### Overview

#### Participation

Thank you for agreeing to participate in ameligizing focus group session. We have received research ethics approval for the focus group sessions. Based on this approval we are including the following information. Your involvement in this session is voluntary. You may withdraw at any time. Your choice to not participate or withdraw will not affect any rights that you might have at the University of Calgary now or in the future.

#### Confidentiality

All of your comments and responses to questions will be kept completely confidential. Your name and anything else that can identify you will be removed from all written records. Any of the materials that come out of our discussion will only be evaluated by staff working on this project and will be kept secure and protected. Information from focus group sessions will be aggregated. Quotes may be used in summary report and other forms of public communication but they will not be attributed to individual participants. Personal contact information collected for prize drawsill be deleted once winners receive their prizes.

#### Results

The results of the session will help then Ergizing team better understand the impact that has had from the perspective of students, faculty, staff, aluannoi other members of the University of Calgary community her results of this session will also help to develop recommendations for change.

### Information

If you have questions that re not answered in this session, you may contact:

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## **Background Information**

In 2011, the University of Calgary embarked on a journey to define its future direction. The university had experienced significant momentum and growth in a community known for its energy, opportunity and expectation of excellence. There was a shared sense that the 'time was right' to raise the bar on the impact of the University of Calgary locally, nationally and inteimately.

# **Student Experience**

WHERE WE STARTED

In 2011, when the