PROGRAMS AND ADMISSIONS
INTERNATIONAL EDITION

Bachelor’s, Master’s and PhD
WHY CHOOSE THE UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA

HIGH QUALITY EDUCATION

OVER 450 BACHELOR’S, MASTER’S AND PHD PROGRAMS

AMONG THE TOP 1% OF UNIVERSITIES IN THE WORLD

ONE OF THE 10 LEADING RESEARCH UNIVERSITIES IN CANADA

DEGREES RECOGNIZED WORLDWIDE AS EQUIVALENT TO U.S. AND BRITISH DEGREES

EXCEPTIONAL QUALITY OF LIFE

OTTAWA:

- CONSISTENTLY RANKS AMONG THE WORLD’S TOP 20 CITIES TO LIVE
- ONE OF THE BEST CITIES FOR QUALITY OF LIFE IN CANADA

THE UNITED NATIONS RANKS CANADA AS ONE OF THE BEST PLACES TO LIVE

HIGHLY TRAINED SECURITY GUARDS AND 900+ SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS ENSURE STUDENT SAFETY 24 HOURS A DAY, 7 DAYS A WEEK.
SERVICES TO HELP YOU SUCCEED

19 MENTORING CENTRES ACROSS CAMPUS TO HELP YOU ACHIEVE ACADEMIC SUCCESS
20+ WORKSHOPS
70 STUDY GROUPS

ACADEMIC WRITING HELP CENTRE
TO IMPROVE YOUR WRITING SKILLS AND ACADEMIC PAPERS

PET THERAPY, PEER COUNSELLING,
WORKSHOPS AND PROFESSIONAL
COUNSELLING AND COACHING
TO HELP YOU OVERCOME TOUGH TIMES

STRONG INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY

• 42,000 STUDENTS
• 7,000 INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
• A DIVERSE MIX OF STUDENTS FROM 150 COUNTRIES

14 INTERNATIONAL STUDENT MENTORS DEDICATED TO MAKING YOUR TRANSITION TO CANADA SUCCESSFUL AND FUN

SOURCES
1 Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2019: www.timeshighereducation.com/world-university-rankings
WHY DO YOU RECOMMEND THE UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA?

“The University of Ottawa is a great place to hone the skills you need to succeed in today’s competitive global workplace. It is also a great environment for international students, offering a variety of services and initiatives for academic and cultural integration that have helped international students like myself adapt quickly and easily to the new environment.”

SHRUTHI MADHURIKA NAOMI
FROM CHENNAI, INDIA
STUDENT IN E-BUSINESS TECHNOLOGIES
PREPARE YOUR BUDGET

COST OF LIVING FOR A STUDENT IN OTTAWA

$1,600/month

HOUSING
uOttawa residence (8 to 12 months)
Traditional residence
(double occupancy bedroom) $6,783
Studio (double occupancy studios) $8,371
Suite (2 single occupancy bedrooms) $9,631
Apartment (4-bedroom apartments) $11,289

More housing options are available.

TRANSPORTATION
U-Pass (public transit pass)
for all full-time students Included in your tuition

MEDICAL INSURANCE
University Health Insurance Plan (12 months)
Mandatory for international students and their dependents $636

CELLPHONE PLAN
Cellphone plan with data (per month) $60

INTERNET
Internet plan (per month) $60
Free Wi-Fi is available throughout the campus, including in residences.

FOOD
uOttawa meal plan (8 months)
7-day unlimited access $5,850
5-day unlimited access $5,225
Groceries (per month) $300
5-day unlimited access meal plan is mandatory for 90 University, LeBlanc, Marchand, Stanton and Thompson residences.

CLOTHING
Winter jacket $150
Winter boots $120
Shoes $60
Jeans $50

Studies show that students living in residence get better grades. Living in residence comes with lots of academic and practical support, plus:

• Furnished residences
• Utilities, wireless internet and 24-hour on-site assistance
• Being on campus or within a short walking distance
• Events organized by on-site community advisers and mentors to make new friendships easier
• Special residences for first-year students
• Designated spaces for upper-year students

GUARANTEED HOUSING FOR ALL FIRST YEAR STUDENTS WHO APPLY BY THE DEADLINE

Some exceptions apply. Figures are based on fees for the 2019–2020 academic year (September to April) and are subject to change. Visit uOttawa.ca for up-to-date information.

Consumer prices in Ottawa are 25% lower than in Toronto! (reference: www.numbeo.com/cost-of-living)
FINANCE YOUR STUDIES

WORK FULL TIME ON CAMPUS AND PART TIME OFF CAMPUS WITH JUST YOUR STUDY PERMIT

PARTICIPATE IN CO-OP
coop.uOttawa.ca
Apply your academic knowledge during paid work terms:
- Up to four paid work terms of four months each.
- Earn $9,000 per placement on average.
- Gain up to 16 months of experience in your field.
- Earn a CO-OP mention on your diploma.
- Build your network of valuable contacts.

Examples of placements offered:
- Services Canada
- Suncor Energy Inc.
- FINTRAC
- Shopify
- Brookfield Renewable Energy Group
- Alcatel-Lucent Canada Inc.

PARTICIPATE IN THE WORK-STUDY PROGRAM
uOttawa.ca/financial-aid-awards/work-study-program
Work in a job that fits around your course schedule:
- Earn approximately $4,000 by working 10 to 12 hours a week.
- Choose from 1,700 positions available on campus each year.

Examples of jobs offered:
- Assistant computer technician
- Assistant editor
- Assistant project officer
- Junior information officer
- Research assistant
- Marketing assistant

SEE THE TIMELINE ON PAGE 12 FOR IMPORTANT DATES
## UNDERGRADUATE TUITION FEES

### TUITION FEES

[Link to website](uOttawa.ca/university-fees)

### SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

[Link to website](uOttawa.ca/financial-aid-awards)

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### MERIT SCHOLARSHIP

Based on your University Grades

- **$1,000 for each full-time term**
- **82.5% minimum average**
- **Up to $10,000 during your studies**

See the timeline on page 12 for important dates

### STUDY IN FRENCH TO SAVE ON TUITION!

[Link to website](uOttawa.ca/university-fees/differential-tuition-fee-exemption)

International students enrolled full-time in a French-language program or in French Immersion pay the same tuition fees as Canadian students.

To be eligible for the differential tuition fee exemption, you must:

- be admitted to a program offered in French, and
- be enrolled as a full-time student and take a minimum of 9 units (3 courses) taught in French per term

**OR**

- be admitted to a program offered in English with a French immersion option, and
- meet the admission requirements of the French Immersion Stream

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*Figures are based on fees for the 2019–2020 academic year (September to April) and are subject to change. Totals include incidental fees and U-Pass. Full-time undergraduate students must be enrolled for two terms per academic year.*
BACHELOR’S, MASTER’S AND PhD

Bachelor’s
- Four-year degree
- For students who have completed secondary school (or the equivalent)

Master’s
- For students who have completed an honour’s bachelor’s
- Can be completed four different ways:
  - master’s with thesis
  - master’s with research paper
  - master’s by coursework
  - professional master’s

PhD
- The highest level of study — for students who have completed a master’s (or equivalent)
- Coursework related to your subject followed by at least two years writing your thesis

LEGEND
Bachelor’s (B)
Graduate diploma (G)
Master’s (M)
Professional master’s (P)
Doctorate (PhD) (D)
CO-OP (undergraduate) (C)
CO-OP (graduate – master’s) (C)
Offered in French only (F)
Undergraduate program offered in English only (E)
Graduate program offered in English only (G)
Can be added as a second discipline during undergraduate studies only. Direct admission to this program is not possible.

DIRECT-ENTRY FACULTIES
Programs that do not require prior university studies

FACULTY OF ARTS
- Acting (BFA)
- Art History
- Arts
- Bilingualism Studies
- Canadian Studies
- Classical Studies
- Communication
- Communication and Political Science
- Communication and Sociology
- Conference Interpreting
- Digital Journalism
- English
- English as a Second Language (for non-anglophones only)
- Environmental Studies
- Environmental Sustainability
- Ethics and Political Philosophy
- French as a Second Language (for non-francophones only)
- Geography
- Greek and Roman Studies
- History
- History and Political Science
- Indigenous Studies
- Information Studies
- Lettres françaises
- Lettres françaises (BA) et éducation (BEd)
- Linguistics
- Medieval and Renaissance Studies
- Music Studies
- Music (BA or BMus)
- Music (MA or MMus)
- Music (BMus) and Science (BSc)
- Music Performance
- Philosophy
- Philosophy and Political Science
- Physical Geography and Geomatics (BA or BSc)
- Piano Pedagogy Research
- Psychology and Linguistics
- Public Relations
- Religious Studies
- Second-Language Teaching (ESL or FLS)
- Spanish
- Theatre
- Theatre (MFA)
- Translation
- - French-English
- - French-Spanish-English
- - Chinese-English-Chinese
- Visual Arts (BFA)
- Visual Arts (MFA)
- World Literatures and Cultures
- Arabic Language and Culture
- Asian Studies
- Celtic Studies
- Creative Writing
- Digital Humanities
- English as a Second Language - basic or advanced (for non-anglophones only)
- French as a Second Language - basic or advanced (for non-francophones only)
- Geomatics and Spatial Analysis
- German Language and Culture
- Italian Language and Culture
- Latin American Studies
- Rédaction professionnelle et édition
- Russian Language and Culture
- Spanish
- Traduction vers le français
- Translation into English

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING
- Advanced Materials and Manufacturing
- Biochemistry (BSc) and Chemical Engineering (BASc) (Biotechnology)
- Bioinformatics
- Biomedical Engineering
- Biomedical Mechanical Engineering
- 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
- Cybersecurity
- Electrical Engineering
- Environmental Sustainability
Computer Science and Mathematics (BSc)  
Computer Science Concentration in Applied Artificial Intelligence  
Data Science (Computer Science (BSc) and Mathematics (BSc))  
Electrical Engineering  
Electrical Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)  
Electrical and Computer Engineering  
Electronic Business  
Electronic Business Technologies  
Engineering Management  
Environmental Engineering  
Environmental Sustainability  
Mechanical Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering (BASc) and Computing Technology (BSc)  
Physics (BSc) and Electrical Engineering (BASc)  
Software Engineering  
Systems Sciences  
Technology Project Management  

FACULTY OF SCIENCE
Biochemistry  
Biochemistry (BSc) and Chemical Engineering (BASc) (Biotechnology)  
Bioinformatics  
Biology  
Biomedical Science  
Biopharmaceutical Science  
Biostatistics  
Chemical and Environmental Toxicology  
Chemistry  
Data Science (Computer Science (BSc) and Mathematics (BSc))  
Earth Sciences  
Environmental Geosience  
Environmental Science  
Environmental Sustainability  
Financial Mathematics and Economics  
Geology  
Geology-Physics  
Mathematics  
Mathematics and Economics  
Music (BMus) and Science (BSc)  
Ophthalmic Medical Technology  
Physics  
Physics (BSc) and Electrical Engineering (BASc)  
Physics-Mathematics  
Science, Society and Policy  
Statistics  

MINORS  

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Audiology  
Food and Nutrition Sciences  
Health Sciences  
Human Kinetics (BHK) Emphasis on social sciences  
Human Kinetics (BScHK) Emphasis on biophysical sciences  
Human Kinetics  
Interdisciplinary Health Sciences  
Integrated Food Sciences (in partnership with Le Cordon Bleu)  
Nursing  
Occupational Therapy  
Physiotherapy  
Population Health  
Primary Health Care for Nurse Practitioners  
Rehabilitation Sciences  
Speech-Language Pathology  

MINORS  

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
Anthropology  
Anthropology and Sociology  
Clinical Psychology  
Communication and Political Science  
Communication and Sociology  
Conflict Studies and Human Rights  
Criminology  
Criminology and Women's Studies  
Economics  
Economics and Political Science  
Economics and Public Policy  
Environmental Economics and Public Policy  
Environmental Sustainability  
Experimental Psychology  
Globalization and International Development  
History and Political Science  
International Development  
International Development and Globalization  
International Economics and Development  
International Studies and Modern Languages  
Mathematics and Economics  
Philosophy and Political Science  
Political Science  
Political Science (BScD) and Juris Doctor (JD)  
Psychology (BA)  
Psychology (BSc)  
Public Administration  
Public Administration and Political Science  
Public and International Affairs  
Social Sciences  
Social Work  
Sociology  
Women's Studies  
Women's Studies and Political Science  
Women's Studies and Sociology  

MINORS  

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
Accounting  
Business Administration (MBA) (EMBA)  
Business Administration (MBA) and Juris Doctor (JD)  
Business Administration (MBA) and Licentiate in Law (LLL)  
Business in Complex Project Leadership  
Business Technology Management  
Chartered Professional Accountancy  
Commerce (BCom) and Juris Doctor (JD)  
Finance  
Health Administration  
Health Systems  
Healthcare Analytics  
Human Resource Management  
International Management  
Leadership and Management  
Marketing  

LEARN MORE ABOUT PROGRAMS AND COURSES
Professional programs in the faculties of Law, Education and Medicine are also available.
SPOTLIGHT ON PROGRAMS

Our graduates enjoy successful, prosperous careers thanks to programs tailored to today’s job market. Choose from more than 450 programs to find both what inspires you and what will propel you into a successful career.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL PROGRAMS

GEOLOGY
Geologists study the structure, evolution and dynamics of the Earth and its mineral and energy resources. Examining natural materials, they probe the Earth from its surface to its core, and model the processes that produced and shape its oceans and continents. Our programs are a balance of field-based learning and theoretical and analytical investigations directly relevant to society’s needs.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
- Exploration and mining geologist
- Groundwater hydrogeologist
- Geophysicist
- Environmental geoscientist
- Volcanologist

STATISTICS
Governments, non-government organizations, businesses — everyone is collecting data about clients or products and feeling the impact of big data. Our program, accredited by the Statistical Society of Canada, will provide you with extensive training plus internship opportunities that will prepare you to navigate the world of data.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
- Data scientist
- Statistician
- Business intelligence analyst
- Data analyst
- Bioinformatician

INTERNATIONAL ECONOMICS AND DEVELOPMENT
Be part of the solution to the economic challenges shaping our 21st century societies. Learn how globalization affects individuals, industry, the public sector and entire nations. Our program will help you understand the economic concepts and the factors that shape economic growth and development, in both emerging and industrialized economies.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES
- Economist
- Economic analyst
- Commerce officer
- International development officer
- International economic consultant
IT PAYS TO STUDY AT UOTTAWA!

ALUMNI EARN AN AVERAGE OF $56,000 ANNUALLY ON GRADUATING WITH AN HONOURS BACHELOR’S

95% EMPLOYMENT RATE FOR GRADUATES

ALUMNUS INSIGHT
“The experience at the University of Ottawa is truly exceptional [. . .]. Be it finance, law, engineering or management, the programs are interactive and provide the necessary tools to succeed in the industry.”

RAJ NARULA, P.ENG.
UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA ALUMNUS
FOUNDER AND CEO, INCA SYNERGIES

Be eligible for the Government of Canada’s Post Graduation Work Permit Program (PGWPP) after you complete your studies at the University of Ottawa.

• You can apply to the PGWPP up to 180 days after you obtain your notice of graduation.
• You are not required to have a Canadian job offer at the time of applying.
• You can work in any occupation anywhere in Canada, and change employers at any time.

The PGWPP allows recent uOttawa graduates to gain valuable Canadian work experience for a period of up to three years after their studies are completed. This helps graduates possibly qualify for permanent residence in Canada through the Canadian Experience Class for skilled workers.

JOIN OVER 210,000 UOTTAWA ALUMNI AROUND THE WORLD

uOttawa.ca

4 Employment rate two years after graduating
TIMELINE: STARTING UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

STEP-BY-STEP ADMISSION FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICANTS

- Prepare to apply: read the international applicant information and view the step-by-step video at uOttawa.ca/undergraduate-admissions/international-applicants to get started.

- Application period begins. Apply at ouac.on.ca

- Mid-January:
  Recommended latest time to apply at ouac.on.ca

- Admission offers start being sent

Based on the 2019–2020 academic year (September to April). Dates are subject to change. Visit uOttawa.ca for up-to-date information.
IN THE FALL

- Recommended time to apply for your study permit
- **April 1:** Deadline to apply
- **April 30:** Deadline to submit required documents
- **April 30:** Deadline to apply for prestigious undergraduate admission scholarships
- **June 1:** Deadline to apply and pay deposit for housing
- Start applying for Work-Study Program
- Deadline to pay tuition and housing fees
- **End of August to beginning of September:** Mandatory orientation session for new international students
- **End of August to beginning of September:** Residences open

Course enrolment begins. You must accept your offer of admission to be able to enrol in courses.

Deadline to submit official transcript with final marks. Documents must be mailed to the admissions office (75 Laurier Avenue East, Ottawa, ON K1N 6N5, Canada).
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

Generally, you 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 in or have passed at least five courses at the highest secondary school level offered.
- You are completing all of your intended program’s prerequisites. You must complete all prerequisite courses for a program during your last year of secondary school, unless otherwise indicated.
- You have the minimum admission average required and meet the language requirements.

FALL AND WINTER APPLICATION PERIOD BEGINS: September 19

FALL TERM DEADLINES

APPLICATION: April 1
SUBMIT REQUIRED DOCUMENTS: April 30

WINTER TERM DEADLINES

APPLICATION: October 15
SUBMIT REQUIRED DOCUMENTS: October 30

APPLICATION PROCESS AND DEADLINES

www.ouac.on.ca

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 105 Undergraduate Application for International Candidates form.

Once you have completed and submitted the OUAC 105 form and paid the application fees, upload your documents for our admissions office using uoDoc, accessible through our uoZone student portal. We will email you instructions for access to your uoZone account within two weeks of receiving your application.

Admission to the University of Ottawa is limited and requires an excellent academic record. The minimum admission average is based on the competitiveness of each program. There are no entrance exams nor is there 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. For admission information, visit admission.uOttawa.ca.

BRITISH CURRICULUM (A-LEVELS)

You must have completed a minimum of two A-level subjects. However, if you have only completed two A-level subjects, you must also have completed five subjects overall (either AS-level or O-level). We do not admit based on predicted marks. Applicants must have the equivalent of two final A-level subjects to be eligible for admission. Applicants with four final AS-level are also eligible for admission.

For all programs, you must have O-level English (first language) with a minimum grade of B. AS-level or A-level English (first language) is also acceptable. 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.

Your other prerequisite subjects can be at the O-level. Your admission average is calculated based on either:

- two A-level subjects and three AS-level or O-level subjects
- three A-level subjects and one AS-level or O-level subject

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

NOTE:

- Two AS-level subjects equal one A-level subject.
- Mathematics prerequisites must be at the A-level or AS-level, with minimum grade of C.
- The General Paper cannot be counted as a subject.

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB)

You must complete your diploma with six subjects, including the program prerequisites, with a minimum score of 29 to 37 points (depending on the program), including at least three Higher Level courses. Additional points for Extended Essay and Theory of Knowledge are counted in your admission average.

If you are completing both the IB diploma and another high school curriculum, we 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.
**LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS**

**PROGRAMS IN ENGLISH**

If you are applying for a program offered in English, you must provide us with your official results in a language test recognized by the University, unless:
- you have completed at least three years of full-time study in an institution where English is the only language of instruction (aside from language courses); and
- the institution is located in a country where English is an official language.

Your official results must be sent directly to us online from the test centre. The institution code required to submit your score is 0993.

### REQUIRED ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST SCORES

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Note: If you do not meet the English language proficiency level required, the admissions office might make you a conditional offer requiring you to enrol in and pass the English Intensive Program before you can start your program of study. Find out more about improving your English language skills at eip.uOttawa.ca.

**PROGRAMS IN FRENCH**

If you are applying for a program offered in French, you must provide us with your official results in a language test recognized by the University, unless:
- you have completed at least three years of full-time study in an institution where French is the only language of instruction (aside from language courses); and
- the institution is located in a country where French is an official language.

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**THE UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA OFFERS PROGRAMS TAUGHT IN ENGLISH AND IN FRENCH**

All tests must have been taken no more than two years prior to the date you apply to the University of Ottawa. If your results in one of these tests do not meet the required level, you might still be considered for conditional admission with additional language courses.

If you do not meet these requirements but believe you qualify for an exemption, visit uOttawa.ca/undergraduate-admissions/admission-requirements/language-requirements for exemption requirements.

If we consider that a student’s knowledge of the chosen language of study is insufficient, regardless of language test scores, we reserve the right to ask the student to write an additional test or to take language courses.
CREDIT TRANSFERS AND ADVANCED STANDING

If you have already completed some university-level studies at an accredited institution, you might 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 depend on the courses you have taken and the grades you have received.

To be considered for advanced standing, you must accept your offer of admission and 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.

APPLYING TO EDUCATION OR LAW

You can apply to a professional program such as in law or education. Visit the following faculty websites for specific admission requirements.

- education.uOttawa.ca
- commonlaw.uOttawa.ca
- droitcivil.uOttawa.ca

ADMISSION DECISION

uOttawa.ca/students

Within two weeks of you submitting your 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.

Use uoZone to:

- View the status of your admission application
- Upload required admission documents using uoDoc
- Check out financial aid options through the Online Scholarships and Bursaries search engine

It can take several weeks to review your file and we don’t issue all admission decisions at the same time. If you choose more than one program at the University of Ottawa, prioritize your choices, as you will receive, if admissible, only one offer of admission (preferably to your first choice). For the status of your admission file, check your uoZone account regularly.
WHY DO YOU RECOMMEND THE UNIVERSITY OF OTTAWA?

“As an international student and now an international mentor, I know firsthand the challenges that face new international students who want to integrate into Ottawa and their new university environment. My experience and knowledge allow me to help them adapt to Canadian culture and university life. Plus, the orientation sessions and the mentoring service offered by the International Office are important and helpful resources for new international students.”

QING HU
STUDENT MENTOR AT THE INTERNATIONAL MENTORING CENTRE

INTERNATIONAL MENTORING CENTRE
mentorio@uOttawa.ca

Our international mentors are students from around the world who have been studying at the University of Ottawa for at least a year.

The international mentors understand the reality of students who come from abroad. They are here to:

• Help you overcome challenges you could face during your university career
• Answer your questions and help you discover Canadian culture
• Tell you about social activities and special events on and around campus
• Answer questions about university life, learning strategies, housing and more

DEDICATED TO MAKING YOUR TRANSITION TO CANADA SUCCESSFUL AND FUN
Before you apply, be sure that you meet the program requirements, including the language requirements for graduate studies. Then, read all the steps described and gather all the documents required for admission.

When you’re ready to apply, go online to the Ontario Universities’ Application Centre (OUAC) website, which is the application system used by all universities in the province of Ontario, Canada.

Admission to graduate programs is competitive. Applicants for a master’s degree must hold an honours bachelor’s degree (or equivalent) in a field related to the program for which they are applying. All PhD applicants must hold a master’s degree. Admission is not guaranteed even if you meet all the criteria.

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

Go online to find out what degree equivalents you require for your program of interest.

Note: It is rare to start your studies mid-program, even if you have completed some program requirements.

Students admitted to a master’s program with thesis or 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 profiles of professors who do research at the University of Ottawa and more at uniweb.uOttawa.ca.
2. Read their profiles to learn 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.

Professors are not obligated to take on students if they feel it is not a suitable collaboration or if there is insufficient funding.

International students enrolled full time in a French-language program pay the same tuition fees as Canadian students.

To be eligible for the differential tuition fee exemption you must:

- be admitted to a program of studies offered only in French
- have a secondary or postsecondary diploma in French attesting to a minimum of two years of study, and
- for programs that offer compulsory courses in both official languages (English and French), enrol for the compulsory courses offered in French
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### MASTER’S
With differential tuition fee exemption

| ARTS | $9,122 to $11,596 |
| ENGINEERING | $9,878 to $11,215 |
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| SCIENCE | $9,122 |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | $9,122 to $9,878 |
| TELFER SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT — MBA | | Length of program varies from 12 to 28 months | $15,178 to $28,099 |
| TELFER SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT — RESEARCH BASED | | | $9,122 to $9,877 |

### PHD
With the differential tuition fee exemption OR the international doctoral scholarship

| ARTS | $8,119 |
| ENGINEERING | $8,814 |
| HEALTH SCIENCES | $8,429 |
| SCIENCE | $8,119 |
| SOCIAL SCIENCES | $8,119 |
| TELFER SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT | | Length of programs varies from 12 to 28 months | $9,122 |

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Figures are based on fees for the 2019–2020 academic year (September to April) and are subject to change. Totals include incidental fees and U-Pass. Full-time graduate students must be enrolled for three terms per academic year.
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