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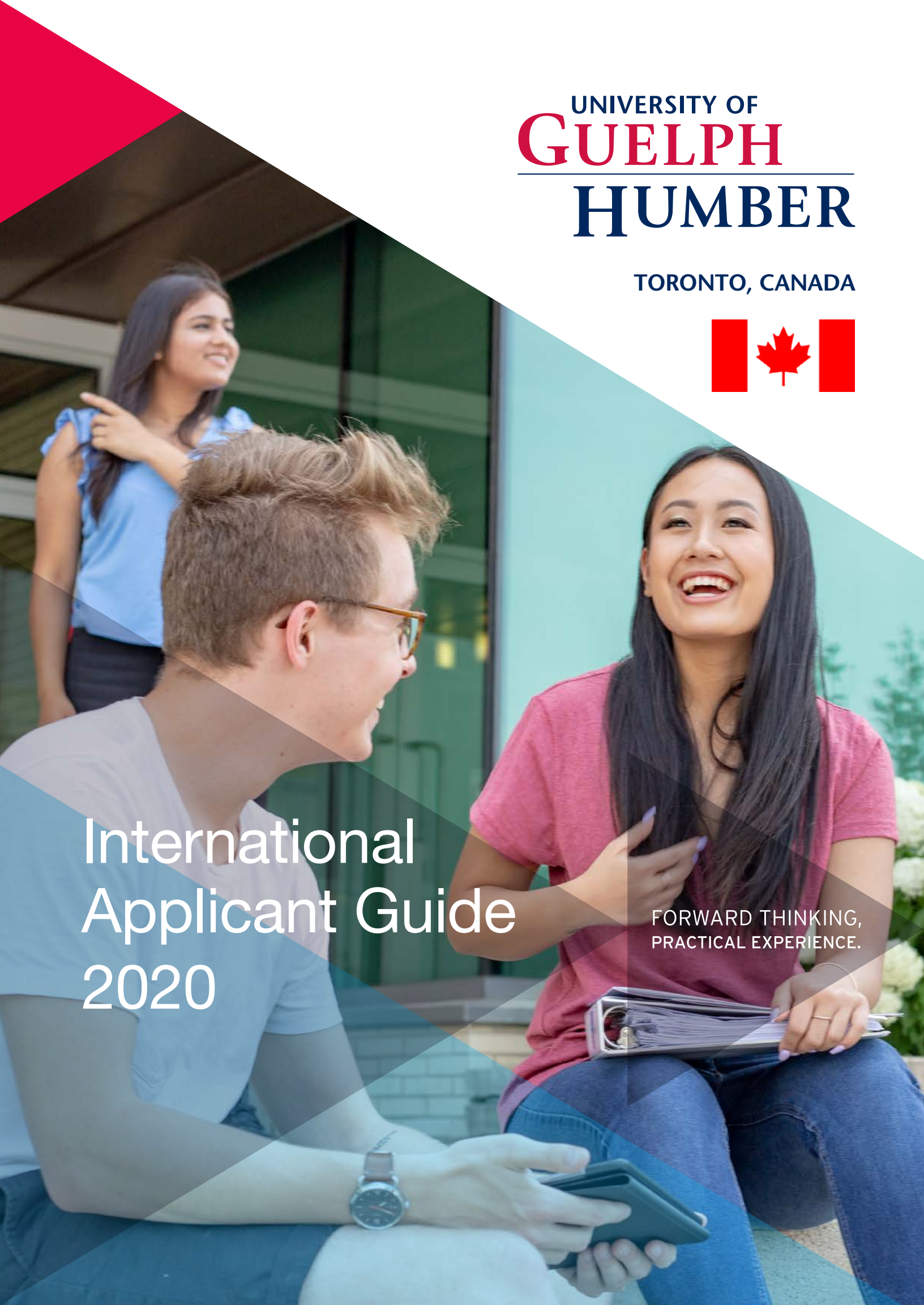
**HUMBER**

TORONTO, CANADA



International  
Applicant Guide  
2020

FORWARD THINKING,  
PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE.





# Study in Toronto, Ontario, Canada

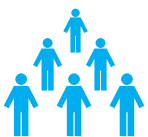
## **Land Acknowledgement**

*The University of Guelph-Humber and Humber College are located within the traditional and treaty lands of the Mississaugas of the Credit. Known as Adoobiigok, the “Place of the Black Alders” in the Mississauga language, the region is uniquely situated along the Humber River Watershed, which historically provided an integral connection for Anishinaabe, Haudenosaunee, and Wendat peoples between the Ontario lakeshore and the Lake Simcoe/Georgian Bay regions. Now home to people of numerous nations, Adoobiigok continues to provide a vital source of interconnection for all. We acknowledge and honour the land we are walking on, the moccasin tracks of our ancestors and the footprints of future generations.*



Toronto,  
Ontario,  
Canada

**The University of Guelph-Humber  
is situated in northwest Toronto  
adjacent to the Humber River and  
40 hectares of parkland.**



3 million  
people in the  
City of Toronto



One of the most  
multicultural cities in  
the world



More than  
140 languages and  
dialects are spoken  
here



Ranked 6<sup>th</sup>  
safest city  
in the world



4<sup>th</sup> largest city in  
North America

Toronto is a dynamic place to live and learn. The Greater Toronto Area is home to approximately 5.4 million people, one-sixth of Canada's population; nearly half of that population is made up of residents from around the world.

Attending university in Canada's cultural, economic and business centre will play an important role in your program opportunities.

Our campus is close to urban and rural destinations.

Explore Toronto and get to know its neighbourhoods! Visit local tourist attractions including the CN Tower, Royal Ontario Museum, Ripley's Aquarium of Canada, Kensington Market, Scotiabank Centre, Black Creek Pioneer Village, Art Gallery of Ontario, Toronto Zoo, St. Lawrence Market, Distillery District and Niagara Falls (two hours away).

Where else can you experience festivals celebrating food, music and people from other countries within a few city blocks? Your choices for recreation off campus are unlimited with large- and small-scale facilities and venues for sports, music, theatre and art.

# Choose the University of Guelph-Humber

more  
in

4 years

## Honours degree + diploma

You will graduate with an honours degree from the University of Guelph and a diploma from Humber. You will earn both credentials through your university-level courses over four years of full-time study.



## Hands-on experience

Every program at the University of Guelph-Humber focuses on academic theory and practical skills, including workplace experience built into your program.



## Expert academic instructors

Our professors teach and continue to be involved in their field to offer you current perspectives and knowledge, and connect you to professionals. Our small classes allow you to interact with your professors in or outside of class time to get your questions answered and help when needed.





We are unique in Ontario because students earn a university honours degree and a diploma, concurrently, in one location in four years.

We are a partnership of the University of Guelph and Humber College Institute of Technology & Advanced Learning (Humber), two renowned institutions.



## Small community

With only 4,900 students at the University, you'll be a part of a close-knit group of students, staff and professors. Our average class size is 49 students. You'll be recognized on campus and welcomed!

Because the University is located on Humber's North Campus in Toronto and we share facilities with Humber, you are part of a larger community of 20,000 Humber students.



## Access to support

As an international student, far from home, there are many adjustments for you in addition to starting university studies. You have a team of people here for you, and our small size makes it easy for you to get the support you need, when you need it. Receive financial support for tuition through our International Student Entrance Scholarship that offers up to \$8,500 (CAD).

# Business

Acquire your biggest asset: a firm foundation in global business practices that gives you a competitive advantage.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (BBA)**



**DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**



**IN 2018–19, OUR BUSINESS STUDENTS EARNED 42 TOP-THREE FINISHES AT EXTERNAL COMPETITIONS!**

## Focused academic program

Learn how to market goods, fund a business, lead others, work ethically, think big and collaborate, but above all focus on your career objectives. Get introduced to a range of different business areas and discover where your interests lie. Our program combines an in-depth knowledge of the business world with the hands-on skills necessary to lead and succeed.

Choose to focus your studies in one of six areas of emphasis or select a variety of courses reflecting a range of interests.

## Areas of emphasis

**Accounting:** Complete the courses you need to pursue your Chartered Professional Accountant (CPA) designation when you graduate.

**Finance:** Learn about banking, insurance, capital projects, investing and portfolio management.

**International Business:** Explore global currencies, trade and industry practices of Asia Pacific, Europe and Latin America.

**Management:** Learn the challenges of running various types of enterprises including for-profit, not-for-profit, small and large businesses.

**Marketing:** Explore how product, price, place and promotion meet consumer needs and achieve company objectives.

**Small Business Management and Entrepreneurship:** Study key strategies for starting and maintaining a successful new venture.

## First-year courses include:

- > Accounting
- > Business Communications
- > Business Information Systems
- > Business Law
- > Introduction to Organizational Behaviour
- > Macroeconomics
- > Marketing
- > Microeconomics

## Practical learning

Up to **300 hours** (minimum 100 hours) of workplace experience tailored to your goals.

## Sample careers and further education

- > Account Executive
- > Accountant (CPA)
- > Brand Manager
- > Data Analyst
- > Financial Analyst
- > Financial Planner
- > Global Logistics Coordinator
- > International Accounts Manager
- > Investment Advisor
- > Management Consultant
- > Manager, Planning Analysis
- > Marketing Coordinator
- > Operations Manager
- > Project Manager
- > Social Media Strategist
- > Tax Specialist
- > Master of Business Administration
- > Law School
- > Master of Accountancy
- > Master of Professional Communications
- > Master of Science in Management
- > Master of Science in Marketing
- > Master of Finance

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*



# Early Childhood Studies

Learn how to support children individually, as well as work with their families, schools and the community.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (BASc)**



**DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (ECE)**



**LEARN TO APPLY INCLUSIVE PRACTICES TO MEET THE DIVERSE NEEDS OF CHILDREN, INCLUDING INFANT AND CHILD MENTAL HEALTH AND TRAUMA.**

## Focused academic program

Our program focuses on the physical, social, emotional and cognitive development of young children from birth to 12 years and their interaction with the world around them.

Your first year introduces you to the domains of childhood development and theories and foundations of early childhood. In your second year, you learn the basics of human anatomy and physiology; how to create curriculum; observation and research skills; dynamics of relationships; and how biases impact our interactions with children and families.

In your third and fourth years, you learn how to develop curriculum in educational and therapeutic settings. Curriculum includes children with special needs, infant and children's mental health, therapeutic play and interprofessional collaboration. You will learn to assess children's learning; support and educate children in a meaningful way; understand how to create interventions; and know how to work with children in a variety of settings.

You will take a journey of self-awareness, find your own voice and develop a comprehensive set of abilities to deal with diverse circumstances in an empathetic manner.

## First-year courses include:

- > Children & Play
- > Early & Middle Childhood Development
- > Field Practicum 1 (work placement)
- > Foundations in Early Childhood
- > Health & Safety in Early Childhood Settings
- > Infant & Toddler Development
- > Introductory Psychology: Dynamics/Principles
- > University Writing Skills for Early Childhood Studies

## Practical learning

Complete **800 hours** of workplace experience.

- > Job shadowing will help introduce you to early learning and care settings (Year 1, Winter)
- > Experience an early learning and care setting (Year 2, Winter)

- > Participate in a placement related to inclusion and special needs (Year 3, Fall)
- > Gain knowledge in community-based organizations (Year 3, Winter)
- > Select a year-long setting tailored to your career aspirations and knowledge base (Year 4, Fall/Winter)

*Note: You will be required to complete a Vulnerable Sector Screening, documentation of immunization and a First Aid/CPR certificate prior to placement.*

## Sample careers and further education

- > Registered Early Childhood Educator
- > Play Therapist
- > Early Intervention Consultant
- > Speech Pathologist
- > Special Needs Resource Consultant
- > Child Care Supervisor/Director/Owner
- > Intensive Behaviour Therapist
- > Children's Rights Advocate
- > Special Needs Worker
- > Family Support Supervisor
- > Teacher
- > Research & Policy Analyst
- > Master of Education
- > Master of Science in Occupational Therapy
- > Master of Science in Child Life and Pediatric Psychosocial Care
- > Master of Social Work
- > Master of Arts in Child Study & Education
- > Nursing School

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*



# Family and Community Social Services

Effect change and make a difference in society in a very meaningful way.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (BASc)**



**SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER DIPLOMA**



**STUDENTS RAVE ABOUT OUR INSTRUCTORS WHO WORK AS EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS, CLINICAL SUPERVISORS AND MORE.**

## Focused academic program

Explore current social issues and understand the challenges faced by vulnerable populations so you can learn how to deliver impactful services, such as counselling, mediation and crisis intervention.

Courses in your first year focus on understanding human behaviour and issues related to individuals, families and groups. In your second year, you will engage in theoretical and practical studies in counselling, ethical and professional issues, and working with various vulnerable populations.

In your upper years, you will work with diverse groups and learn theory and techniques in family therapy, case management and social work practice. Graduate with important skills in social work—how to listen, how to support someone, understanding boundaries, professionalism, cultural awareness, compassion, global citizenship and self-care.

## First-year courses include:

- > Child & Adolescent Development
- > Couple & Family Dynamics
- > English I: Reading & Writing Effectively
- > Interpersonal Communication Skills
- > Issues in Advocacy & Social Justice
- > Social Issues & Social Environments
- > Social Work in Canada
- > The Political Process & Social Work

## Practical learning

Starting in your second year, you will earn more than **850 hours** of supervised professional experience.

- > Initial exposure to a variety of social issues and the day-to-day operations within a community organization (Year 2, Winter)
- > Continue to learn about service agencies and begin to interact with agency staff, volunteers, clients and the community (Year 3, Fall/Winter)
- > Provide direct client services through individual, family, group and/or community interventions (Year 4, Fall/Winter)

*Note: You will be required to complete a Vulnerable Sector Screening prior to each placement.*

## Sample careers and further education

- > Addictions Coordinator
- > Community Support Worker
- > Crisis Counsellor
- > Family and Community Mediator
- > Hospice Support Worker
- > Intensive Behaviour Therapist
- > Mental Health Worker
- > Parole Officer
- > Social Service Coordinator
- > Social Worker
- > Youth Residential Worker
- > Bachelor of Social Work
- > Master of Social Work
- > Bachelor of Education
- > Master of Arts in Public Policy & Administration
- > Master of Arts in Critical Disability Studies
- > Law School
- > Postgraduate certificate in Mental Health & Addictions
- > Master of Arts in Clinical & Counselling Psychology

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*



# Justice Studies

Prepare for a future in a public service role in public, private, community and/or institutional settings.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (BASc)**



**DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY AND JUSTICE SERVICES OR POLICE FOUNDATIONS**



IN 2018, OUR CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION TEAMS WON THE **TOP FOUR SPOTS** AT THE CSI CHALLENGE AT MOUNT ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY, MARYLAND.

## Focused academic program

Throughout your four years, you will be exposed to the Canadian justice system: from the rules we follow, to dealing with people and communities, to the hands-on processing of crime scenes and making arrests. Build key skills required in any area of justice such as critical thinking, research methods and how to write effectively.

In your first year, you will build a foundation in justice and related fields. In year two, you begin to take courses that touch on various services and how they are delivered, such as counselling, conflict resolution, forensics and policing.

In your second year, you decide which diploma to pursue, focusing in on one of these two areas:

### **Community and Justice Services**

Focuses on social issues and explores the development of community programs, ways to work with both victims and offenders, and methods of crime prevention.

or

### **Police Foundations**

Prepares you for a career in the various levels of law enforcement in the Canadian justice system.

Years three and four move on to advanced courses that immerse you in issues such as ethics; equality; rights and freedoms; youth and the law; and criminology.

## First-year courses include:

- > Crime & Criminal Justice
- > Criminal Offences
- > English I: Reading & Writing Effectively
- > Health & Wellness
- > Introduction to Law
- > Introduction to Police Powers
- > Introductory Psychology: Dynamics
- > Principles of Sociology
- > Provincial Legislation
- > Public Sector Management

## Practical learning

Take part in at least **200 hours** of community service placements in your second and third years, experiencing professional work in two justice agencies/organizations.

*Note: You may be required to complete a Vulnerable Sector Screening and/or Criminal Reference Check prior to placement.*

## Sample careers and further education

- > Anti-terrorism Analyst
- > Border Services Officer
- > Corporate Investigator
- > Court Reporter
- > Bylaw Enforcement Officer
- > Crime Analyst
- > Lawyer
- > Anti-money Laundering Investigator
- > Corporate Security Manager
- > Policy Analyst
- > Insurance Investigator
- > Probation Officer
- > Police Officer
- > Victim Services Worker
- > Law School
- > Master of Arts in Criminology
- > Bachelor of Education
- > Master of Public Administration
- > Master of Arts in Political Science

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*



# Kinesiology

Turn your passion for health and wellness into a career in kinesiology and influence the future of sport and healthcare.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (BASc)**



**DIPLOMA IN FITNESS AND HEALTH PROMOTION**



**18 OF YOUR CORE KINESIOLOGY COURSES ARE PAIRED WITH LABS.**

## Focused academic program

Learn how the body works, how to make it work better, what causes health issues and how to prevent illness. Develop a strong scientific and theoretical background and apply this knowledge to healthy populations, elite athletes, individuals with chronic diseases and people with physical challenges. Confidently apply yourself in any environment, such as health promotion, fitness, rehabilitation, coaching and research.

In the first two years of the program, you learn the fundamentals of the human body. Learn anatomy in a human cadaver lab in your first year: a rare undergraduate experience. In the third and fourth years, your courses focus on performance and clinical applications of exercise and nutrition theory.

## First-year courses include:

- > Biochemistry & Metabolism I
- > Cell Biology
- > Health Counselling & Behaviour Change
- > Human Anatomy
- > Human Physiology
- > Introduction to Health & Wellness
- > Introductory Mathematics for Kinesiology

## Practical learning

Complete **87 to 241 placement hours** during your final two years.

All students have an on- and off-campus placement in third year. On campus, you will work one-on-one with a client to help reach their fitness goals through a personal training placement. Off campus, you will be placed with an organization offering applied experience.

In your fourth year, choose an off-campus placement with an independent research study or complete a thesis project in a lab setting.

## Sample careers and further education

- > Registered Kinesiologist
- > Certified Strength and Conditioning Specialist
- > Certified Exercise Physiologist
- > Health Promotions Manager
- > Occupational Health, Wellness and Abilities Advisor
- > Rehabilitation Therapist
- > Research Associate
- > Wellness Coordinator
- > Master of Science in Physical Therapy
- > Master of Science in Occupational Therapy
- > Bachelor of Education
- > Master of Science
- > Master of Public Health
- > Master of Arts in Health Promotion
- > Chiropractic College
- > Naturopathic College
- > Medical School
- > School of Dentistry

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*



# Media Studies

Learn how to communicate and develop the skills to use different media platforms to meet tomorrow's needs.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF APPLIED ARTS (BAA)**



**DIPLOMA IN MEDIA COMMUNICATIONS**



**FOR 6 YEARS, EMERGE STUDENTS HAVE WON A COLLEGIATE GOLD CROWN AWARD FROM THE COLUMBIA SCHOLASTIC PRESS ASSOCIATION!**

## Focused academic program

Learn how media has developed then look ahead to emerging trends. You will be introduced to various media and study the historical, social, cultural and ethical aspects of the industry. Following your second year, you will choose one of five specializations to direct your studies. However, you are not limited by your specialization.

Third- and fourth-year courses teach you about governance and policy and how to work in a team environment; for example, by producing a digital news site or television broadcast or promoting and managing a large event.

## Specializations

**Digital Communications:** Create multiplatform content using web design, audio and videography.

**Journalism:** Explore print, broadcast and online journalism with a strong focus on writing, editing and pitching stories.

**Media Business:** Learn the business of managing media sales, marketing and advertising.

**Public Relations:** Learn corporate communications, media relations and event management using various tools, including traditional and social media.

**Visual Communication:** Learn the fundamentals of photography combined with elements of production, design and videography. Learn to create, manipulate and edit images, design concepts and video.

## First-year courses include:

- > Communication, Technology & Culture
- > English I: Reading & Writing Effectively
- > Ethical Issues
- > Film Study
- > Internet Survey & Research
- > Introduction to Journalism & Public Relations
- > Photography & Digital Imaging
- > Visual Communication & Design

## Practical learning

After third year, you will complete an internship of more than **200 hours**. International internships are another exciting course opportunity.

## Sample careers and further education

- > Account Coordinator
- > Brand Strategist
- > Art Director
- > Communications Manager
- > Social Media Specialist
- > Digital Content Producer
- > Digital Communications Specialist
- > Editor (web, print, story)
- > Event Coordinator
- > Experiential Marketer
- > Fundraising Strategist
- > Media Buyer
- > Photographer/Videographer
- > Production Assistant
- > Public Affairs Specialist
- > Publicist
- > Radio/TV Broadcaster
- > Web Developer
- > Master of Arts in Communications
- > Master of Journalism
- > Master of Professional Communication
- > Bachelor of Education
- > Law School

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*

# Psychology

Examine theories and research exploring human thought, feeling and behaviour.

**EARN AN HONOURS BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (BASc)**



**DIPLOMA IN GENERAL ARTS AND SCIENCE**

**Optional certificate in: Intercultural Relations, Organizational Behaviour or Research Skills and Analysis**



**AS AN UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT, CONTRIBUTE TO OUR PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL, INNOVATION IN PSYCHOLOGY.**

## Focused academic program

Study the brain. Learn research skills. Explore the processes and factors that shape who we become by studying topics such as development and aging, learning difficulties, ethics, culture, neuroscience, cognition, psychotherapy, abnormal psychology and persuasion.

Your first two years introduce you to key concepts and provide foundational courses. In years three and four, your courses will become more focused and offer more applied study.

In addition to your honours degree and diploma, you have the option to pursue one of three certificates in years three and four:

### **Intercultural Relations**

Increase your cultural literacy and enrich your understanding of diversity in Canada.

### **Organizational Behaviour**

Develop a greater understanding of leadership, groups and behaviour in organizations.

### **Research Skills and Analysis**

Expand your knowledge of research methods in psychology and refine your investigative and analytical abilities.

In your final year, you will choose between an honours seminar and thesis.

## First-year courses include:

- > Critical Thinking
- > Developmental Psychology
- > English I: Reading & Writing Effectively
- > Introductory Psychology: Dynamics
- > Modern & Contemporary Philosophy
- > Principles of Anthropology
- > Principles of Sociology

## Practical learning

In the third-year course Applied Study in Psychology, you will integrate psychological theory and research with at least **100 hours** of workplace experience.

*Note: You may be required to complete a Vulnerable Sector Screening prior to placement.*

## Sample careers and further education

- > Addiction Counsellor
- > Behaviour Therapist
- > Case Manager
- > Group Facilitator
- > Human Resources Specialist
- > Mental Health Worker
- > Neuroscientist
- > Psychologist
- > Psychometrist
- > Psychotherapist
- > Rehabilitation Counsellor
- > Researcher
- > Masters/PhD in Psychology
- > Medical School
- > Master of Social Work
- > Master of Education
- > Bachelor of Education
- > Law School
- > Master of Arts in Counselling Psychology
- > Master of Arts in Clinical Psychology
- > Master of Science in Neuroscience

*Note: Some careers and entry into further education may require additional study.*





# Student Profile



Reeti R.

*Mumbai, India*

*Media Studies,  
4<sup>th</sup> year*



NACS Dance Team

Cashier, Food Emporium

*“At Guelph-Humber you get to experience a truly global student community. The small number of students per class allows for more detailed learning. One-on-one interaction with professors not only caters to a greater learning experience, but also helps international students to better understand the Canadian work culture from experts in the field.”*

# Our Partners

The University of Guelph-Humber is a collaboration between the University of Guelph and Humber College Institute of Technology & Advanced Learning. Our programs draw from the expertise and knowledge of both renowned institutions.

## University of Guelph

The University of Guelph is ranked as one of Canada's top comprehensive universities, with top marks in student experience. No matter where you're from, once you enrol at U of G, you're part of a community—a network of fellow students and staff who will set you up with everything you need to be a success.

Our twelve degree programs focus on areas of business, arts, sciences, and engineering and technology. We attract over \$146 million in annual research funding!

There are more than 1,000 experiential learning opportunities and 3,500 students in co-operative education. You can apply your classroom learning to your field of interest and meet the right people—that's how we ensure more than 90% of our students are employed within six months of graduation.

More than 26,000 students call U of G home, with 200+ clubs, an award-winning intramural program and varsity teams that bring home the gold time and time again! Residence is guaranteed as long as you apply and pay the fee by the deadline date. Our students have consistently ranked U of G as having the best food on any Canadian university campus.

It's all this and more at the University of Guelph that will improve your life. Everyone who studies here, explores here, teaches here and works here is committed to that simple purpose: to Improve Life.

## Humber College Institute of Technology & Advanced Learning

For over 50 years, Humber has been a global leader in polytechnic education, emphasizing career-focused learning.

With 33,000 full-time students, including over 6,500 international students, we are the largest college in Canada, with two state-of-the-art campuses.

Our programs provide you with the opportunity to learn through a balance of theoretical and practical knowledge with a focus on incorporating current industry trends and teaching practical problem-solving skills.

Offering 20 varsity teams, 50+ student clubs, mentorship programs, and global opportunities for an enriching study or work experience, Humber is committed to your success in all aspects of your life.

We take pride in our alumni success and we are with you all the way. When you leave Humber, you will be a professional—poised and ready to make your mark.



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# Scholarships

## International Student Entrance Scholarship

\$2,000–\$8,500 CAD

All applicants are automatically considered for an International Student Entrance Scholarship.

Your grades will be converted to the Canadian equivalent to determine your admission average for scholarship consideration.

### In-class scholarships and bursaries

The University of Guelph-Humber offers in-class scholarships, awards and bursaries that international students are eligible for.

Full details for all scholarships and awards at [guelphhumber.ca/sfs](http://guelphhumber.ca/sfs)

# Tuition & Other Costs

Item	Cost (Academic Year)
Tuition (full-time study)	
Business	\$26,710 CAD
Other programs	\$24,300 CAD
Student fees	\$940–\$1,052 CAD
International student health insurance	\$420 CAD
Residence (single-style room)	\$6,622 CAD
Meal plan (required for residence)	\$2,350 CAD (regular) \$2,850 CAD (medium) \$3,400 CAD (large)
Books	\$1,000 CAD

All values listed are estimates only based on 2019–20 rates and therefore subject to change. Other fees/costs may apply. For a complete list of fees, visit [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents).

# Study Permit

A Study Permit (Student Visa) is required for anyone studying in Canada for longer than six months. You should plan for at least one or two months of processing time, but the process may take longer in some countries.

Please visit the Government of Canada, Immigration and Citizenship website, [cic.gc.ca](http://cic.gc.ca), to learn how to obtain a Study Permit for your university education.

*Note: If your Study Permit stream requires an unconditional offer of admission, you must contact Admission Services directly after your final grades and other conditions of offer have been met to issue a new letter if applicable.*

# Funding Your Education

Interested in working while you are a student in Toronto?

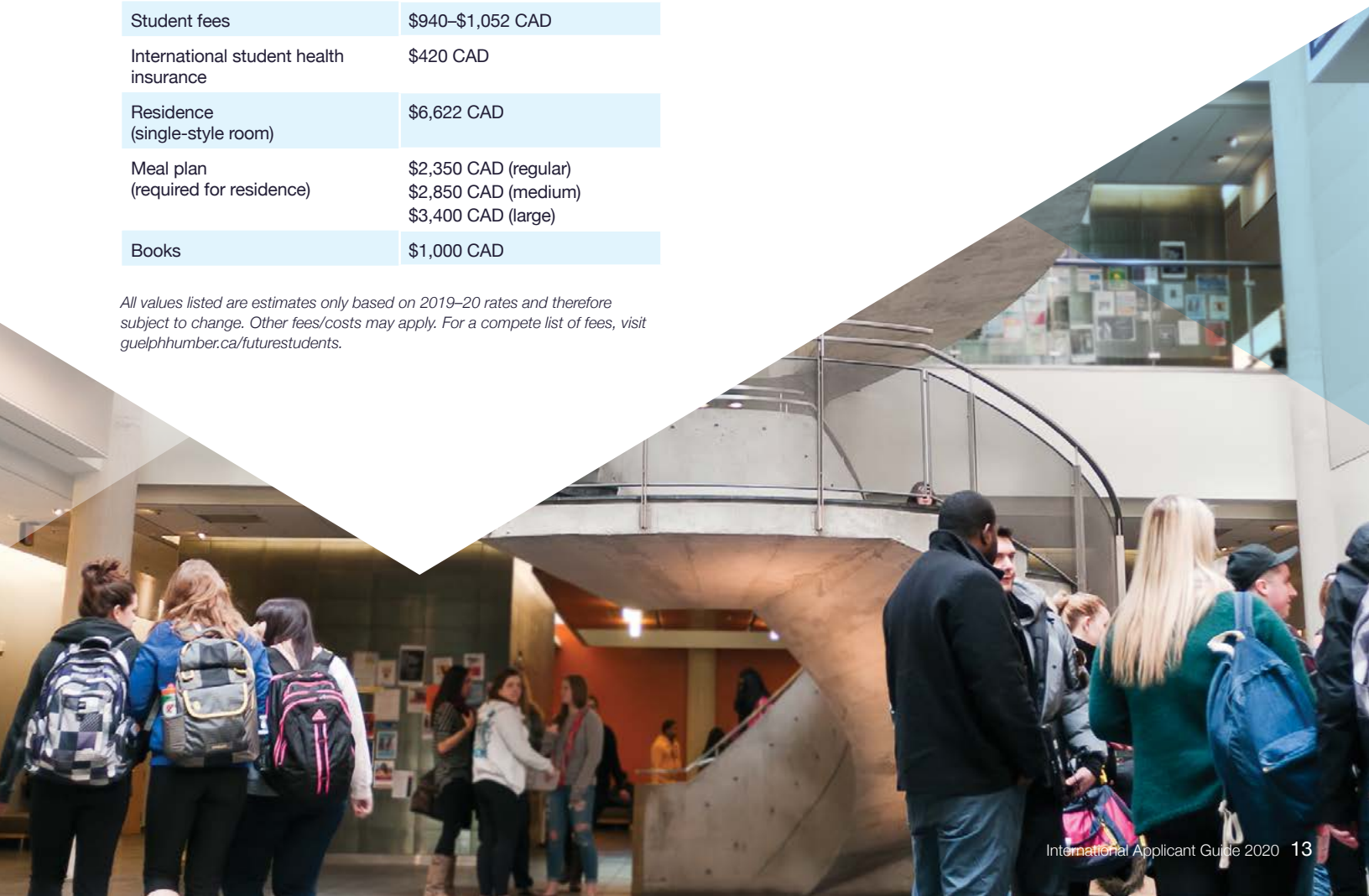
### Working on campus

The University of Guelph-Humber hires students for many roles. Jobs are flexible to your study schedule.

### Working off campus

You may qualify to work off campus without a work permit. If you qualify, your study permit will allow you to:

- > Work up to 20 hours per week during regular school semesters, and
- > Work full-time during scheduled breaks, such as the winter and summer holidays.



# Living in Toronto

Living in Toronto will offer you a variety of housing choices, from 52-floor highrises downtown to quiet homes in suburban neighbourhoods.

You may be new to Toronto, but we guarantee you will find familiar faces, food, culture and new friends to make your move welcoming and easier to transition. Our campus in northwest Toronto is surrounded by residential areas with cultural communities.

Toronto's ethnic neighbourhoods include:

- > Chinatown
- > Greektown
- > Little Italy
- > Koreatown
- > Little Portugal
- > Little India

## Clothing & Climate: The Essentials

Get ready to enjoy four seasons. Your classes start in fall (September) and end in early spring (April).

With Lake Ontario close by, much of our Toronto weather is milder than other areas of Ontario.

- > Fall: Mid-weight coat, temperatures 0° to 22°C
- > Winter: Heavy coat, scarf, hat, mittens/gloves, boots, temperatures -9° to 2°C (-30°C common)
- > Spring: Light-weight jacket, temperatures -4° to 19°C
- > Summer: Linen pants, light skirts, shorts, T-shirts, temperatures 14° to 27°C

## Transportation

The University of Guelph-Humber is on Humber's North Campus in northwest Toronto. We are located at:

207 Humber College Blvd  
Toronto, Ontario, Canada  
M9W 5L7

### Public transit

Arrive steps from our front door. Ten bus routes from four different transit systems that cross the Greater Toronto Area stop in the transit terminal loop on campus and connect to major transit centres.

- > Brampton Transit/Züm – [brampton.ca](http://brampton.ca)
- > Mississauga Transit (MiWay) – [miway.ca](http://miway.ca)
- > Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) – [ttc.ca](http://ttc.ca)
- > York Region Transit/VIVA – [yrt.ca](http://yrt.ca)

### Car

The campus is easy to reach from Highways 407 and 409 (east/west) and 427 and 27 (north/south).

Parking is pay per use or you can purchase a permit. Spaces are limited. For more parking details, visit [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents).

Map of Toronto and Local Area





# Housing

## Housing on campus

### Why you want to live here:

- > As a student living for the first time in on-campus housing, you will have a single room
- > Your room is a two-minute walk from the University
- > Choose from themed floors, such as co-ed, health and wellness or extended study
- > Choose your dining plan (three sizes available)
- > Dining plans accepted at the residence dining hall and food service outlets across campus
- > Two shared kitchens can be used for cooking at home
- > Spend your spare time in the recreational space, exercise room or at Residence Gym Nights in the Athletic Centre on campus
- > Make friends with students from both the University of Guelph-Humber and Humber
- > Living Learning Communities
- > Laundry in the building
- > Many social events
- > Free wi-fi in rooms

### Apply

You can only apply for on-campus housing (called Residence) once you have an offer of admission. Residence operates on a first come, first served basis; i.e., it is not guaranteed. Details about how to apply online will be included with an offer of admission.

The deadline to apply is **June 1, 2020**.

For more information, visit [humber.ca/residence](http://humber.ca/residence).



Sample of what a single room looks like.

## Housing off campus

Whether you choose to live alone or share your housing, you can make your decision based on:

**Type of accommodation.** What type of housing do you like? Apartments, condominiums, townhouses or detached homes?

**Neighbourhood.** What do you want in the area where you live? Familiar culture, restaurants, libraries, parks, transit, residential or downtown?

**Distance.** Do you want to drive to campus, use public transit or walk?

If you choose to live off campus in Toronto, check out [humber.ca/student-life/offcampuslife](http://humber.ca/student-life/offcampuslife) for guidance or speak with staff in the International Centre.

*“Living in a Living Learning Community (LLC) is an incredible opportunity to be part of a community that shares the same interests as you! Opportunities have included exploring and practising leadership styles, cooking nutritious meals and Lunch and Learn workshops with faculty members. Research also shows that being a member of an LLC helps to improve academic success and work habits.”*

*> Tuba C., Senior Residence Life Coordinator*



# Student Support

Your success is our success.

## International Centre

Turn to dedicated International Student Advisors at the International Centre for assistance on:

- > Student life in Canada
- > Immigration advising
- > Work permit application
- > Study permit extensions
- > Transitioning to life in Canada

## Your UofGH support team

You have a team to rely on.

- > Academic Advisors
- > Field Placement Coordinators
- > Career Services Coordinators
- > Program Heads
- > Assistant Program Heads
- > Student Life Coordinators
- > Student Financial Services

You can also rely on current students who work alongside staff and are trained to help you. These senior students are knowledgeable about the resources available to you. They offer you a student perspective and understand your needs.

Seek out:

- > Career Support Peers
- > Computer Support Assistants
- > First Year Experience (FYE) Leaders
- > Learning Support Peers
- > Research Support Peers
- > Student Transition and Resource Team (START) Leaders

## Careers start here

Launch your career in your first year of university with career staff to guide you and provide one-on-one assistance. We are here to help you:

- > Build confidence
- > Clarify your goals
- > Develop professional skills
- > Search for jobs and network
- > Succeed in placement
- > Apply to graduate school

Participate in career exploration and skill-building workshops and events, such as CareerQuest, CliftonStrengths, “Personal Branding”, program-specific career fairs and LinkedIn training sessions.

***“Career and Placement Services help students prepare for the professional world with resumé and cover letter support, mock interviews and suggestions to help set you apart from other competitive candidates. This is one of the best resources that the University of Guelph-Humber has to offer its students. It makes a big difference when applying and/or interviewing for your next endeavour, whether it be academic or professional.”***

> Anthony M., Kinesiology graduate

## Post-graduation work permit

If you are in a program of eight months or more, you may be eligible for a post-graduation work permit.

For more information, visit:

**[canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/work/after-graduation/about](https://canada.ca/en/immigration-refugees-citizenship/services/study-canada/work/after-graduation/about)**





## A community in a community

As a University of Guelph-Humber student, you are part of our close-knit university community, but also part of Humber's 20,000-student population on campus. Take advantage of both worlds! The support services and resources made available by Humber are yours, too.

For health issues, personal matters, academic assistance and other support, reach out to our campus services, including:

- > Aboriginal Resource Centre
- > Accessible Learning Services
- > Accounting Centre
- > Bookstore
- > Dental services
- > Food bank
- > Learning Commons (study areas)
- > LGBTQ+ resources
- > Library
- > Massage and spa relaxation
- > Math Centre
- > Media Equipment Centre
- > Mental health resources
- > Nurses and medical assistance
- > Peer tutoring
- > Personal counselling
- > Practice Presentation Rooms
- > Sexual Assault Awareness Workshops
- > Sleep lounge
- > Writing Centre

## Your safety

Your safety is paramount. Campus Security patrols the campus 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

The Campus Walk program provides a walking partner for anyone who wishes to be accompanied to their vehicle or elsewhere on campus.

The Humber Guardian app provides quick access to campus safety and security resources and emergency contacts.



# Life on Campus

Build your skills and social circle by participating in activities on campus.

## First-year students' programs and events

We want you to make the most of your university experience by participating in programs designed for you as a first-year student to meet people and get acquainted with the University.

**First Year Experience (FYE) Program:** Connect online with your FYE Leader throughout the summer to ease your transition to university. You meet other first-year students in your program, online and at Orientation. Mentoring and support from FYE Leaders continues through your first year.

**Orientation:** Connect with other incoming students at this fun, students-only, official welcome to life at the University. We'll get you set for classes and show you how to get involved and be successful.

[guelphhumber.ca/life/new-student-transition](http://guelphhumber.ca/life/new-student-transition)

## Clubs

Clubs are social, cultural or interest-based and can change year to year. Clubs are the best way to meet people who share your passions. If you don't find what you're looking for you can start your own! We've had clubs for games, pies, dancing, grilled cheese, music, sustainability, various cultures and more.

[guelphhumber.ca/life/clubs-sports](http://guelphhumber.ca/life/clubs-sports)

## Societies

Societies are related to our seven academic programs and offer a realm of activities outside of class with a focus on your field of interest. They can help you develop leadership skills, gain professional experience and network.

[guelphhumber.ca/life/societies](http://guelphhumber.ca/life/societies)

*"I was fortunate to become the President of the Women in Business society in my second year. My favourite part was meeting so many people—building relationships with other society executives, staff advisors and business professionals."*

> Brooklyn W., Business, 3<sup>rd</sup> year

## Student government

Interested in the political life and advocating for your fellow students? Consider becoming active in student government, such as Ignite or the University of Guelph Senate.

[guelphhumber.ca/life/student-government](http://guelphhumber.ca/life/student-government)

### Build a Co-Curricular Record (CCR)

Demonstrate to employers that you have hands-on experience and skills learned outside the classroom. Your CCR lists your participation in University clubs, societies, student government and other co-curricular activities.



## Events and social activities

The International Centre hosts a variety of social events and trips. Meet new people with shared interests.

Past trips have included camping at Killarney Provincial Park, sightseeing excursions to Niagara Falls and Montreal, enjoying the stunning panoramic views of Toronto from the CN tower and riding roller coasters at Canada's Wonderland.

[international.humber.ca](http://international.humber.ca)

## Athletic Centre

As a University of Guelph-Humber student, you have access to the Athletic Centre on campus, which offers:

- > Aerobic studio
- > Community pool
- > Gymnasiums
- > Multi-purpose sports fields
- > Weight and cardio room
- > Recreational sports leagues
- > Other off-campus activities

[humberathletics.ca](http://humberathletics.ca)

## Varsity athletics

Compete against other universities and colleges in the province and throughout the country. You can try out for either the University of Guelph Gryphons or Humber Hawks. For more information, visit University of Guelph Athletics at [gryphons.ca](http://gryphons.ca) or Humber Athletics at [humberhawks.ca](http://humberhawks.ca).





# How to Apply: Secondary School Applicants

## 1. Select one of our seven Honours Degree programs for fall entry

Please refer to pages 4 to 10 or [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents).

## 2. Check that admission requirements are met

Please refer to page 20 or [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-applicant](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-applicant) for full details.

## 3. Submit your application

Please submit your application by **March 1, 2020**. Application fees may apply.

Apply online:

**Ontario Universities' Application Centre**  
[ouac.on.ca](http://ouac.on.ca)

We recommend using the OUAC if you are applying to more than one university in Ontario.

Program codes:

- > Business (GDB)
- > Early Childhood Studies (GHE)
- > Family and Community Social Services (GHF)
- > Justice Studies (GMP)
- > Kinesiology (GHK)
- > Media Studies (GMT)
- > Psychology (GMA)

OR

**Our website**  
[guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-apply](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-apply)

If you are only applying to the University of Guelph-Humber (i.e., we are your only Ontario university applied to), we recommend using the link found on our website for a reduced application fee.

OR

**The Common Application**  
[commonapp.org](http://commonapp.org)

## 4. Submit your required documents

After we receive your application, Admission Services will email you a login and password for **WebAdvisor**, our online student administration system. This online account allows you to check what documents are required to submit for admission consideration and if documents have been received by Admission Services. Please check this account regularly.

Documents to submit for admission consideration:

### a) Official transcripts (required)

For us to consider your application for admission, please have your school Counsellor or Administrator send your official secondary school transcript and any other required documents to [admissions@guelphhumber.ca](mailto:admissions@guelphhumber.ca) by **March 1, 2020**. Your transcript must include all completed and in-progress courses and results at the senior level.

You will need to arrange to have your final official transcript sent from your school or through a credential verification organization, where applicable (e.g., Parchment, World Education Services), to Admission Services. Transcripts can be sent electronically or submitted in a sealed envelope from the originating institution. Our address is:

Admission Services  
University of Guelph-Humber  
207 Humber College Blvd  
Toronto, Ontario, M9W 5L7  
Canada

### b) Proof of English proficiency (may be required)

Please see details on page 21.

### c) Student Profile (optional supplementary information)

The Student Profile (SP) is your opportunity to tell us about factors that may have impacted your grades (positively or negatively). Profiles must be completed online at [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/student-profile](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/student-profile) and are due **May 1, 2020**.

*Please note: Documents submitted in support of an application become the property of the University and will not be returned. Documents are protected under provincial privacy legislation.*



# Admission Requirements

## Secondary school applicants

### To be considered an international applicant:

You currently live outside of Canada, and

- > You are not a Canadian citizen or permanent resident, and
- > You are not currently attending an Ontario high school day program (in Ontario or abroad)

The secondary school graduation certificate which would admit you to an internationally recognized university in your home country is normally acceptable for admission to the University of Guelph-Humber.

### To be considered for admission you must fulfill the three following criteria:

1. Country-specific admission requirements or international certification requirements
2. Subject requirements
3. English proficiency requirements

*Admission to University of Guelph-Humber programs is competitive. Possession of the minimum admission requirements does not guarantee admission.*

## Country-specific admission requirements

Find a complete list of country-specific requirements at [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-credentials](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-credentials).

## International certification requirements

### American Curriculum

For consideration, you must have a minimum cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 3.0 from a regionally accredited secondary school. If your school is inside the United States, you must submit an SAT with a minimum of 1100 in each component or a minimum ACT score of 24 (GPA, SAT and ACT scores will vary by degree). Senior level courses should include specific subjects that are required for admission to your degree program. Your school profile with grading scale should be included with your documents and sent through Parchment/Naviance whenever possible.

### British Patterned Education: General Certificate of Education (GCE)

Minimum of two Advanced Level passes and three GCSE or IGCSE (Ordinary Level) passes.

Two Advanced Supplementary subsidiary (AS) Level courses may be substituted for one Advanced Level Course.

You are expected to present a minimum 'A/B' or 6/7 grade on GCSE/IGCSE, AS and predicted Advanced Level examinations with a minimum of five unique subject areas. While consideration will be given to subject prerequisites at the GCSE/IGCSE Level, you are encouraged to present requirements at the AS or Advanced Level. Please note that general paper is not considered an acceptable subject.

## International Baccalaureate (IB)

If you are applying with an IB Diploma from outside Canada, you should present a minimum score of 24. Many programs will require a higher score for admission consideration. Reported bonus points will be taken into consideration.

You should complete the IB Diploma with six subjects: three Higher Level and three Standard Level. You should also include specific subject requirements for the program you are applying to among your Standard and Higher Level courses. If you are currently completing the IB Diploma, you will be considered for admission consideration based upon predicted IB scores. You should ensure that your anticipated scores are submitted using the 7-point scale.

Upon receipt of official final results from IB, we will assign specific transfer credits, where applicable, to a maximum of 2.0 credits for grades of 5 or better on Higher Level courses where you have been awarded the IB Diploma or DP Course.

To request an official transcript please contact the International Baccalaureate Organization at [ibna@ibo.org](mailto:ibna@ibo.org) to have results sent electronically to the University.

## Subject requirements

You should include among your senior level courses, the following subject-specific requirements at the advanced level.

Program	Subject requirements
Business	Senior level English Senior level math
Early Childhood Studies	Senior level English
Family and Community Social Services	Senior level English
Justice Studies	Senior level English
Kinesiology	Senior level English Senior level math Any two from biology, chemistry or physics
Media Studies	Senior level English
Psychology	Senior level English

Admission information is also available at [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-apply](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/international-apply).



## English proficiency requirements

Please provide proof of English proficiency if English is not your first language and you have studied less than four years full-time in an English language school (minimum secondary school level).

Accepted Test	Competence Level
Canadian Academic English Language Assessment (CAEL) <i>cael.ca</i>	Minimum overall band score of 70.
Cambridge English C1 Advanced and C2 Proficiency <i>cambridgeenglish.org</i>	Minimum overall score of 176 with no band less than 169.
International English Language Testing System (IELTS) <i>ielts.org</i>	Minimum overall score of 6.5 with no band less than 6.
Michigan English Language Assessment Battery (MELAB) <i>isa.umich.edu/eli/testing/melab</i>	Minimum overall score of 85, including composition score of 83 and oral score of 3.
Pearson Test of English (PTE) <i>pearsonpte.com</i>	Minimum score of 60 with no score less than 60 in the individual components.
Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) <i>toefl.org</i>	Internet based test (iBT) minimum total score of 89. A minimum score of 21 must be achieved in each of the four categories (listening, speaking, reading, writing).

Test results must be less than two years prior to your application. The Institution Code is 0892.

Successful completion of the University of Guelph, Open Learning Advanced Level of the English Language Certificate Program (Levels 9 and 10) is considered an acceptable form of proving your English proficiency. Visit [guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/english-language-requirements](http://guelphhumber.ca/futurestudents/english-language-requirements) for details.

## Transfer applicants

If you are an international applicant who has previously attended college or university, please contact Admission Services at [admissions@guelphhumber.ca](mailto:admissions@guelphhumber.ca) or +1.416.798.1331, extension 6332, to discuss your academic history and transfer options.

If you apply as a transfer applicant from an international college or university, your completed postsecondary

studies will be evaluated for potential transfer credit for the program to which you have applied. Other documents may be requested. We highly recommend that you have your international credentials evaluated prior to applying to determine how your credentials will be recognized in Canada. Credentials can be evaluated through World Education Services, at [wes.org](http://wes.org). Fees may apply.



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