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Welcome to the Camosun College and
University of Victoria Practical Nurse to
Baccalaureate of Science in Nursing Bridge
Program Information Session

Territorial Acknowledgement

Camosun College respectfully acknowledges that our campuses are situated on the territories of the Lək̓ʷəŋən (Songhees and Kosapsum) and WSÁNE peoples. We honour their knowledge and

School of Health Sciences & Human Services

- Camosun College offers more than 15 health and human services programs, including degrees, post-degree diplomas, certificates, diplomas and university transfer courses.
- Our School, the School of Health Sciences and Human Services (HSHS) is a place of warmth and caring.

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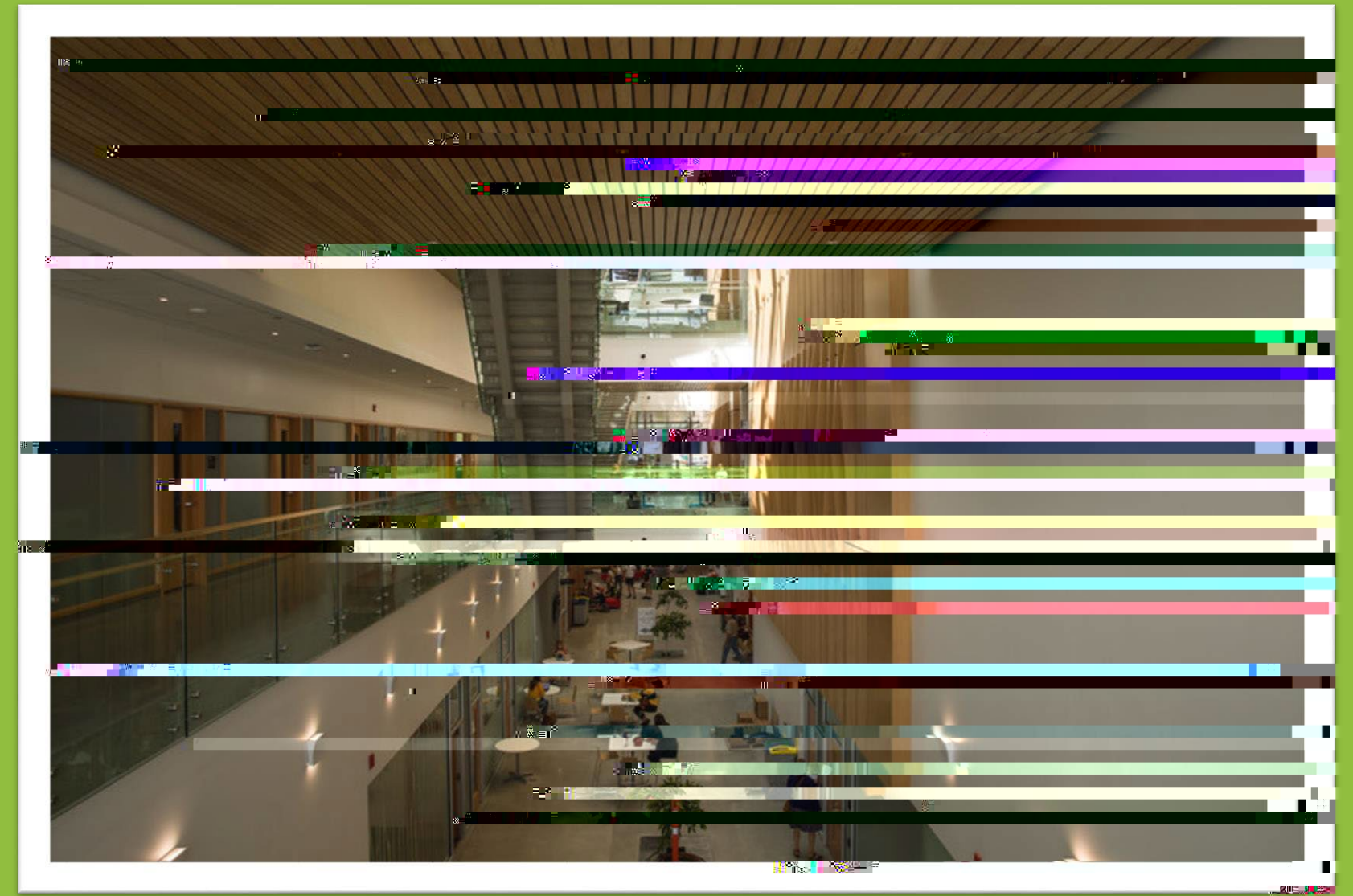
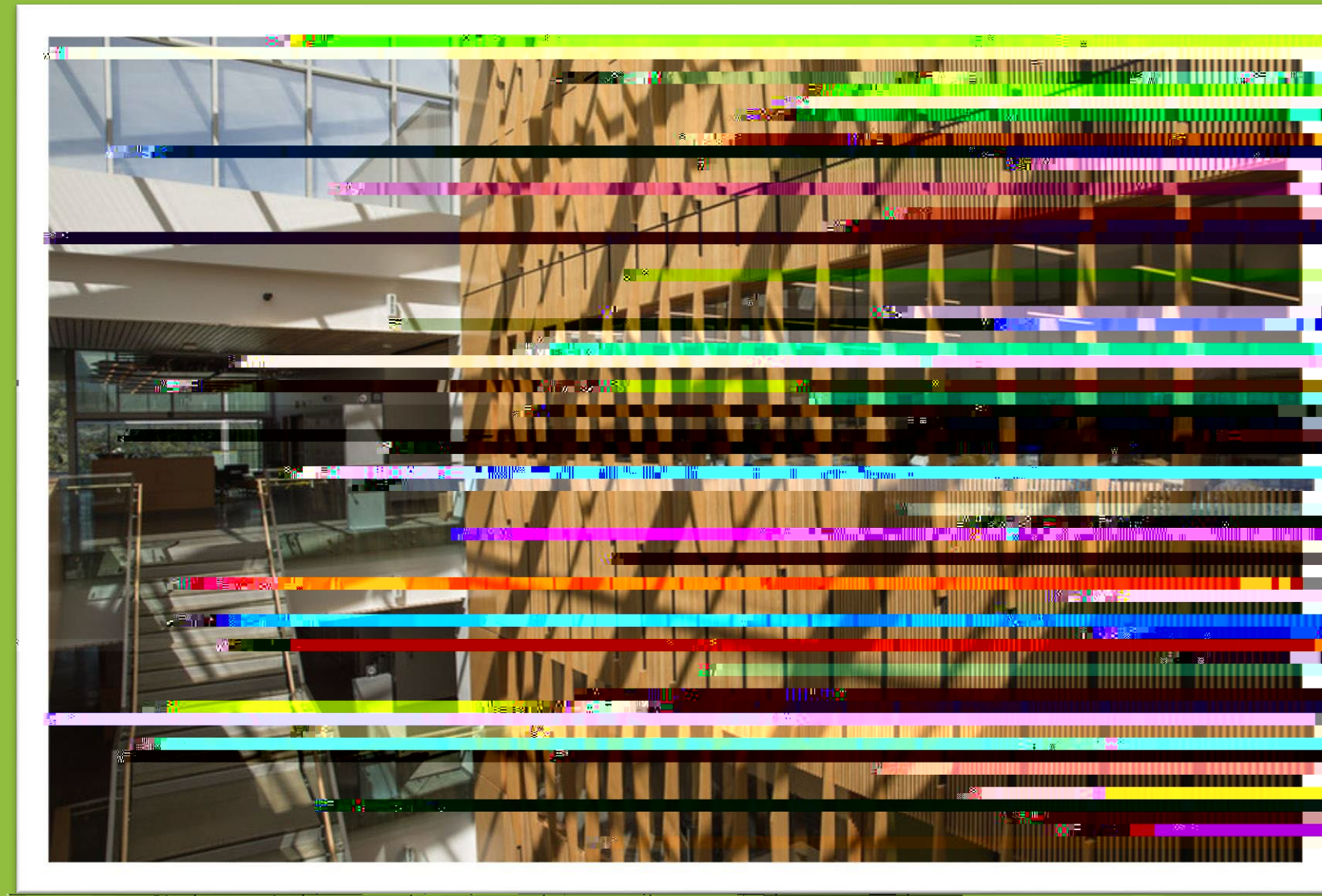
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Why take the PN2BSN Bridge program

- Three year program (1 year bridge and final 2 years of BSN program)



Job Opportunities in Nursing

- Acute Care Hospitals
- Complex Care Facilities
- Community Health
- Health Education and Counselling

Career Building Possibilities



BSN:

Entry to practice
Opportunity for practice
focus in Year 4

PostRN continued learning:

OR, ER, ICU, etc.

Advanced certifications
(ie. ACLS)

Graduate degrees:

Advanced practice

Educator

Leadership

Informatics

Research

Overview of Practical Nurse to Baccalaureate of Science in Nursing Bridge Program

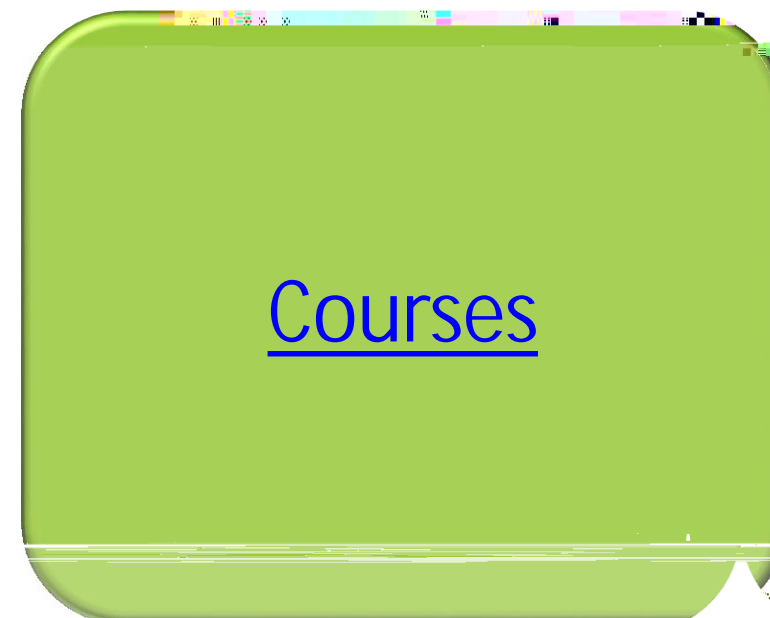
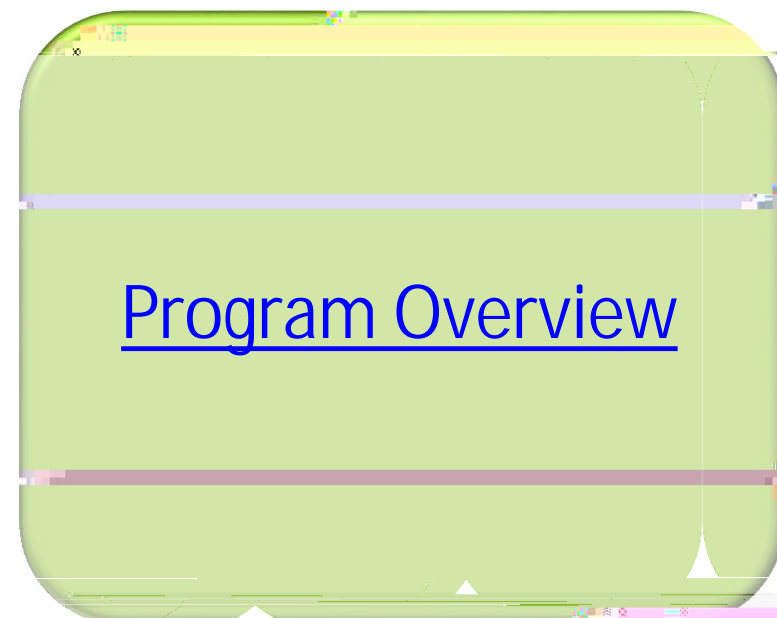
- 3 year program:
 - First 1.5 years at Camosun College
 - Finish the last 1.5 years at UVIC
- First year of PN2BSN September to June
 - Fall term: 1 day/week at Camosun College
 - Winter term: 3 days/week at Camosun College
 - Spring term: Consolidated practice placement (3days/week)
- Enter 3rd yr of BSN program September to July
- Enter 4th yr of BSN program September to April







Review the BSN program pages online:



Program Overview

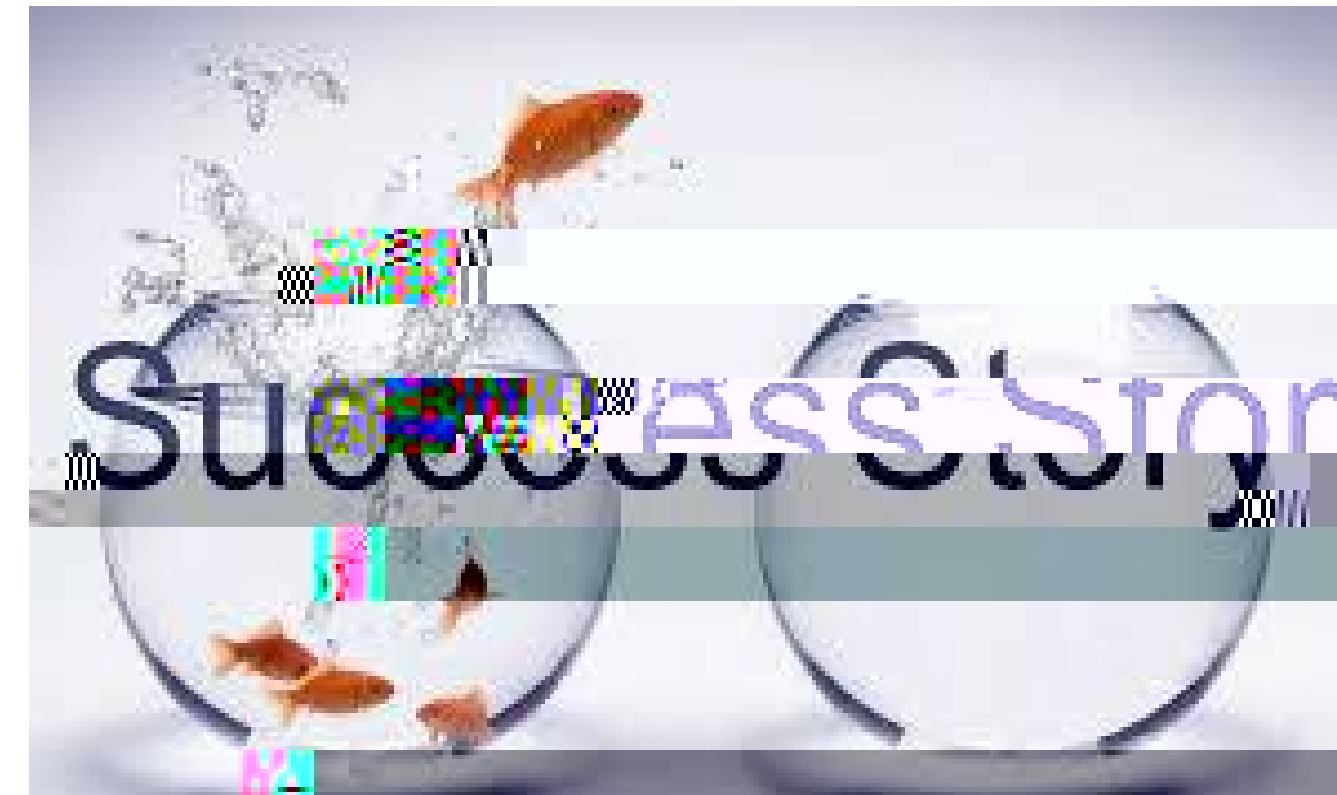


Costs (Approximate)

(At Camosun College only, different at UVic)

Readiness & Preparation for Success

- The BSN program is challenging and rewarding.
- If possible take your 100-level English, Indigenous studies, and elective ahead of time
- Financial Aspects
- Support Network (family and friends)
- Balancing multiple responsibilities



Program Participation Requirements

*f*A negative TB skin test or a negative chest x-ray. Evidence must be dated no more than six months before the program start date. Students are responsible for the cost of testing.

*f*Immunization status, and be prepared to provide proof of vaccination. Students are highly recommended to maintain current immunizations as per the Provincial Practice Education Guidelines: spe.healthcarebc.ca

*f*Standard First Aid and Basic Life Support, including the airway management and oxygen therapy courses. Basic Life Support must be renewed yearly while in the program.

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On-line application process

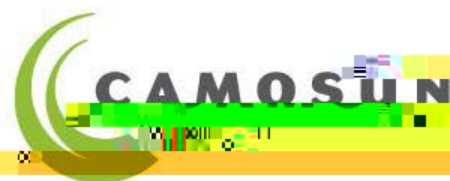
[Education Planner website](#)

Next intake : Fall 2026

Application date : starting in Fall 2025

The screenshot shows the Education Planner website interface. At the top, there are navigation buttons for 'Plan', 'Search', 'Path', and 'Apply'. The breadcrumb trail indicates the path: 'Institutions > Camosun College > Programs > Practical Nurse to Baccalaureate of Science in Nursing Bridge'. The main heading for the program is 'Practical Nurse to Baccalaureate of Science in Nursing Bridge'. Below the heading, there are two buttons: 'Add program to My Education Plan' and 'Apply now'. A table provides details about the program:

Program types	Credential	Length	Start date	Tuition*
Undergraduate	Bachelor's Degree	8 months + completion of BSN years 3 and 4	September	\$6,100 t



Competitive Admission Process for the annual Fall Intake

[Admission information page](#)



The Writing Centres
How can we help?



Academic Advising
Guiding you on your educational journey



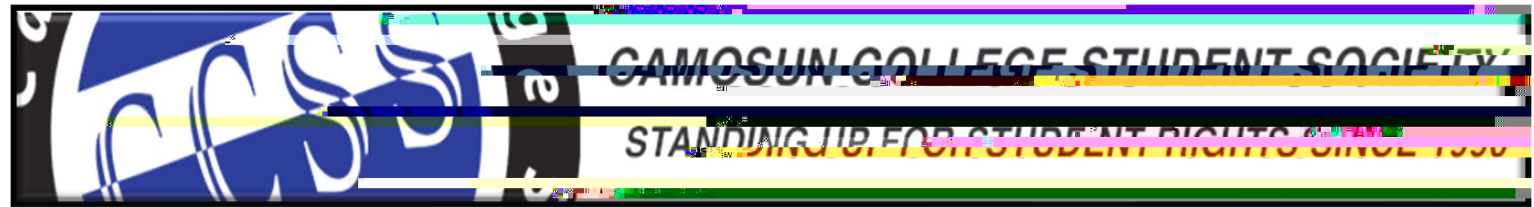
Indigenous Student Support
Find your way and feel like you belong – with our help



Fitness & Recreation
Make time for your well-being



Financial Aid & Awards
Funding your education



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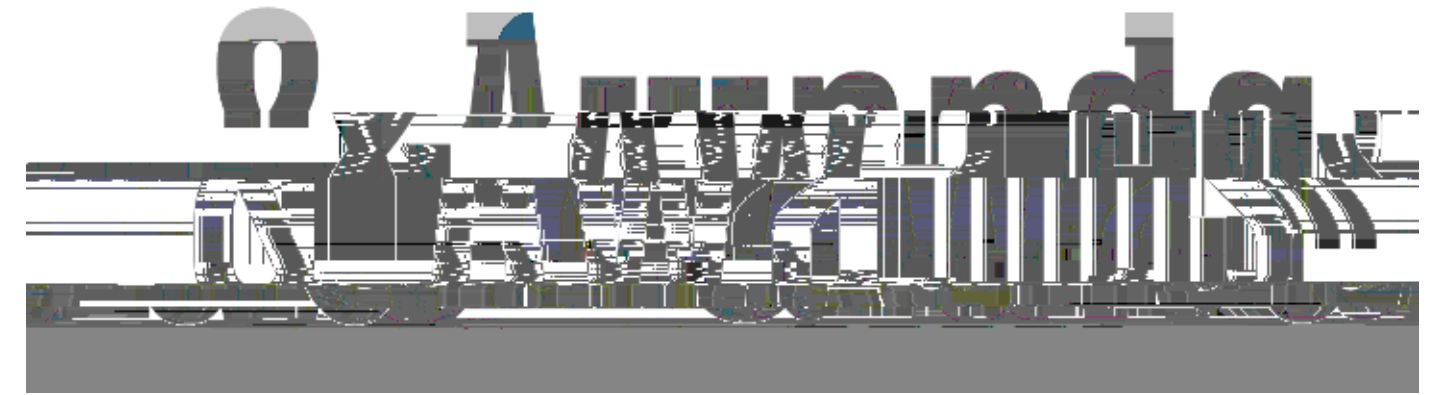
FINANCIAL AID

Money You Repay

- $\frac{3}{4}$ StudentAid Loans (Provincial/Federal)
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Student Loans/Lines of Credit

Money You Don't Repay

- $\frac{3}{4}$ StudentAid Grants (Provincial/Federal/Disability)
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Camosun Entrance & School Awards
- $\frac{3}{4}$



Start now!

Make a plan and budget for your educational journey

4-6 weeks before classes begin

Apply for StudentAid, awards and scholarships

Refer to camosun.ca/financialaid for Camosun



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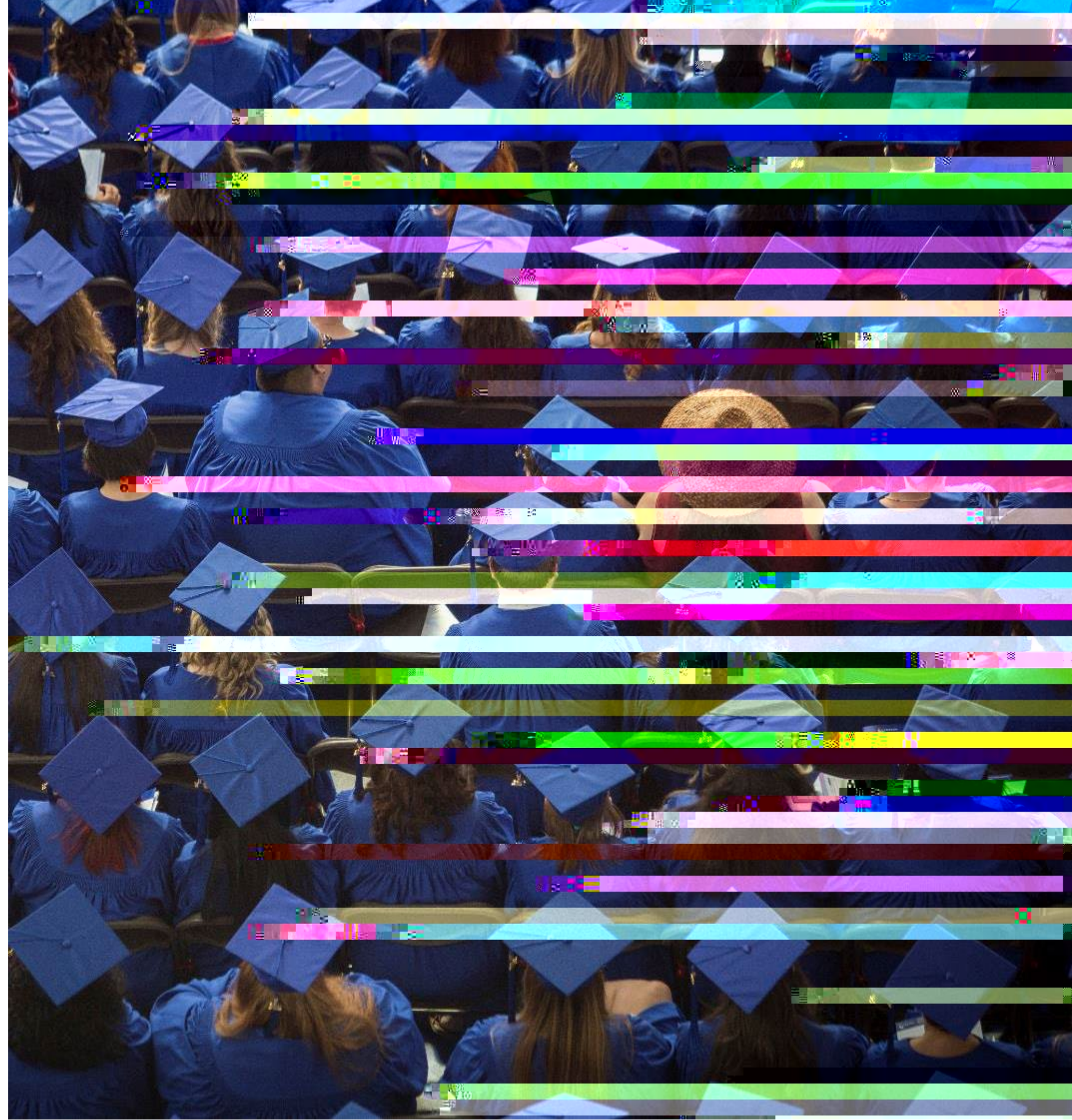
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Liz Ashton Campus Centre, Second floor

$\frac{3}{4}$ Virtually via iPad, Lansdowne Campus
Dawson Building, First floor



Thank

