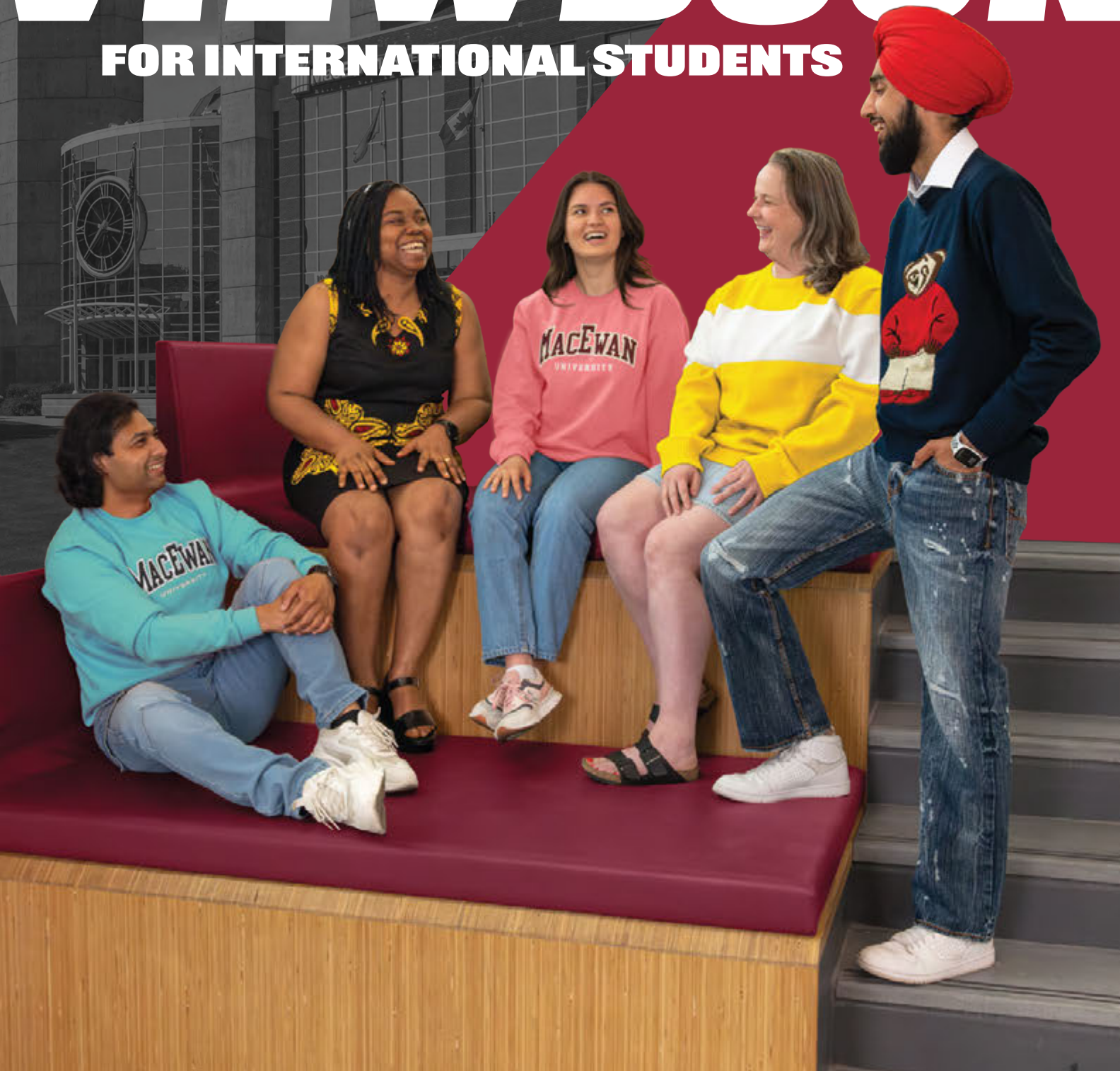
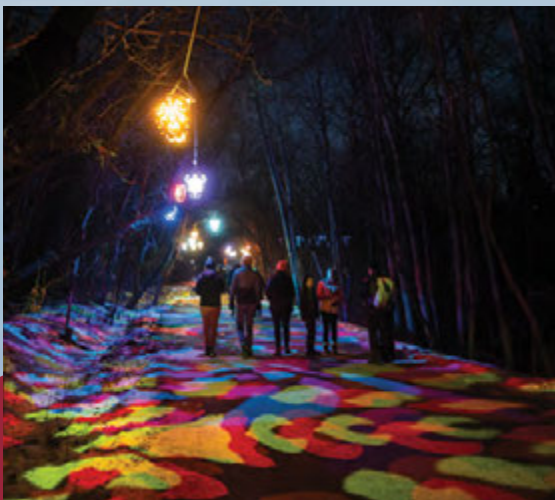


VIEWBOOK

FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



WELCOME TO EDMONTON



UNESCO LEARNING CITY

EDMONTON HAS BEEN
RECOGNIZED FOR PRIORITIZING
AND CELEBRATING ACCESSIBLE,
EQUITABLE AND EVOLVING
LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES.

MOST NORTHERN MAJOR CITY

IN CANADA

321

DAYS OF SUNSHINE
PER YEAR (AVERAGE)

OVER **50**

FESTIVALS PER YEAR

CLICK THIS BOOK!

Look for this icon to read stories about our students or get more information.



Get a true Canadian experience in Alberta's capital city. Edmonton is the northernmost city in North America with more than one million residents, and there's always something to keep you entertained.

Stroll through the North Saskatchewan River valley, the largest urban parkland in Canada. Take in one of our year-round arts and cultural festivals. Shop in the country's largest indoor mall – and check out the amusement park and waterpark while you're there!

And we're only a few hours' drive away from the beautiful Rocky Mountains, or the dinosaur capital of the world. No matter your interests, there's something here to nurture your passions.

TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION

Edmonton's tech sector is growing fast. From AI development to global video game companies like BioWare, our city is on the cutting edge of technological advancements.

ENERGY AND SUSTAINABILITY

The City of Edmonton is implementing policies and incentives to increase sustainability across industries, and the Blatchford neighbourhood is on its way to being completely carbon neutral, using 100 per cent renewable energy.

CREATIVE INDUSTRIES

Edmonton's robust arts and culture scene provides opportunities to experience everything from theatre to music to art galleries.

HEALTHCARE

Residents and visitors to Edmonton can feel safe knowing there are four major hospitals and an abundance of medical clinics in the city, including the MacEwan University Health Centre, right across the street from campus.

COMMUNITY

Regardless of your interests or background, there's a community for you in Edmonton. Find your people at events, meetups and other social activities both on and off campus.

JOIN THE MACEWAN COMMUNITY

Discover your passions, learn great things on your own terms and immerse yourself in a community that will support you throughout your university journey.

18,855

FULL- AND PART-TIME STUDENTS

38

AVERAGE FIRST-YEAR CLASS SIZE

1,500

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

1:17

FACULTY TO STUDENT RATIO

90,000+

ALUMNI

55

PROGRAMS (NOT INCLUDING MAJORS)

Statistics from 2023/24 academic year.

We acknowledge that the land on which we gather in Treaty Six Territory is the traditional gathering place for many Indigenous people. We honour and respect the history, languages, ceremonies and culture of the First Nations, Métis and Inuit who call this territory home.

The First People's connection to the land teaches us about our inherent responsibility to protect and respect Mother Earth. With this acknowledgement, we honour the ancestors and children who have been buried here, missing and murdered Indigenous women and men, and the process of ongoing collective healing for all human beings. We are reminded that we are all treaty people and of the responsibility we have to one another.



A MESSAGE FROM DR. ANNETTE TRIMBEE

President and Vice-Chancellor

Greetings from MacEwan University! The decision to pursue post-secondary education is an important one, and we're excited that you're considering MacEwan as one of your options.

MacEwan has a lot to offer. We provide an exceptional undergraduate learning experience from faculty who genuinely focus on you and your success. Teaching greatness is our vision but it will also be your experience.

On top of our excellent academic programs, students at MacEwan join our vibrant university community in the heart of downtown Edmonton, one of the most affordable and exciting big cities in Canada.

On top of great restaurants, summer festivals and year-round events to enjoy, you can also experience the wonders of Canada's nature – snowy winters, northern lights, long summer days and the Rocky Mountains.

We're delighted that you're considering joining MacEwan. Get ready for an incredible university experience – we can't wait to meet you!

A LOCATION LIKE NO OTHER

Our location in the municipal ward O-day'min on Treaty 6 territory places us at the heart of vibrant, diverse communities, businesses, partnerships – and learning opportunities.

Our growing downtown campus is steps away from world-class sports venues, museums, stores, galleries, restaurants, libraries and theatres. Shop to your heart's content at one of the nearby shopping centres, dine in award-winning restaurants in the Ice District and check out local nightlife.

Take a stroll through Edmonton's river valley or venture further around the city with multiple nearby LRT stations.



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TV STUDIO
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LEARNING AT MACEWAN

WALK FROM CAMPUS

MACEWAN LRT STATION

▶ 5 MIN

ROGERS PLACE

▶ 5 MIN

UNITY SQUARE

◀ 10 MIN

ROYAL ALBERTA MUSEUM

▶ 10 MIN

ART GALLERY OF ALBERTA

▶ 15 MIN

KINGSWAY MALL

▲ 25 MIN

RIVER VALLEY

▼ 20 MIN

STAY CONNECTED ON CAMPUS

Walk from the fish labs in Building 5 all the way to the recording studios in Allard Hall – six city blocks in total – through our pedways all without ever stepping outside.

CATCH A GAME OR CONCERT

Rogers Place, home of the Edmonton Oilers and one of the largest venues in the city, is only a block away from campus.

FIND NATURE DOWNTOWN

The North Saskatchewan River Valley is the largest urban parkland in Canada, with over 150 km of trails for hiking, cycling and exploring.

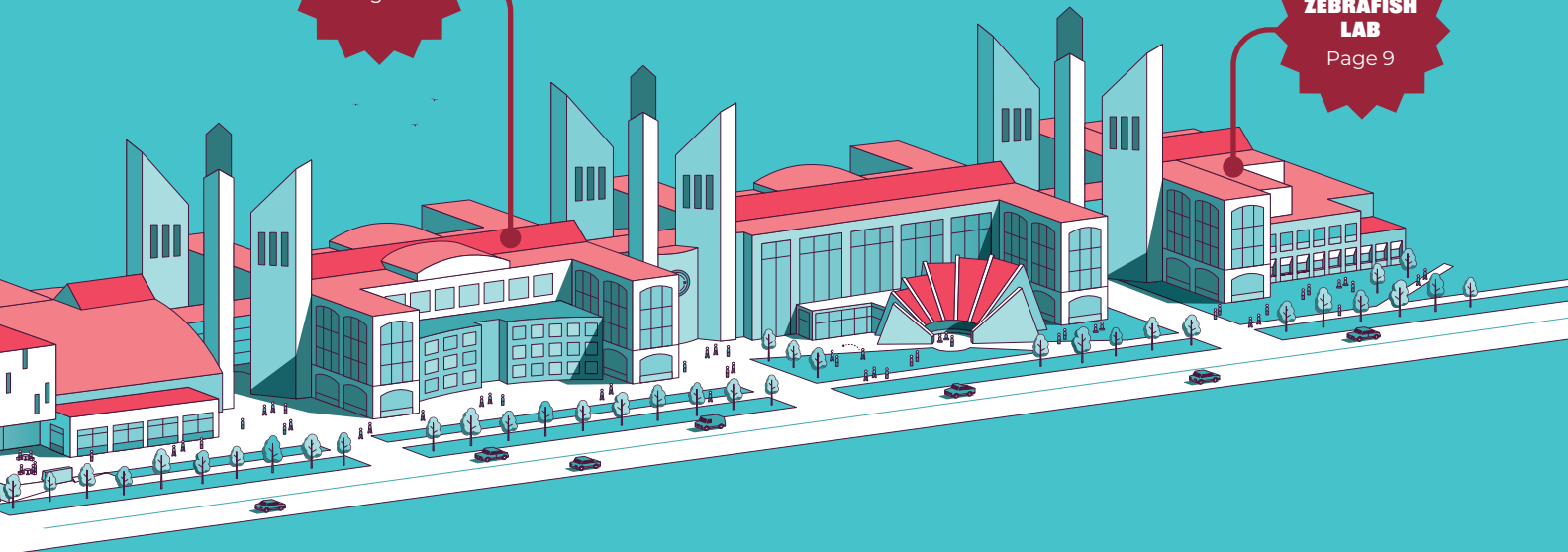


MAKERSPACE

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ZEBRAFISH LAB

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FLEXIBLE LEARNING

91

TOTAL PROGRAMS
(MAJORS INCLUDED)

39

BACHELOR'S DEGREE
MAJORS

24

CAREER DIPLOMAS



KNOW YOUR INSTRUCTORS

Our small class sizes let you get to know faculty on a personal level. Get personalized feedback on assignments, develop professional relationships or even work one-on-one with them as a research assistant.

A DIFFERENT KIND OF CLASSROOM

Depending on your program, some of your learning might take place in our other dedicated spaces, from studios to labs to simulation centres.



With a wide variety of programs, you're sure to find one that will suit your goals, interests and lifestyle. Personalize your bachelor's degree by selecting a major and minor, or choose from a number of diploma and certificate programs.



DEGREES

- › Earn a bachelor's degree in academic areas such as arts, commerce, communications, design, nursing or science.
- › Personalize your experience by choosing from 39 majors and a range of minors, including out-of-faculty minors.
- › Specialize in one discipline to pursue an honours degree.



DIPLOMAS

- › Launch your career sooner with programs across various disciplines.
- › Explore options to ladder into a degree program, or leave our campus work-ready with your diploma.



CERTIFICATES

- › Credits from the Office Assistant certificate may be transferable to other programs within the university.
- › If you're an internationally educated nurse who would like to practice in Canada, apply for our Bridge to Canadian Nursing program to help you prepare to join the Canadian workforce.

LIMITLESS LEARNING

Upgrade or enhance your existing credentials through our School of Continuing Education with preparatory programs, professional development, professional health education, post-degree studies or micro-credentials.



VIEW THE GUIDE

Explore programs and download the School of Continuing Education Course Guide.

POWER YOUR CURIOSITY



Conduct groundbreaking research to find the solutions to real problems.

Each year, students are invited to present their research at Student Research Day, where they give an oral or poster presentation detailing their work. From scientific experiments to art creations to community-based scholarship, these students are trendsetters and trend breakers, pursuing new hypotheses and asking new questions. Students can also publish their findings in the *MacEwan University Student eJournal (MUSE)*.

Depending on your program, your research will likely involve much more than spreadsheets or data. Many of our faculties and schools are home to unique facilities dedicated to hands-on learning and research opportunities.

MacEwan's Undergraduate Student Research Initiative (USRI) also provides grants to students looking to pursue their own research in their academic field.

Several of our faculty have received federal funding to pursue research in their area of expertise. Many of them provide opportunities for students to get involved in their work or with research of their own. Bringing in student researchers allows faculty members to benefit from a wider array of opinions and interpretations in the research process while forging great working relationships.

GET CREATIVE

Upgrade your hobbies or find a new passion in our Makerspace. Use 3D printers, learn coding, create textiles and borrow tools and tech.

PRACTICE YOUR SKILLS

Get hands-on experience in our Clinical Simulation Centre. Computerized mannequins and patient actors create real-world scenarios to apply your learning.

TEST AND OBSERVE

Experiment and gather data in our dedicated zebrafish lab. The fish are common research animals because their brain chemistry is similar to humans.

ON THE AIR

Learn about production in our professional-quality TV studio. The facility was even used to record an episode of CBS' *48 Hours*.

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PRESENTATIONS ON STUDENT RESEARCH DAY (2024)



MORE THAN A CLASSROOM

Learning doesn't just happen in lecture halls. Enhance your studies with hands-on, real-world experience and build enduring skills in your field through experiential learning.

Many of our programs provide work-integrated learning opportunities, community-engaged learning, field placements or co-op programs. These experiences allow you to tackle local and global challenges as you explore potential careers, build your resumé and make connections in your industry.

MacEwan partners with a number of local organizations and businesses to provide meaningful placements. Opportunities with organizations such as the Terra Centre and Boyle Street Community Services offer the advantage of multi-disciplinary engagements that have real social impact.

FOSTER NEW RELATIONSHIPS

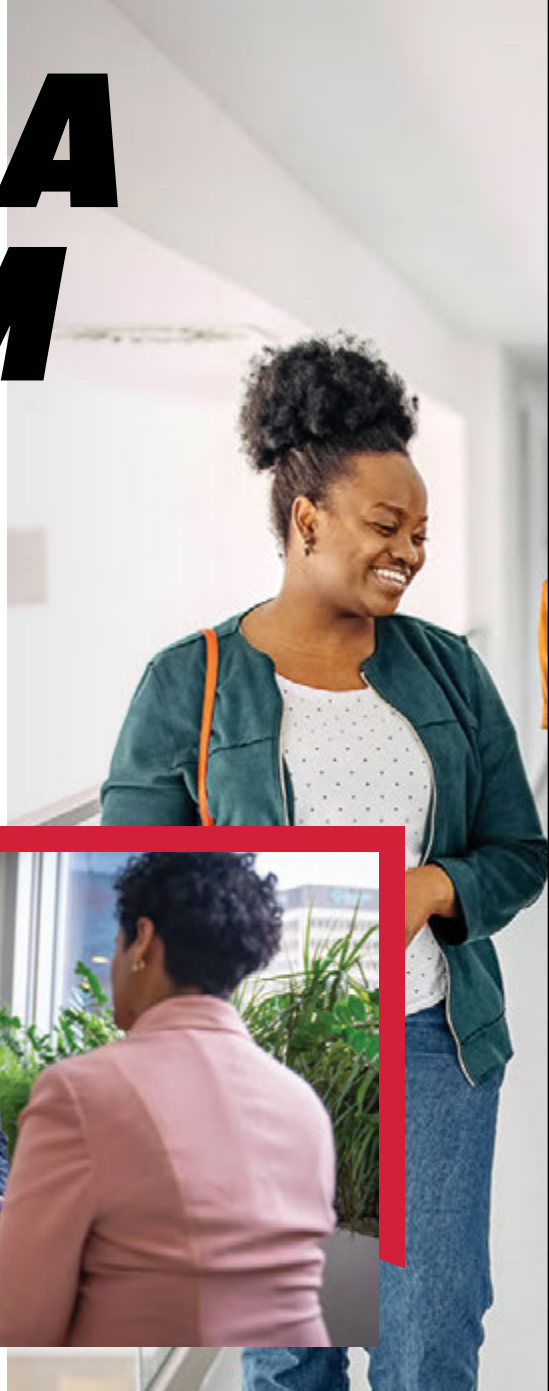
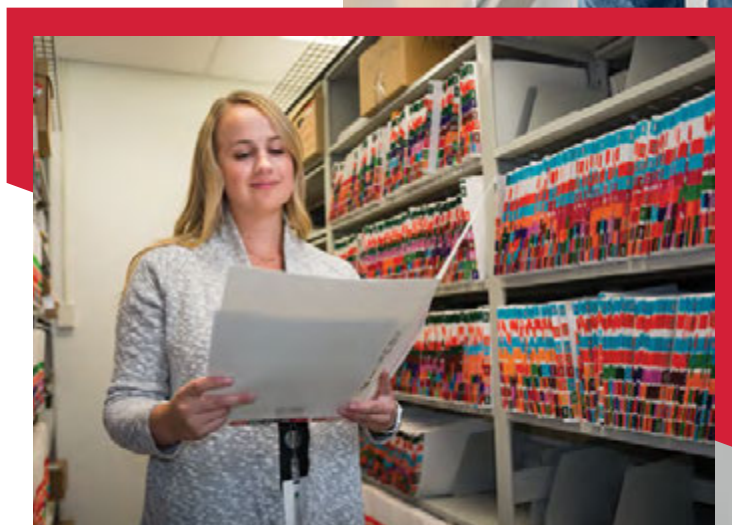
Meet local groups and organizations and help to solve their real-world problems with community-engaged research.

APPLY YOUR SKILLS

Take what you've learned in the classroom and apply it on-site to round out your skill set before graduation.

BUILD YOUR NETWORK

Start your career with professional connections in your field from your work placement or co-op program.



LEARNING AT MACEWAN

WORK-INTEGRATED LEARNING

Many programs include opportunities for you to blend your academic studies with authentic workplace learning. Working with partners around Edmonton and beyond, you will engage in meaningful activities directly connected to career-related outcomes.

COMMUNITY-ENGAGED LEARNING AND RESEARCH

Engage with community groups and organizations to explore solutions to problems right here in our community.

FIELD PLACEMENTS AND INTERNSHIPS

Some programs require a practical element prior to graduating. These placements, which include paid opportunities, will get you the experience you need, with mentorship from experts in your field.

CO-OP PROGRAMS

Start your career before leaving school. Earn credits and graduate with industry experience and connections in the types of organizations you can expect in your post-MacEwan career.

EDUCATION ABROAD

Expand your horizons! MacEwan partners with institutions around the world, allowing you to spend a semester or two immersing yourself in other cultures while earning your degree.

NEARLY
80%

OF OUR PROGRAMS HAVE A WORK-INTEGRATED
LEARNING COMPONENT

WE'RE HERE FOR YOU

We're here to support you throughout your time as a student. Whether you need a little help with coursework or just someone to talk to, there's a service on campus that can help.

ACADEMIC AND CAREER

Academic Advising Centre

Reach out to the Academic Advising Centre with any questions about applying or changing your program. Individual faculties and schools also have academic advising options for information specific to your program.

Careers and Experience Office

Get advice on your chosen career path, expand your learning with webinars and extracurricular activities, and get access to a job board when you're ready to start working in your field.

Community Nest Program

This first-year program connects you with a senior student, known as a Nest Leader. You'll meet other students, engage in social activities and learn all about being a student at MacEwan.

The Writing Centre

Get feedback on your writing in-person or online to finesse your skills and ensure that you're handing in your best work.

WELL-BEING

Mental and Physical Health Supports

Students are assured access to all medical services offered through the MacEwan University Health Centre, located next to campus. In-person individual and group counselling is offered through Wellness and Psychological Services, while peer-to-peer support can be found through the Students' Association of MacEwan University's (SAMU) Peer Support Centre.

Safe at MacEwan

The safety of our students is top priority. Head to MacEwan.ca/SafeAtMacEwan to learn more about initiatives on campus, including 24/7 security services, how to access emergency assistance and support, and the Safe@MacEwan app, which sends important notifications to your device.

Access and Disability Resources

If you are a disabled student or have a medical condition, we offer a variety of supports and accommodations, such as in-class support and exam services.

CAMPUS COMMUNITY

kihêw waciston Indigenous Centre

kihêw waciston, which means "eagle's nest" in Cree, is a home away from home for MacEwan University's Indigenous students, offering personal, academic, financial and cultural support.

Centre for Sexual and Gender Diversity (CSGD)

CSGD supports research, teaching, service work and initiatives related to sexual orientation, gender identity and gender expression on campus and in the community.

Office of Human Rights (OHR)

OHR works with the entire MacEwan community to create a campus that is free from discrimination through learning opportunities, policy development, events and initiatives to promote equity and diversity. Students are also able to access support if they've experienced discrimination on campus.



SAMU

The Students' Association of MacEwan University (SAMU) works independently from MacEwan to enrich the student experience. We focus on students' non-academic needs, providing programs, services and events to ensure your time in university is as stress-free as possible.

SAMU is student-run, governed by elected student representatives who set the strategic vision. The organization strives to ensure that all students benefit from a vibrant student life and a culture of empowerment.

The SAMU Building provides students with an excellent place to engage, connect and study. SAMU always puts students first and provides opportunities that allow them to get the most out of their time on campus. Some offerings include:

- › Health and dental benefits
- › Academic advocacy
- › Student groups
- › Safe Walk
- › Peer Support
- › Fall Fest and other amazing events
- › Student food bank – The Pantry
- › U-Pass
- › *The Griff*, MacEwan's student publication

Learn more about our offerings or how to get involved at SAMU.ca.



SPORT AND WELLNESS

Achieve your fitness goals on campus.

Membership to MacEwan University Sport and Wellness is included in your student fees. Improve both your physical and mental health – and have some fun while you're at it!

Join a rec league, sport club or tournament to try out new sports, make new friends and find new interests without having to leave campus.

STUDENTS HAVE ACCESS TO:

- › Indoor swimming pool, hot tub and steam room
- › 12,000-square-foot fitness centre
- › Spin, yoga and aerobic studios
- › Free daily drop-in fitness classes
- › Discounted rates on swimming lessons and specialty fitness classes
- › Fit Buddy program to help you become familiar with Sport and Wellness spaces and activities

Head to [MacEwan.ca/SportAndWellness](https://www.macewan.ca/SportAndWellness) to see everything the facility offers.



GRIFF NATION

Our student athletes strive for excellence in the classroom, on the playing surface and in their communities.

We're proud members of Canada West and U SPORTS, where our champions and all-stars compete for conference and national titles in basketball, hockey, soccer and volleyball.

WE ARE ALL GRIFFINS

Grab your FREE student ticket for all home games and cheer your Griffins on to victory as they go head-to-head with Canada's best.

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**U SPORTS ACADEMIC
ALL-CANADIANS
(AS OF 2023)**

18

**NATIONAL
CHAMPIONSHIPS
(AS OF 2023/24)**

GO AT YOUR OWN PACE

Our facilities feature a variety of fitness equipment so you can customize your workout to your preferences.

PERSONAL TRAINING

Hire a personal trainer for yourself, or up to three people. You can even get a free consultation before you book!

DIVE RIGHT IN

Swim on your own, take lessons, join a fitness class in the pool and relax in the hot tub or steam room.



MacEwanGriffins.ca



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MACEWAN INTERNATIONAL

MacEwan International supports international students in achieving their academic goals and provides global learning opportunities for students from our partner schools.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

We're here to help every step of the way, answering questions about immigration and study permits, departure and arrival, and housing and finances while you're in Edmonton. Once you're settled in, we'll also help you navigate student life and help you get the most out of your MacEwan experience.

Support Services

- › Help with choosing the right program
- › Settlement guidance
- › Academic and immigration advising
- › Volunteer opportunities
- › Fun events

EXCHANGE STUDENTS

Studying abroad is about learning alongside people whose worldviews differ from your own. It's about choosing an academic path that challenges you in new ways. It's about opening doors.

When our partner university students choose to study at MacEwan, they become part of the MacEwan family. MacEwan provides a supportive environment to help students manage and enjoy their experience, both inside the classroom and beyond.

To attend MacEwan University as an exchange student, your home university must have a formal agreement with us. Contact an exchange advisor at your institution for information on exchange agreements and the nomination process.

BOWLING A PERFECT GAME

A fun night of 5-pin bowling, Canadian style.

INTERNATIONAL ON ICE

The Griffins hockey team teaches ice skating to international students.





GLOBAL CONNECTIONS



We are proud partners with numerous institutions and organizations across the globe.

The shift to knowledge-based economies. The demand for graduates to supply global labour markets. The need for skilled individuals ready to tackle solutions to global problems.

These factors – and others – motivate us to build international partnerships to create collaborative, meaningful opportunities for our students to participate in research, scholarship, teaching and learning experiences in countries across the globe.

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GLOBAL UNIVERSITY
PARTNERS IN 23
COUNTRIES

INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

Australia

University of New England

Austria

Fachhochschule Oberösterreich (FHOÖ)

Bangladesh

North South University

Brazil

University of São Paulo

China

Wuhan Business University

Costa Rica

Instituto Tecnológico de Costa Rica

Ecuador

Universidad de Especialidades Espíritu Santo (UEES)

Finland

Åbo Akademi

Metropolia University of Applied Sciences

France

Audencia Business School

Université Catholique de Lille

Germany

Consortium of Ostwestfalen-Lippe Universities (4 partners)

Hochschule für Technik und Wirtschaft Dresden (FH)

Hochschule Mittweida

India

Amity University

Jamaica

University of the West Indies at Mona, Jamaica

Japan

Fuji Women's University

Kwassui Women's University

Nagasaki University of Foreign Studies (NUFS)

Nagoya Gakuin University (NGU)

Korea

Dankook University

Hankuk University of Foreign Studies (HUFS)

Mexico

Instituto Tecnológico y de Estudios Superiores de occidente (ITESO)

Morocco

ESCA Ecole de Management

Netherlands

HAN University of Applied Sciences (HAN UAS)

Hanzehogeschool Groningen

Spain

Universidad de Alcalá

Sweden

Linköpings universitet

Umeå universitet

Switzerland

Hochschule Luzern

Ukraine

Lviv National Musical Academy of Mykola Lysenko

National University of "Kyiv-Mohyla Academy" (NaUKMA)

Ternopil State Medical University (TSMU)

Ukrainian Catholic University (UCU)

United Kingdom

Keele University

Queen Margaret University

University of Hertfordshire

University of Wales Trinity Saint David

Vietnam

University of Đà Nẵng

STRAIGHT FROM THE SOURCE



**KATERYNA
KUZMUK**

I didn't expect to have much opportunity to study my home country while studying abroad so you cannot imagine how happy I was to be asked to contribute.

Kateryna Kuzmuk used her personal experience from Ukraine to assist Dr. Jeffrey Rice in research into crowdfunding campaigns for the war during her time as an international student on campus.



**READ ABOUT
HER RESEARCH.**



**MEHAK
SINGH**

When I decided to come to Canada as an international student, I was greeted with a myriad of options within the healthcare field. I chose nursing for the sheer thrill of it – every day is a fresh adventure, packed with unexpected challenges and heartfelt moments.

Mehak Singh, international nursing student from Punjab, India, thanks his clinical instructors for their genuine passion for teaching and support throughout the program.



**LEARN ABOUT MACEWAN
INTERNATIONAL.**



**CHYKES
DELSON**

To immerse myself in my new home, I volunteered at events on campus, joined a student group and entered a few contests – I even won some in design and music! I also presented original compositions at Student Research Day in 2023 and 2024.

Chykes Delson, international Music Theatre Performance Diploma student from the Philippines, was awarded the Dean's Medal for Academic Excellence at Spring Convocation in 2024. She plans on staying in Canada and continuing to perform and compose!



READ HER STORY.



**JENNIFER
ONWUDINJO**

As an international student, I initially interacted with MacEwan International, which serves as your first point of contact. They provided support throughout my entire journey at MacEwan, assisting with immigration questions and connecting me with others from similar backgrounds and cultures.

Jennifer Onwudinjo, Bachelor of Design student from Nigeria, got to ignite her creativity, drawing inspiration from various sources and applying herself in real world practical applications throughout the program.



READ HER STORY.

LIVE ON CAMPUS

Living in Residence places you steps away from classes, downtown amenities, landmarks and nightlife. Develop lasting friendships and benefit from a close-knit, vibrant community of hundreds of other students by attending game nights, study sessions, campus events and more.

Our facilities are:

- › Located right on campus
- › All-inclusive (fully furnished, utilities included)
- › Affordable
- › Safe and secure
 - › On-site security agent overnight
 - › Supported 24/7 by Security Services

Amenities include:

- › Bachelor, two- and four-bedroom suites
- › High-speed Wi-Fi
- › Electricity, heat and water
- › Private bedroom, kitchen and dining areas, and bathroom
- › 24-hour front desk service



Incoming first-year full-time students qualify for priority housing. Learn more:

MacEwan.ca/Residence

 [@MacEwanRes](https://www.instagram.com/MacEwanRes)

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 [/MacEwanRes](https://www.facebook.com/MacEwanRes)

 [MacEwan Residence](https://www.youtube.com/MacEwanResidence)

CREATE YOUR OWN SPACE

Personalize your suite to make it feel like home.

ON SITE ENTERTAINMENT

Host a movie or game night with friends in the theatre room right in Residence.

TUITION FEES AND FUNDING

We know that pursuing higher education is a major financial decision. Understand the costs involved, and some ways to offset them.

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND BURSARIES

MacEwan offers hundreds of unique scholarships, bursaries and awards annually to incoming and current students. Scholarships are awarded based on academic achievement. Bursaries are given based on financial need and awards are often based on criteria such as volunteerism and leadership. Individual scholarships, awards and bursaries may have additional eligibility requirements, so visit MacEwan.ca/Awards for more information and how to apply.

COSTS

The cost of your education will vary based on your program of study. Additional costs like textbooks and tech necessary for your coursework – as well as the cost of living – should be considered when planning your finances.

Your tuition and student fees already cover a few expenses, like a U-Pass for transit and a pass to MacEwan Sport and Wellness. For a breakdown of your MacEwan-related fees and costs specific to your program, head to MacEwan.ca/TuitionFees.

5k+

SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND BURSARIES AWARDED TO STUDENTS (2022/23)*

\$8M+

AWARDED IN SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS AND BURSARIES (2022/23)*

\$24,480

AVERAGE TUITION FOR DEGREE / DIPLOMA (ONE YEAR, FULL-TIME)†



CALCULATE YOUR COSTS

Use our online cost estimator to see what you can expect for education-related costs per term for your chosen program.

LEARN MORE

*All students (domestic and international) †2024/25





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