

Exchange at the University of Guelph



University of Guelph



- Founded in 1964
- Diverse population of students including **2000+** international students representing **140+** countries
- Research-intensive and learner-centred
- Known as Canada's Food University

About U of G

- **24,000** Full-Time Undergraduate Students
- **2852** Graduate Students
- Campus size: **412-hectares** (1017 acres)
- Consistently ranks as one of Canada's top comprehensive universities.
- **97.3 per cent** of full-time faculty have doctorates, first professional or other terminal degree.



Exchange at UofGuelph

- **Over 220 exchange students** come to University of Guelph every year
- Exchange students at U of Guelph are involved in classroom activities, intramural sports, field trips, research & service learning
- Join other international students on trips to famous tourist destinations such as Niagara Falls, Montreal, NYC and Toronto!
- Our **Centre for International Programs Office** is here to help and support you during your time in Guelph



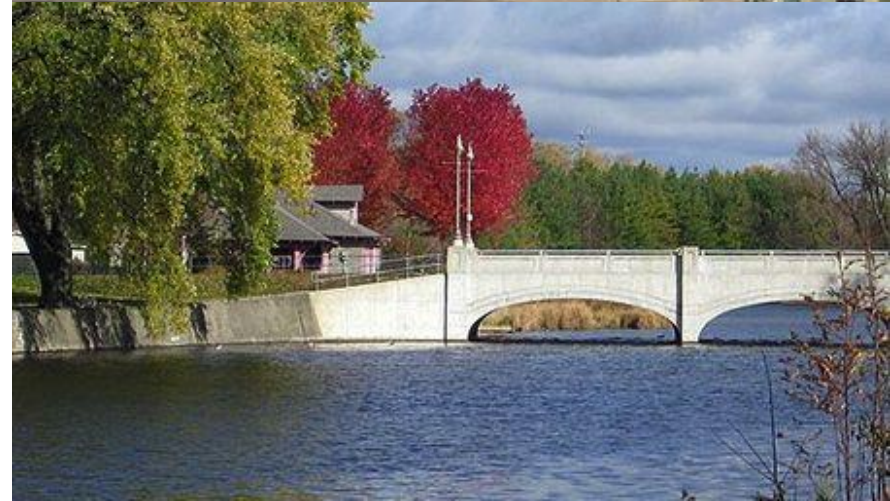
Where is Guelph?



- The city of Guelph is located in south-western Ontario
- It is about **an hour's drive** west of Toronto, Canada's largest city and airline hub

The City of Guelph

- Population 150,000 .
- Guelph has 300 restaurants, 3 theatres, 70 km of trails within the city and 110 km of dedicated bike lanes
- Newcomers to Canada make up nearly 22.4 percent of Guelph's population.
- For more info visit www.guelph.ca



The Centre for International Programs

- **The Centre for International Programs (CIP)** is centrally located at the University Centre on campus
- **Our CIP staff** will assist you before and during your exchange with your exchange acceptance, residence application, course registration and any questions you may have about Guelph

Semester Dates

- **Fall semester:**
Early September to mid December
- **Winter semester:**
Early January to late April



Academic Programs



- Exchange students can take courses from any combination of faculties as long as they have the appropriate background knowledge (prerequisites)
- The only faculties from which exchange students cannot take courses are:
 - Ontario Veterinary College
 - MBA program
 - Masters of Hospitality & Tourism Management program
 - Masters of Leadership
 - all courses at Guelph-Humber, Ridgetown and Kemptville campuses

Courses in...

Arts and Social Sciences



- Anthropology
- Art History
- Classical Studies
- Criminal Justice & Public Policy
- Culture and Technology Studies
- Economics
- English
- Environmental Governance
- European Studies
- Food Agriculture & Resource
- Economics
- French Studies
- Geography
- Spanish and Hispanic Studies

Courses in...

Arts and Social Sciences



History
International Development
Mathematical Economics
Music
Philosophy
Political Science
Psychology
Sexualities, Genders and
Social Change
Sociology
Statistics
Studio Art
Theatre Studies

Courses in...

Science



- Animal Biology
- Applied Mathematics & Statistics
- Biochemistry
- Biological Science
- Biological & Pharmaceutical Chemistry
- Bio-Medical Science
- Biophysics
- Chemical Physics
- Chemistry
- Ecology
- Environmental Geoscience & Geomatics
- Food Science
- Human Kinetics
- Marine & Freshwater Biology
- Mathematics

Courses in...

Science



Microbiology
Molecular Biology & Genetics
Nanoscience
Neuroscience
Nutritional & Nutraceutical Sciences
One Health
Physics
Physical Science
Plant Science
Psychology: Brain and Cognition
Statistics
Theoretical Physics
Toxicology
Wildlife Biology
Zoology

Courses in... Commerce



Accounting

Food & Agricultural Business

Government, Economics and
Management

Hospitality and Tourism Management

Management Economics & Finance

Marketing Management

Real Estate and Housing

Sport and Event Management

Courses in... Engineering



Biological Engineering
Biomedical Engineering
Computer Engineering
Environmental Engineering
Engineering Systems and Computing
Mechanical Engineering
Water Resources Engineering

Residence Life

- One of the largest, best-established residence systems in Canada
- **Exchange students are guaranteed residence** if they apply by the deadline
- Residences are spread out within a **5 - 7 minute walk** to anywhere on campus
- **16 Residence communities** mix of traditional, suite, apartment, and townhouse style residences
- **rated #1** for both student living and food by Maclean's (Comprehensive university category, 2022).



Residence Halls



- Singles and doubles are available
- **Lounges** in residence are great for socializing or gathering to watch your favourite TV show – there are also **quiet study areas**
- Easy access to **laundry facilities**, **kitchenettes** and a variety of **campus eateries**
- **Telephone** and **voicemail**, and **Internet** hook-ups are included in every room – wireless Internet is available in most residences and across campus

Meal Plans



- Guelph's cafeteria food services are **ranked the best in Canada!**
- Your Student Card is your meal card
- **Kosher, Halal, Vegan** and **Vegetarian** entrees are available
- Food is available seven days a week, from **7a.m.** until **midnight**
- There are 16 different dining facilities conveniently located across campus
- Some of our accommodation provides cooking facilities so you can make your own food.

The Library

- The UG Library provides support for all students' needs, from undergraduate essays to specialized graduate-level research
- Access to **over 7.5 million books and materials** through an automated library system
- The Learning Commons provides academic support such as help with writing, research and computer skills
- provides access to books, periodicals, films, audiovisual and archival materials, government documents and maps
- Open during the semester from 8am –midnight most days



Athletic Facilities

- The Department of Athletics offers **varsity sports, fitness classes, intramurals, two pools, weight and cardio rooms** ... and more!
- **Learn how to ice skate** in Guelph's ice hockey arena!
- 170,000-square-foot facility includes a 22,000-square-foot fitness centre and a 2,200-seat events centre for sport, recreation and major gatherings
- Join one of our **intramural exchange student teams** and play soccer (sorry, football!), badminton, basketball, volleyball or try something a bit different like inner-tube water polo.



Getting Involved



- **Over 100 clubs**, 2 student newspapers and a radio station
- Two art galleries, a sculpture park, five performance stages
- There are many opportunities to see live theatre, bands, varsity and intramural sports on campus
- Many volunteer and Service-Learning opportunities available



For More Information



Ask about how to apply for exchange
at the

**International Office of
your home university.**

We hope to see you in Guelph!

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