



**PROGRAM SCHEDULE FOR  
MASTER OF ARTS IN CLIMATE ACTION LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (CLALD-MA)  
MAY 2021 INTAKE (Y2021P-CA1B)  
May 10, 2021 - January 28, 2024  
Schedule last updated: March 1, 2022**

*Program schedules, including start and end dates, are subject to change*

Non-credit Required Activities									
Activity	Description	Grade Scale	Instructor(s)	Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Required or Elective	
ITAI	Introduction to Academic Integrity	C/I		5/10/21	5/23/21	Online	2	Required	
CALCON	Connections for Climate Action Leadership	C/I		5/10/21	5/23/21	Online	2	Required	
Course	Credit	Course Title	Grade Scale	Instructor(s)	Start Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	End Date (mm/dd/yyyy)	Delivery Mode	# weeks	Required or Elective
CALS501*	3	Leading Climate Action in Society Part 1	4.33	TBA	5/31/21	6/13/21	Online Residency	2	Required
					6/14/21	6/12/22	Post-Res-DL	50	
CALS500	3	Climate Science, Impacts, and Services	4.33	TBA	6/21/21	8/29/21	Online	10	Required
CALS502	3	Communication for Climate Action <i>Pre-requisite: CALS500</i>	4.33	TBA	9/13/21	11/21/21	Online	10	Required
CALS503	3	Climate Risk Management <i>Pre-requisite: CALS500</i>	4.33	TBA	1/04/22	3/13/22	Online	10	Required
CALS504	3	Modelling the Business Case for Climate Action <i>Pre-requisite: CALS500</i>	4.33	TBA	3/28/22	6/05/22	Online	10	Required
CALS505	3	Leading Change in Organizations and Communities <i>Pre-requisite: CALS500</i>	4.33	TBA	6/20/22	8/28/22	Online	10	Required
<b>Graduate Diploma Completed: 18 Credits</b>									
All MA students complete CALS601									
CALS601*	3	Leading Climate Action in Society Part 2	P/F	TBA	9/12/22	12/03/23	Online	62	Required
					12/04/23	12/10/23	Online Residency	1	
					12/11/23	12/17/23	Online	1	
<b>Students will choose either Stream 1: Scholar Practitioner or Stream 2: Practitioner Scholar.</b> <b>Students choosing Stream 2: Practitioner Scholar must follow either the Internship Option or Portfolio Learning Option</b>									
<b>STREAM 1: SCHOLAR PRACTITIONER</b>									
All Stream 1 students complete CALS602 and CALS690									
CALS602	3	Conducting Climate Action Research	4.33	TBA	9/26/22	12/04/22	Online	10	Required
CALS690	12	Research Thesis	CR	TBA	1/09/23	1/28/24	Independent Research	52	Required
<b>STREAM 2: PRACTITIONER SCHOLAR</b>									
All Stream 2 students complete CALS603 and CALS691 and either the Internship Option or Portfolio Learning Option									
CALS603	3	Translating and Assessing Climate Risk and Resilience for Practitioners	4.33	TBA	9/26/22	12/04/22	Online	10	Required
HUMSIP	0	Internship Preparation and Career Management Skills	C/I	TBA	11/21/22	2/12/23	Online	10	Elective
CALS691	3	Designing a Practitioner Portfolio	4.33	TBA	1/09/23	3/19/23	Online	10	Required
CALS694	6	Internship	4.33	TBA	4/03/23	8/20/23	On Location	20	Elective
Internship Option					Portfolio Learning Option				
Dates and Courses Determined by Individualized Schedules									
HUMSIP Internship Preparation and Career Management Skills (dates listed above), CALS694 Internship (6 credits) (dates listed above) and, Completion of 3 credits consisting of a blend of: - CALS692* Climate Action Experiential Learning (1-3 credits); - Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR) (requires PH approval); - Internal or external electives (requires PH approval)					Completion of 9 credits consisting of a blend of: - CALS692* Climate Action Experiential Learning (1-9 credits); - Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR) (maximum 6 credits - requires PH approval); - Internal or external electives (maximum 6 credits from another institution - requires PH approval)				
<b>Master of Arts Completed: 36 Credits Updated: March 1, 2022</b>									

\*year long course with more localized units throughout the year

**Definition Key:**

**Delivery Mode (way in which the course is delivered to the student):**

**Blended** indicates that some components of the course are online and some are on campus or on location.

**On-Campus**, also known as Face to Face, indicates that this portion of the course is taught on site at Royal Roads University.

**Online**, also known as Distance Learning, indicates that this portion of the course is taken over the Internet.

**On Location** indicates that this portion of the course is taught off campus at another location and applies to internship courses.

**Independent Study** indicates that this is a self-directed course (excluding graduate level research papers, major projects, theses and dissertations).

**Independent Research** indicates that this is a graduate level research paper, major project, thesis or dissertation.

**Residency vs Distance Row Headers:**

**Residency** indicates courses or a period of time during which students are on site receiving instruction in person at Royal Roads University or at a partner institution. When followed by One, Two, Three or Four, indicates whether it is the first, second, third or fourth residency period.

**Pre-Res**, or Pre-Residency, indicates courses that are being offered prior to the student attending Residency.

**Distance** indicates courses or a period of time during which students take their courses online (aka Distance Learning). When followed by One, Two, Three or Four, indicates whether it is the first, second, third or fourth Distance Learning period.