2017-2018

PROGRAMS AND ADMISSIONS

Bachelor’s, Master’s and PhD
International Edition
BEFORE YOU APPLY

uOttawa — Future students, Futurs étudiants

ONCE YOU RECEIVE YOUR OFFER OF ADMISSION

uOttawa Bureau International Office

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203,000

uOTTAWA ALUMNI
AROUND THE WORLD

THE UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA IS...
A LEADING UNIVERSITY

- The largest English-French bilingual university in the world — you can study in English, French or both
- Among the world’s 200 most international universities (Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2015-2016)
- Among the top 10 universities in Canada for research
- Nine discipline-based faculties:
  - Faculty of Arts
  - Faculty of Education
  - Faculty of Engineering
  - Faculty of Health Sciences
  - Faculty of Law
  - Faculty of Medicine
  - Faculty of Science
  - Faculty of Social Sciences
  - Telfer School of Management
- Over 450 bachelor’s, master’s and PhD programs

A DOWNTOWN CAMPUS RIGHT IN CANADA’S CAPITAL

- 42,000 students in a city of a million people
- Access to resources and jobs in national and international bodies (embassies and headquarters of international organizations)
- Close to Ottawa’s main tourist attractions, historical sites and cultural venues, as well as key businesses and services

OPEN TO THE WORLD

- Students and professors from over 150 countries
- Many international programs and partnerships
- Community and humanitarian projects to take part in
- University degrees from a G7 country that are recognized around the world
CUSTOMIZE YOUR uOTTAWA EXPERIENCE

STUDY AND WORK

coop.uOttawa.ca

Take part in the CO-OP program and apply your classroom knowledge during paid work terms while financing your studies. CO-OP is available in many programs for students who qualify. It lets you alternate between study terms and work placements.

Complete up to four paid work terms of four months each (in undergraduate and some graduate programs) for up to 16 months of experience in your field and your own network of valuable contacts.

Earn on average $9,600 CAD per placement.

DO UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

research.uOttawa.ca/urop

Take part in the Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP) or the Summer Undergraduate International Research Internships (SIRI) during your second or third year of undergraduate studies.

• Gain access to state-of-the-art labs and facilities.
• Work with some of the world’s top researchers and institutes.
• Get hands-on experience to prepare you for graduate studies.

UROP PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE A

$1,000 CAD SCHOLARSHIP

STUDY IN FRENCH OR ENGLISH

immersion.uOttawa.ca | eip.uOttawa.ca

Study in French, English or both at the world’s largest French-English bilingual university.

Improve your French, English or both with the help of the Official Languages and Bilingualism Institute (OLBI).

• Register for French immersion courses in 90 different undergraduate programs.
  Note: French immersion courses require an intermediate level of proficiency in French. Take our free online test to determine your level.
• Register for the English Intensive Program (EIP). Course levels range from beginner’s to advanced.
  Note: EIP courses don’t count for university credits.

4 OUT OF 5 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FIND CO-OP PLACEMENTS

89% ALUMNI EMPLOYMENT RATE WITHIN SIX MONTHS OF GRADUATION
VOLUNTEER
servingothers.uOttawa.ca

Build your personal and professional networks while giving back to the local community and learning more about Canadian culture. Volunteer on or off campus for a day or for a few hours a week. Some uOttawa courses also offer Community Service Learning (CSL), which allows you to replace an assignment with a community volunteer project. Start your career on the right foot! All volunteering hours during your studies are certified by a Co-Curricular Record.

STUDY ABROAD
international.uOttawa.ca

At uOttawa, even international students can go on an exchange! Spend one or two terms at one of over 250 partner institutions in 55 different countries and earn university credits while only paying uOttawa tuition fees.

GET EXPERT ADVICE
international.uOttawa.ca

The International Office is there to offer you support and advice to help you succeed at uOttawa.

- Orientation sessions and workshops
- International Student Success Centre
- Year-round social and recreational activities to make new friends from around the globe, get to know the campus and explore Canada’s capital

AUTOMATIC
$1,000 to $2,000 CAD
MOBILITY SCHOLARSHIPS

uOttawa partners with
26 OF THE TOP 100 WORLD UNIVERSITIES
(QS University Rankings)

VOLUNTEERING WILL MAKE YOU STAND OUT TO FUTURE EMPLOYERS
FINANCE YOUR STUDIES

STUDY IN FRENCH AND SAVE ON TUITION!

uOttawa.ca/differentialexemption

New full-time international students registered in French-language programs can pay the same tuition fees as Canadian students. To be eligible, you must meet the following conditions:

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
• be admitted to a program offered in French
• be registered as a full-time student and take a minimum of three courses (nine credits) per term taught in French
• maintain a minimum CGPA of 5.0 after each academic year

GRADUATE STUDIES
• be admitted to a program of studies offered only in French
OR
• have a secondary or postsecondary diploma in French attesting to a minimum of two years of study
• for programs that offer compulsory courses in both English and French, register for the compulsory courses offered in French

ESTIMATED TUITION FEES FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS*

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<td>$26,300 to $35,400 CAD</td>
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*Some exceptions apply. Figures are based on fees for the 2016-2017 academic year (September to April) and are subject to change. Visit uOttawa.ca/university-fees for up-to-date information.

GET SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

University of Ottawa scholarships and bursaries, as well as third-party scholarships, are available for international students. Your country may also offer sponsorship programs that cover all or part of your tuition fees. Check with your government and then email sponsoredstudents@uOttawa.ca to find out more.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES
uOttawa.ca/financial-aid-awards

Prestigious admission and in-course scholarships are available:
• President's Scholarship - $30,000 ($7,500 per academic year)
• Chancellor's Scholarship - $26,000 ($6,500 per academic year)
• Faculty Merit Scholarships - up to $5,000.

AUTOMATIC IN-COURSE MERIT SCHOLARSHIP OF
$1,000 PER TERM (UP TO $3,000 PER YEAR) FOR QUALIFIED UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

GRADUATE STUDIES
uOttawa.ca/graduate-studies

To be eligible, you must have an admission average of 8.0/10 or higher. Scholarships are awarded when you are admitted, if you meet the criteria. You don’t need to apply once you’ve applied to a graduate program.

Partial and full scholarships are available:
• from $15,000 or $22,500 per year for the first year or the first two years of a master’s program
• from $18,000 or $27,000 per year for the first four years of a PhD program

WORK IN CANADA
international.uOttawa.ca | cic.gc.ca

The Work-Study Program (WSP) allows international students who demonstrate financial need, are registered full-time and have a valid Canadian work permit to work on campus part time during their studies. Students may also work off campus or take part in the CO-OP program (see page 4).
PLAN YOUR BUDGET

AVERAGE STUDENT MONTHLY COST OF LIVING IN OTTAWA $1,400

RESIDENCE GUARANTEED
TO ALL FIRST YEAR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS

HOUSING
uOttawa.ca/housing

uOTTAWA RESIDENCES*
(includes utilities, furniture and Internet)

Traditional, Traditional Plus! Residence (8 months)
$5,791 to $8,507 CAD

Suite or studio (8 months)
$6,243 to $9,223 CAD

Apartment-style residence (12 months)
$9,702 to $16,815 CAD

OFF CAMPUS

Furnished room in a house or apartment (12 months)
$7,800 CAD or more

Bachelor apartment (12 months)
$9,060 CAD or more

One bedroom apartment (12 months)
$11,100 CAD or more

Graduate and mature students most often live off campus. The proximity of neighbourhoods like Sandy Hill and the Byward Market, combined with your U-Pass, makes living off campus a practical option.

TRANSPORTATION
sfuo.ca/upass

U-Pass
For all full-time undergraduate and graduate students
Included in your tuition

MEDICAL INSURANCE

University Health Insurance Plan (8 months)
Mandatory for international students and their dependents
$408 CAD

CELLPHONE PLAN

Monthly cost of a cellphone plan with data
$60 to $90 CAD

INTERNET

Monthly cost of Internet
$40 to $80 CAD

NOTE: Free Wi-Fi is available throughout the campus, including in residences.

FOOD*
uOttawa.ca/uOttawaCard

Meal plan (8 months)
$2,600 to $4,450 CAD

Groceries per month
$300 CAD

NOTE: Meal plan mandatory in traditional residences and the 90U residence. Single term meal plans are available.

CLOTHING

Winter jacket
$75 to $300 CAD

Winter boots
$85 to $225 CAD

Shoes
$40 to $120 CAD

Jeans
$40 to $80 CAD

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START YOUR uOTTAWA JOURNEY
STUDY ONE OF TWO WAYS

COME ON AN EXCHANGE

international.uOttawa.ca

Take courses at uOttawa and have them credited towards your degree at your home university.

The University of Ottawa has mobility agreements with over 250 partner institutions across the globe. These agreements generally require you to participate in an exchange lasting around four to eight months. The total cost of your exchange depends on factors such as the agreement between universities, the location and the duration of your exchange. Visit international.uOttawa.ca > Study at uOttawa > Incoming exchanges applications for more information.

NOTE: Students interested in doing an exchange with the Telfer School of Management must email ext@telfer.uOttawa.ca for information on this school’s exchange programs.

COME FOR A DEGREE

HONOURS BACHELOR’S

admission.uOttawa.ca

This is the first level of university studies in Canada. Only students who have completed secondary school (or the equivalent) are eligible for admission.

Getting an honours bachelor’s degree will
• give you the skills you need to enter the job market
• allow you to continue your studies by applying for a master’s, which you can follow with a doctorate
• continue your studies in a professional program, such as law or education

MASTER’S

uOttawa.ca/graduate-studies

Only students who have completed a four-year undergraduate program (or the equivalent) are eligible for admission to a master’s program.

Depending on the program, you can complete your master’s in one of four ways:
• master’s with thesis
• master’s with research paper
• master’s by coursework
• professional master’s

DOCTORATE

uOttawa.ca/graduate-studies

The highest level of study — only students who have completed a master’s program (or the equivalent) are eligible for admission to a doctoral program.

Typically, you take courses relating directly to your subject in your first two years, and then you spend at least two years writing your thesis.

PURSUING GRADUATE STUDIES (MASTER’S OR DOCTORATE) LETS YOU
• become an expert and a leader in your chosen field
• improve your career prospects and increase your competitiveness on the job market
• boost your income prospects
CHOOSE A PROGRAM

Honours bachelor’s
Graduate diploma
Master’s
Doctorate

CO-OP (undergraduate)
CO-OP (graduate — master’s)
Program offered in French only
Undergraduate program offered in English only

Graduate program offered in English only
Can be added as a second discipline during undergraduate studies only. Direct admission to this program is not possible.

FACULTY OF ARTS
Aboriginal Studies
Arabic Language and Culture
Arts
Bilingualism Studies
Canadian Studies
Classical Studies
Communication
Communication and Political Science
Communication and Sociology
Communication et lettres françaises
Conference interpreting
Digital Journalism
English
English as a Second Language (for non-anglophones only)
Environmental Studies
Environmental Sustainability
French as a Second Language (for non-francophones only)
French Studies
French Studies (for non-francophones only)
Geography
German Language and Culture
Greek and Roman Studies
History
History and Political Science
History and Theory of Art
Information Studies
Italian Language and Culture
Lettres françaises
Lettres françaises (BA) et éducation (BEd)
Linguistics
Medieval and Renaissance Studies

Music / Music Studies
Music (BMus)
Music (BMus) and Science (BSc)
Orchestral Studies
Philosophy
Philosophy and Political Science
Piano Pedagogy Research
Psychology and Linguistics
Public Relations
Religious Studies
Russian Language and Culture
Second-Language Teaching (ESL or FLS)
Spanish
Theatre
Translation
- French-English
- French-Spanish-English
Visual Arts
Visual Arts (BFA)
World Cinemas
World Literatures and Cultures

MINORS
Applied Ethics
Asian Studies
Canadian Studies
Celtic Studies
Digital Humanities
Écriture et style

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING
Advanced Materials and Manufacturing
Biochemistry (BSc) and Chemical Engineering (BASc) (Biotechnology)
Bioinformatics
Biomedical Engineering
Biomedical Mechanical Engineering (BASc)

Biomedical Mechanical Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)
Chemical Engineering
Chemical Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)
Civil Engineering
Civil Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)
Computer Engineering
Computer Science
Computer Science and Mathematics (BSc)
Electrical Engineering
Electrical and Computer Engineering
Electronic Business
Electronic Business Technologies
Electrical Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)
Engineering Management
Environmental Engineering
Environmental Sustainability
Internet Technologies
Mechanical Engineering
Mechanical Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)
Physics (BSc) and Electrical Engineering (BASc)
Software Engineering
Systems Sciences
Technology Project Management

MINOR
Computer Science for Scientists
## FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

**Audiology**

**Health Sciences**

**Human Kinetics (BHK) Emphasis on social sciences / (BSchHK) Emphasis on biophysical sciences**

**Human Kinetics**

**Interdisciplinary Health Sciences**

**Nursing**

**Nutrition Sciences**

**Occupational Therapy**

**Physiotherapy**

**Population Health**

**Population Health Risk Assessment and Management**

**Rehabilitation Sciences**

**Speech-Language Pathology**

**MINORS**

**Leisure Studies**

## FACULTY OF MEDICINE

**Biochemistry**

**Bioinformatics**

**Cellular and Molecular Medicine**

**Epidemiology**

**Human and Molecular Genetics**

**Microbiology and Immunology**

**Neuroscience**

**Pathology and Experimental Medicine**

## FACULTY OF SCIENCE

**Biochemistry**

**Bioinformatics**

**Biostatistics**

**Biomedical Science**

**Biopharmaceutical Science**

**Chemical and Environmental Toxicology**

**Chemistry**

**Computer Science and Mathematics**

**Earth Sciences**

**Environmental Science**

**Environmental Sustainability**

**Financial Mathematics and Economics**

**Geology**

**Geology-Physics**

**Mathematics**

**Mathematics and Economics**

**Music (BMus) and Science (BSc)**

## FACULTY OF LAW – CIVIL LAW

**Canadian Law Program (JD and LLL)**

**Civil Law (LLL)**

**Civil Law (LLL) and International Development and Globalization (BScSc)**

**Civil Law (LLL) and Master in Business Administration (MBA)**

**National Program (LLL)**

**Law (LLM)**

**Law**

## FACULTY OF LAW – COMMON LAW

**Juris Doctor (JD)**

**Juris Doctor (JD) and Telfer School of Management Master in Business Administration (MBA)**

**Juris Doctor (JD) and Norman Patterson School of International Affairs’s Master of Arts**

**Juris Doctor (JD) and Michigan State University College of Juris Doctor (JD)**

## TELFER SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

**Accounting**

**Business Administration (MBA)**

**Commerce (BCom) and Juris Doctor (JD)**

**Finance**

**Health Administration**

**Health Systems**

**Leadership and Management**

**Management**

**Human Resource Management**

**International Management**

**Management Information Systems and Analytics**

**Marketing**

**Organizational Performance Management**

**Scientific Management and Leadership**

Visit [uOttawa.ca/career-development-centre/studies](http://uOttawa.ca/career-development-centre/studies) for career path options and examples of potential employers in Canada and abroad.
## UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

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<td>• Must have completed some university studies (Civil Law: 1 year</td>
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<td>BACHELOR OF EDUCATION</td>
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<td>PROFESSIONAL MASTER’S</td>
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<td>MASTER’S</td>
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*Visit uOttawa.ca/graduate-studies/international/admission-equivalencies for the equivalent degree in your country required for admission.
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

As a general rule, international applicants must meet the following criteria:

- You have obtained or are in the process of obtaining your secondary school diploma or your country’s equivalent diploma.
- You are registered or have completed at least five courses at the highest level offered.
- You are registered for the highest level courses offered to meet all of your intended program’s prerequisites.
- You have the minimum average required and meet language requirements.

BRITISH CURRICULUM (A-LEVELS)

You must have completed a minimum of two A-Level subjects. If you have only completed two A-Level subjects, you must also have completed five subjects overall (including either AS or O Level subjects).

For all programs, you must have English (first language) at the O-Level with a minimum grade of B. English (first language) at the AS or A Level is also accepted. Your other prerequisites must be A-Level or AS-Level subjects and you must have a minimum grade of C.

For programs requiring more than two prerequisite subjects, at least two of your prerequisite subjects must be at the A Level or AS Level. Unless you have studied them at the A-Level or AS-Level, your other prerequisite subjects can be at the O-Level.

Your admission average is calculated based on at least two GCE A Levels and three IGCSE (O Level) courses or three GCE A Level and one IGCSE (O level) courses.

We do not grant advanced standing for courses completed under the British curriculum.

NOTE:
- Two AS-Level subjects equal one A-Level subject.
- Mathematics must be at the A-Level or AS-Level only.
- The General Paper cannot be counted as a subject.

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB)

You must complete the diploma with six subjects, including the program prerequisites, with a minimum score of 29 points, including at least three Higher Level courses. You receive additional points for Extended Essay and Theory of Knowledge.

If English has been your primary language of instruction, you must have Standard Level or Higher Level English A with a minimum score of 4.

If you are completing both the IB diploma and another high school curriculum, we will consider both to determine which best positions you for admission.

We might grant you advanced standing for higher-level subjects (depending on your intended program), provided your total score is 5 or higher in each subject.

Admission to the University of Ottawa is limited and requires an excellent academic record. The minimum admission average required is based on the competitiveness of each program. There are no entrance exams or automatic access to programs. Admission is not guaranteed even if you meet all the requirements. You will receive a response to your application only after the admissions committee has assessed your file.

Visit admission.uOttawa.ca for admission information.
PROGRAMS IN ENGLISH

If you’re applying for a program offered in English, and have not completed at least three years of full-time study in an institution where English is the only language of instruction (aside from in languages courses), located in a country where English is an official language, you must provide us with your official results in one of the language tests recognized by the University.

Required English language test scores for undergraduate studies

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The University of Ottawa reserves the right to ask students to write an additional test or to take language courses if it considers that a student’s knowledge of the chosen language of study is insufficient, regardless of language test scores.

All tests must have been taken no more than two years prior to the date of application to the University of Ottawa. If your results in one of these tests do not meet the required level, you may still be considered for admission if you pass one of the make-up courses offered by the University of Ottawa.

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CREDIT TRANSFERS AND ADVANCED STANDING

If you have already completed some university studies at a recognized college or university, you may be eligible to enter the first or second year of your undergraduate program with advanced standing. The program and year to which you are admitted depends on the courses you’ve taken and the grades you’ve received.

To be considered for advanced standing, you must provide official course descriptions (in English or French) for all studies you have completed outside Canada, with details on course content, sessions and hours of instruction.
Universities in the province of Ontario, Canada, share an online application system run by the Ontario Universities’ Application Centre (OUAC).

You must apply through the OUAC website using the OUAC 105F Undergraduate Application for International Candidates form.

Once you have completed and submitted the OUAC 105F form, you must send your documents to the undergraduate admissions office by mail or by email to eureka@uOttawa.ca. If you are admitted, we may ask you to send your final documents to World Education Services (WES), to confirm their authenticity and your results.

**DEADLINES**

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**ADMISSION DECISION PROCESS**

Within two weeks of submitting your online application, the undergraduate admissions office will email you an acknowledgement of receipt. Save it, because it contains instructions on how to access uOttawa’s student portal, uoZone.

**uoZone can help you:**

- view the status of your admission application
- know what documents are required and whether you must send in additional documents
- check out financial aid options through the Online Scholarships and Bursaries tool
- and much more!

It can take several weeks to review your file and not all admission decisions are issued at the same time. The timing of admission decisions varies, depending on the program and the strength of the application. If you have applied to more than one program at the University of Ottawa, you may receive a decision concerning admission to one program before a decision is issued for another program.

Check your uoZone account regularly to see whether the admissions office has issued its decision on your admission.

**APPLYING TO EDUCATION OR LAW**

**EDUCATION**

The University of Ottawa offers two-year teacher education bachelor’s programs in English and French that prepare candidates to teach in elementary or secondary schools in Ontario and across Canada.

To be admitted, you must have a bachelor’s degree and meet the program requirements. To apply, complete the Ontario Teacher Education Application Service (TEAS) form on the OUAC website.

**APPLICATION DEADLINES (EDUCATION)**

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**LAW**

The Faculty of Law offers a range of programs separated into two sections, Common Law and Civil Law.

Common Law is the system of law in Canada (except Quebec), and in major jurisdictions such as England, Australia and the United States.

Civil Law is the system of law in Quebec and in several non-Anglophone countries such as France, Belgium and Ivory Coast.

**COMMON LAW**

If you wish to be admitted to the Common Law program, you must have completed three years of university studies and ensure you meet the program requirements. To apply, complete the Ontario Law School Application Service (OLSAS) online application.

**CIVIL LAW**

If you wish to be admitted to the Civil Law program, you must have completed one year of university studies (full-time). To apply, complete the OUAC 105F Undergraduate Application for International Candidates online form.

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Students may only start a program in the Faculty of Education and the Faculty of Law in September. Admission mid-program is not possible.
Admission to graduate programs is competitive. Applicants for a master’s must hold an honours bachelor’s degree in a field related to the program they’re applying for. All applicants for a doctorate must hold a master’s. Admission is not guaranteed even if you meet all the criteria.

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APPLICATION PROCESS

Read all of the steps described and have all of the documents required for admission ready before you apply.

Then, apply online through the OUAC website and send a paper copy of your application, along with all of the required documents, to the University of Ottawa academic unit responsible for your program of interest.

The Ontario Universities’ Application Centre (OUAC) is an online application system shared by universities in the province of Ontario, Canada.

PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Before you apply, be sure that you meet the program requirements, including the graduate studies language requirements.

DEGREE EQUIVALENCE REQUIREMENTS

Find out what degree equivalent you require for your program of interest. Note: It is rare to start studies in mid-program, even if you have completed some program requirements.

A professor is not obligated to take on a student if he or she feels it is not a suitable collaboration or if there is insufficient funding.

THESIS AND RESEARCH SUPERVISOR

Students admitted to a master’s program with thesis or with research paper, or to a doctoral program, must have a supervisor to guide them in their research and writing. Find out as soon as possible which professors are good candidates to fulfill this role by following these steps:

1. See the list of professors who do research at uOttawa.ca/graduate-studies/future-students/programs. You can also see their UNIWeb profiles at uniweb.uOttawa.ca.
2. Read their profiles to learn more about their research and theoretical approaches.
3. Make the first move: Email a professor to introduce yourself, discuss your research and ensure that he or she is authorized to supervise your thesis. Be sure to make a good impression by writing in a formal tone, even if it is an email. Include information about yourself, such as your areas of interest and their similarity to those of the professor.
4. Set up a meeting, by Skype, for example, to get to know each other and show your interest. Have your CV, notes on your project and a list of questions ready. If you are visiting Canada, you can even plan a face to face meeting and a campus tour. For details, see uOttawa.ca/graduate-studies/future-students/meet-with-us.

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A COMPLETE UNIVERSITY EXPERIENCE

• Gain hands-on research experience.
• Work up to 16 months in your field.
• Master English and/or French.
• Learn about North American culture.
• Learn a new language and culture through an exchange program.

LIFE IN CANADA

• Enjoy an unparalleled quality of life thanks to Canada’s excellent and highly accessible educational and health care systems, low crime rate and clean environment.
• Gain the opportunity to choose Canada as a permanent home, thanks to policies that ease the transition for graduates who wish to remain here.
• Experience a multicultural society with both a tradition and a policy of encouraging cultural diversity.

A CAREER IN CANADA OR ELSEWHERE

• Work in Canada for three years after graduation.
• Gain Canadian work experience, which is highly sought-after by multinational corporations.
• Get a university education recognized around the world.
• Find promising markets for your skills in North America and elsewhere, regardless of your field of study.
• Enjoy an alumni employment rate of 89% within six months of graduation and of 93.5% within two years of graduation from the University of Ottawa.
THAT’S WHAT STUDYING AT uOTTAWA GIVES YOU!
ABOUT CANADA

- Best overall quality of life among G7 countries
- Fastest economic growth among G7 countries
- Second most reputable country in the world

ABOUT THE CITY OF OTTAWA

A PLACE TO PLAY!

- 600 kilometres of bike paths, over 150 kilometres of cross country ski trails, 7 ski resorts, 247 community skating rink and 3 beaches
- 7.8 kilometre-long outdoor winter skating rink on the Rideau Canal, a UNESCO world heritage site
- Three professional sport teams: Fury FC (soccer), Senators (hockey) and Redblacks (Canadian football)
- 14 museums, 31 art galleries and over 90 annual festivals
- Host to Canada’s 150th anniversary of confederation celebrations in 2017, with year-long festivities including the Red Bull Crashed Ice challenge, the Juno Awards, a Stanley Cup tribute monument unveiling and the Canadian Videogame Awards

A PLACE TO GROW!

- #1 most sustainable city in Canada, according to Corporate Knights magazine
- Most affordable cost of living in Canada, according to Mercer’s Quality of Living Rankings
- World top 20 city for quality of life, according to Mercer’s Quality of Living Rankings
- The only city in the world benefitting from agreements with the three largest economies in the world: the U.S., the E.U. and China
- Over 1,700 high tech companies, including some of the world’s best companies like Cisco, IBM, Ericsson, Alcatel-Lucent and Ciena, and homegrown successes like Shopify, Halogen, Kinaxis, Mitel and Ross Video
- An industry leader in seven major sectors: life sciences, cleantech, defence security and aerospace, digital media, film and television, communication technologies and software
- 130 embassies and consulates