much waste on campus away from landfill, and instead reduce, reuse, recycle and rot. <https://www.concordia.ca/sustainability/campus/zero-waste.html>

Queer Concordia • An on-campus resource center for all your LGBTQ needs. <https://www.facebook.com/QueerConcordia/>

Centre for Gender Advocacy • The Centre for Gender Advocacy is an independent, student-funded, Concordia University organization, mandated to promote gender equality and empowerment particularly as it relates to marginalized communities. <https://genderadvocacy.org/>

Centre for Creative Reuse • CUCCR is dedicated to diverting materials from inside Concordia's waste-stream and offering them to the general community free of cost. <https://www.concordia.ca/sustainability/campus/zero-waste/key-initiatives/cuccr.html>

Sports, Recreation & Athletics Concordia Stingers • Concordia University varsity athletics. <https://stingers.ca/> Le Gym • Concordia offers two fitness centers; the downtown campus and Loyola campus. <https://www.concordia.ca/campus-life/recreation/facilities/le-gym.html>

RESOURCES

Concordia Outdoors Club • The Outdoors Club aims to provide an escape from the city. Whether it be one of our local hikes, day trips to Sept-Chutes or one of our ultra-popular overnight chalet trips, there is something for every student. <https://www.concordiaoutdoorsclub.com/>

Concordia Ski & Snowboard Club • The Concordia Ski & Snowboard Club is a student-run association run by skiers, for skiers that go on different ski trips across Canada. <https://concordiass.club/>

Concordia Dance Club • The Concordia Dance Club is a community for students of various levels of dance experience to expand their knowledge of a vast array of dance styles. <https://www.facebook.com/Danceclubconcordia/>

Concordia Esports League • Concordia's official Esports league that is open to all. <https://www.concordia.ca/campus-life/recreation/esports.html>

French-language Resources • Resources are available to help students enhance their French language skills. <https://www.concordia.ca/fr/reussir-en-francais.html>

International Students Office • The Office offers resources and services to international students. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/international.html>

CSU Legal Information Clinic • The Clinic offers legal information and referrals to Concordia students. You can make an appointment to virtually speak with a volunteer. <https://www.csu.qc.ca/services/lic/>

Health and Wellness

Counseling & Psychological Services Concordia • Concordia's licensed mental health professionals work with students to develop personalised care plans tailored to their unique needs and goals. <https://www.concordia.ca/health/mental/counselling.html>

Concordia Health & Wellness Hub • The main hub where you can find various resources offered by Concordia University. <https://www.concordia.ca/health.html>

Connect Concordia • Connect Concordia is a student-led initiative that pairs a student and a staff member for a virtual meeting in order for the student to learn about the behind-the-scenes of Concordia. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/success/futurebound/connect-concordia.html>

Concordia Peer Wellness Ambassadors • Peer Wellness Ambassadors are Concordia students trained to offer peer support and active listening. <https://www.concordia.ca/health/zendens/ambassadors.html>

RESOURCES

Student Service Station • If you have any questions regarding student services and academic advising, there are virtual Live Q&A offered at the Student Service Station. <https://www.concordia.ca/cuevents/offices/provost/ssc/2021/01/15/student-servicestation.html>

Health Service Clinic • Health Services is your on-campus wellness clinic and health promotion centre. They offer in-person appointments as well as some confidential virtual appointments. <https://www.concordia.ca/health/medical/clinic.html>

Nightline Concordia • The Concordia Students' Nightline is a non judgemental, confidential, anonymous listening service run by Concordia Students, for those in need of referrals, information, support, or just to chat. <https://www.facebook.com/concordiastudentsnightline/>

Sexual Assault Resource Centre • SARC offers support services to Concordia students, staff and faculty who have been affected by sexual violence. <https://www.concordia.ca/conduct/sexual-assault.html>

Suicide Action Montreal • Suicide Action Montréal is offering Montrealers who are either witnesses, distressed, worried or bereaved, a range of support services to help them through their problems. <https://www.suicideactionmontreal.org/en/>

Health topics • Find the reliable information you need to support your overall health and wellness goals. <https://www.concordia.ca/health/topics.html>

Concordia University Student Parents Centre • CUSP supports Concordia students with children throughout their studies. <https://www.concordia.ca/alumni-friends/giving-to-concordia/fundone/concordiastudent-parent-centre.html>

Career & Mentorship

Career Management Services • CMS provides resources, programs and networking opportunities to effectively help you achieve your professional success. <https://www.concordia.ca/jmsb/career.html>

Career and Planning Services • Get advice on your career path to find the job you want. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/success/career-planning.html> Concordia Alumni Connect • Connect with Concordia Alumni to get a mentor to guide you and help you grow your professional network. <https://www.concordia.ca/alumni-friends/career-services/alumni-connect.html>

Housing HOJO • HOJO works to educate and support the Concordia community by providing reliable housing and employment information, resources and referrals. <https://classifieds.csu.qc.ca/en/>

Work-study Program

The program offers paid employment opportunities for students in need of financial assistance. <https://www.concordia.ca/students/financial/employment/work-study.html>

STUDENT ASSOCIATIONS

The Commerce and Administration Students' Association consists of six associations and ten committees. Below, you will discover additional details about each association/committee and the opportunities they offer for the 2025-2026 academic year. Recruitment dates and volunteer opportunities for each subsidiary differ, so be sure to check their social media pages for the latest updates!



HUMAN RESOURCES & MANAGEMENT



ACCOUNTING



JMIBA

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS



BTM, SCOM, DI



Uses entrepreneurial action for social impact.



Organizes the world's largest international undergraduate case competition.



Runs the the world's largest case competition for JMSB undergraduates.



Promotes academic exchanges and welcomes international students.



John Molson Women in Leadership

Promotes gender equality and inclusivity to JMSB students



Connects students with the real estate industry.



Enhances the student experience by doing weekly 5 to 8 events.



CASA CARES

CASA's charity wing, fundraising for local causes.



Connects students with the sports world.



Connects students with management consulting firms.



Immerse students in sustainable business.



FISA Office: MB 4.433

info@fisajmsb.ca



ABOUT US

The Finance and Investment Students' Association (FISA) is the official student association representing finance students at JMSB. Our mission is to shape the next generation of finance professionals by bridging the gap between classroom learning and real-world experience. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering conferences, workshops, firm tours, networking events, and case competitions. Whether you're looking to expand your network, develop critical thinking skills, or gain industry exposure, FISA is here to support you throughout your academic journey.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Finance 101

Women's Lunch

Finance for the Mind: Charity Gala

National Stock Pitch Competition

Careers in Finance

SME Finance Career Spotlight

Montreal Firm Tours

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

First Year Representative Recruitment (September 2025)

Executive Team Recruitment (March 2026)





JMAS Office: MB 4.445
info@jmas.ca



ABOUT US

The John Molson Accounting Society (JMAS) is the official student association representing accounting students at JMSB. Our purpose is to promote academic growth and professional development in the field of accounting. We work to enrich the student experience by organizing interactive events, networking sessions, and hands-on workshops that connect students with industry professionals. Whether you're deciding on your career path, working toward your CPA designation, or looking to expand your connections, JMAS is here to guide and support you every step of the way.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Tax Clinic

Free tax filing services for students and the public, done by trained student volunteers.

Casino Night

A casino-themed social fundraiser with games using fake money that converts into raffle tickets. Proceeds support the Marie-Vincent Foundation.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteer at our tax clinic, where students learn to file taxes. Attend networking events with accounting firms of all sizes, including the Big Four. Connect with company recruiters through dedicated events focused on accounting career opportunities.





JHMA Office: MB 4.445
info@jhma.ca



ABOUT US

The John Molson Human Resources and Management Association (JHMA) is the official student association representing Human Resources and Management students at JMSB. Our goal is to empower students by connecting them with the HR and Management industries through career-oriented events, meaningful resources, and professional exposure. We aim to elevate the student experience by hosting networking opportunities, industry panels, and skill-building initiatives. Whether you're looking to explore career opportunities, connect with professionals, or develop your leadership abilities, JHMA is here to support your academic and professional growth every step of the way.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

JHMA Podcast

Conversations with HR and Management professionals offering tips, insights, and industry stories.

Career Events

Networking nights, panels, and workshops focused on professional growth.

Masquerade Ball

A formal end-of-year celebration recognizing student accomplishments.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JHMA recruits First-Year Representatives for both HR and Management portfolios every September. Reps help plan events, support their teams, and build connections with peers and professionals.





JMMA Office: MB 4.435
info@jmma.ca



ABOUT US

The John Molson Marketing Association (JMMA) is the official student association representing marketing majors at JMSB. Our purpose is to connect students with the marketing industry by offering valuable opportunities for education, networking, and career growth. We strive to enrich the student experience through events, workshops, and partnerships that provide practical insights and build a supportive marketing community.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Hands-on Workshops

Practical sessions offering certificates and focused on topics like branding inclusivity, graphic design, and data analysis.

Industry Panels

Expert-led discussions on current marketing trends and challenges.

Networking Events

Opportunities to connect with industry professionals and fellow students to build lasting relationships.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JMMA recruits a First-Year Representative in September. Other opportunities to get involved are available throughout the year.





JSBA Office: MB 4.431
info@jsbajmsb.ca



ABOUT US

The John Molson Supply Chain and Business Technology Association (JSBA) is the official student association representing students in Business Technology Management (BTM), Supply Chain Operations Management (SCOM), and Digital Intelligence (DI) at JMSB. Our mission is to support students academically and professionally by offering resources that help turn their passion into success. We aim to enrich the student experience through workshops, conferences, and networking events that connect classroom learning with real-world applications.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

DOT Conference

A major event featuring panels and presentations on BTM, SCOM, and DI with insights from industry professionals.

Networking Cocktail

A chance to meet company reps, grow your network, and explore internship opportunities.

Mixer Events

Casual socials held before finals to connect with peers and unwind with the JSBA community.

BTM & SCOM Workshops

Skill-based workshops and tutorials designed to support students in their academic journey.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JSBA recruits First-Year Representatives from BTM and SCOM in September. Reps help plan events, attend meetings, and explore different roles within the association.





JMIBA Office: MB 4.440
d.rodriguez@jmiba.com



ABOUT US

The John Molson International Business Association (JMIBA) is the official student association representing International Business majors and minors at JMSB. Our mission is to help students grow as global professionals by offering opportunities like case competitions, networking events, and international experiences such as the Emerging Markets Project (EMP). We promote leadership, collaboration, and cultural exchange to give students the tools and confidence to succeed in international markets.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

NextPatriates

JMIBA's fall conference featuring alumni and global professionals sharing real-world International Business experiences.

Global Insights

A winter event exploring global affairs with diplomats and experts in international relations and politics.

EMP Trip

A two-week trip to developing economies offering hands-on international business and cultural experience.

Community Initiative

A collaborative event with an NGO focused on giving back and driving positive impact through community engagement.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JMIBA recruits First-Year Representatives in September. It's a great way for new students to get involved, build experience, and contribute to the association's initiatives.





JIC Office: MB 4.440
info@jic-jmsb.ca



ABOUT US

The John Molson International Committee (JIC) is the official student committee representing international and exchange students at JMSB. Our mission is to support students as they adapt to life in Montreal by creating a welcoming space for cultural exchange and connection. We aim to build community through inclusive, social events that help students feel at home and form lasting friendships.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

- Montreal Tour
- French classes
- Ottawa Trip
- Apple Picking
- Quebec City Trip
- Snow Tubing Event
- Sugar Shack Experience
- Global Project

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Language Program: volunteering opportunity, French tutor.

Global Project: participant recruitment.

First-Year Representative: recruitment in the Fall semester.





JMCC Office: MB 4.433
info@wecompete.ca



ABOUT US

The John Molson Competition Committee (JMCC) is the official student association representing all JMSB students passionate about case competitions. Our mission is to select and develop top talent from across majors to compete at regional, national, and international levels. We aim to empower students by fostering creativity, strategic thinking, and leadership skills, preparing them to become tomorrow's business leaders. JMCC proudly runs one of the largest and most respected case competition programs worldwide, known for its excellence and strong representation of JMSB.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Due to the nature of JMCC, we mostly participate in case competitions hosted by other universities throughout the year.

We do host:

Two Networking Cocktails (Fall and Winter)
End-of-Year Gala celebrating all delegates

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- Participate in 5 regional case competitions each fall and winter, open to all JMSB students.
- Represent Concordia in 5 international case competitions against top global programs.
- Attend 2 networking cocktails open to all JMSB students.





JMUCC Office: MB 4.433
info@jmucc.ca



ABOUT US

John Molson Undergraduate Case Competition (JMUCC) is the official student committee representing students interested in international business case competitions and global collaboration at JMSB. Our mission is to host the world's largest undergraduate case competition by bringing together top business schools from around the globe for a week of problem-solving, networking, and cultural exchange. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering an intensive week-long competition featuring three 3-hour cases, one 24-hour case, and five social events—all organized entirely by students. Whether you're looking to get involved in global event planning, connect with international peers, or experience high-level business strategy in action, JMUCC is here to help you make the most of your student experience.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

JMUCC fall networking cocktail:

Connect with JMSB students, sponsors, and the Organizing Committee recruiting volunteers.

JMUCC Week:

Week-long competition during March Break at JMSB with delegates and volunteers staying at the Sheraton. Includes a networking cocktail, three dinners, and two clubbing evenings, an unforgettable experience.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Team Ambassador: accompany a participating school.

Tech Volunteer: assist VP Tech with the competition livestream.

Presentation Room Coordinator: manage the presentation room.

Runner: help with daily tasks.

General Volunteer: support check-in and part-time coaching duties.





MCC Office: MB. S1.465
concordiamcc@gmail.com



ABOUT US

Management Consulting Concordia (MCC) is the official student association representing students interested in the management consulting industry at JMSB. Our mission is to bridge the gap between students and Montreal's consulting field by providing hands-on experiences, industry exposure, and professional development opportunities. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering panels, workshops, networking events, case competitions, and our signature Consulting Mandate Program (CMP). Whether you're looking to launch a career in consulting, gain practical experience, or connect with industry professionals, MCC is here to help you make the most of your university experience.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Fall Networking Cocktail
Consulting 101
Consultech (Revamped)
MCC Case Competition
Annual Conference

Other Events: Engagement Event, Consulting Clarity Workshop (Winter),
bi-weekly/monthly CMP workshops, 2 CMP mandates

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Team Recruitment: annual recruitment for undergrads to develop consulting skills and support peer onboarding.

CMP: work in teams to solve real-life business problems for firms.

Events: connect with motivated peers through panels, workshops, and networking opportunities.





CREC Office: MB. S1.465
info@jmsb.ca



ABOUT US

Concordia Real Estate Club (CREC) is the official student association representing students interested in the real estate industry at JMSB. Our mission is to bridge the gap between students and the real estate field by creating educational and career-building opportunities that foster growth, innovation, and collaboration. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering networking events, industry panels, and workshops designed to build knowledge and connections within the real estate sector. Whether you're looking to explore a career in real estate, build your resume, or connect with industry professionals, CREC is here to support you throughout your academic journey.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

The real estate conference (REC) that is hosted in November at the Ritz-Carlton. The real estate games (REG), happening in March, are Canada's largest undergraduate real estate case competition.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

First-year representative recruitment in the Fall semester.





Casa Cares Office: MB 4.431
info@casacares.com



CASA CARES
BACK TO THE HEART

ABOUT US

CASA Cares is the official student committee representing philanthropic and community-minded students at JMSB. Our mission is to create a positive impact by giving back to the community and supporting those in need through meaningful initiatives. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering charity events, fundraising campaigns, and volunteer opportunities that promote compassion and social responsibility. Whether your goal is to support meaningful causes, inspire change, or connect with peers who care, CASA Cares is here to guide you throughout your time at Concordia.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

- **Terrace Party:** The first after-class party of the year, meet new people and learn how to get involved with CASA Cares.
- **Model Reveal Party:** Discover the models and fashion show theme for a night full of surprises and fun.
- **Annual CASA Cares Fashion Show:** Celebrating 22 years of showcasing Montreal brands while raising funds for the Montreal Children's Hospital. Featuring student models, the event combines fashion, entertainment, and giving back.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JMo'SB: student team supporting men's health during Movember through events and fundraising.

CASA Cares Model: join the annual fashion show for the Montreal Children's Hospital, no experience needed.

Fashion Show Volunteer: assist with setup and backstage to support the show and gain experience.

Volunteering: find local opportunities through CASA Cares' social media to give back and grow your skills.





Enactus Office: MB.4.437
info@enactusconcordia.com



ABOUT US

Enactus Concordia is the official student association representing socially driven and entrepreneurial-minded students at JMSB. Our mission is to harness the power of entrepreneurship, social impact, and collaboration to drive meaningful change both on and off campus. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering workshops, conferences, mentorship programs, and hands-on social projects that tackle real-world issues. Whether you're looking to start a business, make a difference, or connect with purpose-driven peers, Enactus Concordia is here to support you throughout your academic journey.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

- **SustainABite: volunteering with Welfare Avenue (Social Impact)**
- **ID8: conference and networking**
- **Mentorship Cocktail: conference and networking**
- **Don't Bottle It Up: mental health conference and networking**
- **Project Workshops (20/year, Social Impact): e.g., Mind Unwind (InStep), Jazz Night (EduQuo), Python/Java Workshops (CodElle)**

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Volunteering: make an impact without a long-term commitment

Networking at Conferences: connect with peers and be inspired by guest speakers at our events





JMSM Office: MB.4.435
info@jmsm.ca



ABOUT US

John Molson Sports Marketing Committee (JMSM) is the official student association representing students passionate about sports and the business side of the sports industry at JMSB. Our mission is to bridge the gap between academia and the sports industry by fostering a vibrant community of like-minded individuals and creating valuable networking and learning opportunities. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering industry-focused events, panels, and conferences that connect students with professionals in the field of sports marketing. Whether you're eager to break into the sports industry, connect with professionals, or turn your passion for sports into opportunities, JMSM will support you every step of the way.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Sports Business Conference:

Sports Business Conference: the largest student-run sports business conference in Canada, featuring top executives and offering students industry insights and networking with 400+ attendees from North America.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

JMSM starts recruiting for a First Year Representative in September and we also recruit volunteers for our conference in November.





JMWL Office: MB. S1.465
info@jmwil.ca



John Molson Women in Leadership

ABOUT US

John Molson Women in Leadership (JMWL) is the official student association representing students passionate about gender equality and inclusive leadership in business at JMSB. Our mission is to empower women to become strong, confident business leaders by fostering a deeper understanding of leadership, equity, and professional development. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering educational events, mentorship opportunities, practical skill-building sessions, and impactful discussions. Whether you're aiming to build leadership skills, find guidance from inspiring mentors, or advocate for inclusivity, JMWL will be by your side throughout your academic experience.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Leadership in Action Conference
HerTurn
Ambassador Night
Business Blueprint
Networking Cocktail

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Recruitment: Ambassador Program → Open to all JMSB students to shadow committee portfolios, gain hands-on leadership experience, receive mentorship, and develop practical skills while exploring JMWL's mission to empower women in business.





JSEC Office: MB 4.437
info@jsecjmsb.ca



ABOUT US

John Molson Sustainable Enterprise Committee (JSEC) is the official student association representing students interested in sustainability and its role in business at JMSB. Our mission is to educate and empower students to explore sustainable business practices by fostering meaningful change and connecting like-minded individuals. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering engaging panels, mentorship programs, and networking opportunities that highlight the importance of sustainability across industries. Whether your goal is to learn more about sustainability in business, build valuable connections, or make a difference in your community, JSEC is here to help you thrive during your university years.

FLAGSHIP EVENTS

Sustainability Mentorship Program
John Molson Sustainability Case Competition (JSCC)
Youth Summit on Sustainable Business

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

- **First-Year Representative Recruitment (September 2025):** attend our Meet & Greet and get involved.
- **Flagship Initiatives:** Sustainability Mentorship Program, John Molson Sustainable Consulting Group, Sustainability Case Competition.
- **Events & Networking:** attend panels and connect with peers interested in sustainable business.





ABOUT US

CASA X is the official student committee representing students looking to engage with campus nightlife and social culture at JMSB. Our mission is to fuel student life by creating fun, inclusive, and memorable experiences that bring the JMSB community together. We aim to enhance the student experience by offering weekly 5x8 events, themed parties, exclusive drink deals, and exciting collaborations that showcase university spirit. CASA X is dedicated to helping you meet new people, embrace student life, and create lasting experiences.

INVOLVEMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Each September, we welcome new Brand Ambassadors (BAs) to work alongside CASA X Directors and master the art of event-making.

This year's BA program offers two specialized tracks:

- **Marketing: create bold campaigns, design engaging content, and drive social media buzz.**
- **Growth: build partnerships, launch initiatives, and expand CASA X's reach on campus.**



JMSB

2000

Thank you!