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## **AGENDA**

- **□** The Basics
- **☐** Studying in Quebec
  - ☐ Language & Culture
  - **□** Application Process
  - □ Programs of Study
- **□** Financial Considerations
- **□** Specifics on our Universities
- **□** Q&A Period
- □ Breakout







### **QUEBEC 101**

- Population of 8.5 million
- Largest province (by area) in Canada
- French is the official language
- Greater Montreal, Quebec City,
   Gatineau and Sherbrooke are
   the largest cities
- Over 1 million rivers and streams
- Have you tried Poutine?





### **Important Considerations**

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- ☐ Finding Your Fit
  - ☐ Small vs. large population
  - Program considerations
  - ☐ Urban, suburban, or rural
- □ Contact Hours
  - 5-8 hours vs. 15+ hours, Access to your professors, Engagement
- Program Flexibility
  - ☐ Electives, program changes, unique combinations etc.
- Experiential Learning
  - ☐ Research Opportunities
  - ☐ Co-op, Teaching Assistantships, Internships, etc.

### DO YOU WANT TO...

- ☐ Stand out in future job interviews
- Be able to enhance your resume/CV
- □ Have stories to tell friends & family
- **□** Gain new experiences
- Meet new people from all over the world





### THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME!

Leaving home to study may seem intimidating, but it provides you with:

- Confidence
- New Relationships
- ☐ A Focused Study Zone, Free of Distractions
- ☐ A sense of Adventure





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### **MONEY MATTERS!**

# WHEN CHOOSING A PLACE TO STUDY, CONSIDER:

- ☐ Housing Availability
- Living Costs (Rent, Transportation, Utilities, etc.)
- ☐ Groceries/Food
- Tuition Rates



QUEBEC CONTINUES TO
OFFER SOME OF THE LOWEST
COSTS OF LIVING IN THE
COUNTRY & COMPETITIVE
INTERNATIONAL TUITION
RATES COMPARED TO OTHER
GLOBAL DESTINATIONS

### **Financial Considerations**



#### **Tuition Categories:**

Quebec (In-Province)

Canadian (Out-of-Province)

French/Franco-Belgian

International

Consider the conversion rate and/or the currency you're paying in



Price tag/costs in Canada are not a measure of quality, 98% of universities are public ensuring top quality regardless of the institution



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# A GEM TO DISCOVER...











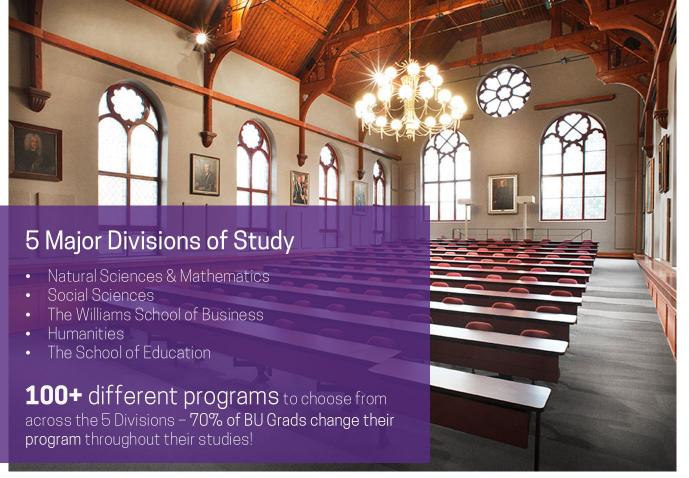












### Experiential Learning Opportunities:

- Co-op Programs
- Internships / Practicums
- Peer Tutoring
- Research
- Integrated Courses
- Funding Opportunities & Grants
- Entrepreneurship Programs
- Getting Paid or Earning Credits
- Bolster your Resume / Portfolio
- Grow your Network for the Future

Student support services include Career & Transition Services (CATS), zero-wait time Counseling Services, English Writing Centre, Student Accessibility Services, Health Clinic, & so much more!



### **ATHLETICS**

BASKETBALL(W/M)
RUGBY (W/M)
GOLF (W/M)
HOCKEY (W)
SOCCER (W)
LACROSSE (M)
FOOTBALL (M)

CLUBS, ACADEMIC SOCIETIES, STUDENT GOVERNMENT, & SO MUCH MORE!















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March 1 Deadline for international students to apply and be considered for Fall entry (High School, College and University transfers) & Competitive Scholarships and Awards and Bursaries application deadline.

**June 15** Residence application deadline.

Applications accepted directly on our website & Common App

Required Documents: Copy of all relevant score reports (predicted scores are acceptable)

 We will also accept any supplemental documentation a student wishes to submit (CV, Personal Statement, etc.) but it's <u>NOT</u> required

Rolling Admission: You could receive an answer from us within 10-15 Business Days of applying







# McGill University

#### Immerse yourself in culture

English-language university in a francophone province Located in Montréal, Québec (Tiohtià:ke)

#### Historic meets modern

Established in 1821

# Endless possibilities, locally, nationally and internationally

Public, research-intensive university

A degree recognized for its excellence across the globe



# Earn a degree that opens doors internationally

McGill boasts a network of over 300,000 alumni, working and living in 180 countries.

#1 University in Canada for scholarships and bursaries

(Maclean's Magazine, 2023)

10 Nobel Prizes

147 Rhodes Scholars

/\*1 in Canada among research universities

(2023 Maclean's University Ranking)

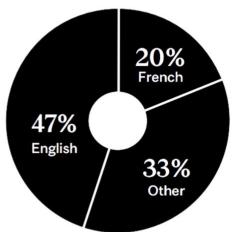
#30 in the world

(QS 2024 University Ranking)

International
Sustainability Institution
of 2019

(International Green Gown Awards)

# A multilingual Experience



**MOTHER TONGUE** 

All figures based on 2022 enrolments

30-40% Anglo-Allo

+30% Equal

Distribution of the language most spoken at home on Montreal Island (StatCan 2011)

40-90% Anglophone 40-90% Allophone 30-40% Franco-Anglo

30-40% Franco-Allo

40-90% Francophone

# Build your own degree Over 300 programs

#### **Downtown Campus**

- Architecture
- Arts
- Education
- Engineering
- Management

- Nursing
- Physical & Occupational Therapy
- Science
- Social work

### Macdonald Campus

- Agricultural & Environmental Sciences
- School of Nutrition
- Bioresource Engineering

#### Terminology

Major

Minor

**Honours** 

Concentration

**Electives** 



# Admission Requirements are determined by your

#### **Educational Background**

The curriculum you are following and the diploma you obtain

#### **Program Choice**

Prerequisite course requirements vary by program

#### We do not review:

Citizenship or residency, legacy information, interviews, essays, extracurricular activities (exceptions apply for some programs)

### **Application Process**

### **Application**

October 1st to January 15th

- One application fee for two program selections
- Opt-in for residence during application

### Supporting documents

Deadline March 1st

- Transcripts
- · Proof of English proficiency, if required

No statement of purpose, reference letters, essays or extracurricular information.

Programs with additional requirements: Music, Religious Studies and Social Work



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We hope to see you on our campuses in the future!

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