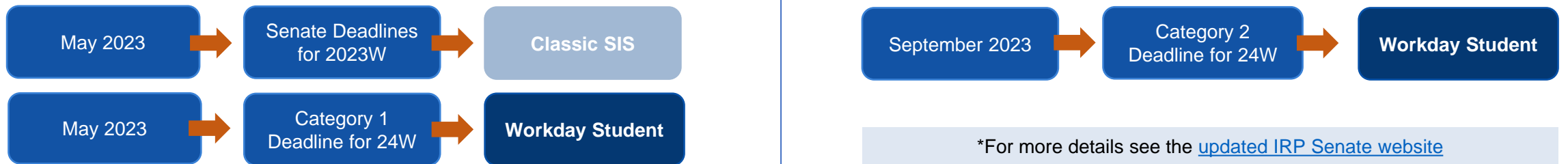# How Will Senate Changes/Approvals Work?

UBC will launch the new Student Information System (Workday Student) in the 2023/24 academic year. This means that both, Classic SIS and Workday Student will reflect Senate Changes for that time. There are specific periods over the next two years (i.e. registration) where we need to limit changes to Classic SIS to maintain stability. Any changes for 23W or 24S will be reflected in Classic SIS, and activities starting with 2024W will be reflected in Workday Student.

To reduce risk to the IRP Student project and academic programs the Senate Change Cycle timelines have been temporarily revised for 2023/2024.

Curriculum Approval Process

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| May 2023 | → | Senate Deadlines for 2023W | → | Classic SIS |
| May 2023 | → | Category 1 Deadline for 24W | → | Workday Student |

| September 2023 | → | Category 2 Deadline for 24W | → | Workday Student |

*For more details see the updated IRP Senate website

KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Senate changes approved for 2023W and 2024S will be reflected in Classic SIS
- Senate changes approved for 2024W will be reflected in Workday Student
- Some changes may be configured in the systems after go-live; however, the intention is to have them available prior to the first use
- The Senate approval process will not be interrupted (2023/24 & 2024/25)
- During the Senate Cycle there may be approved proposals that are held and input in Workday Student at a later date. However, proposals can still be brought forward
- The temporary deadline changes do not impact the Senate meeting schedule
- Some Academic Calendar information does not need to go into Workday and can be updated (i.e., program descriptions)