



Laurentian University
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QUICK FACTS ON LAURENTIAN

- A 750-acre campus surrounded by nature and five freshwater lakes
- 35 kilometres of trails used year-round for hiking, skiing, biking, and snowshoeing
- Private beach, playing fields, and tennis courts
- Small class sizes
- Bilingual and multicultural
- Unique research and educational opportunities

ABOUT SUDBURY

The Laurentian University campus is nestled among five freshwater lakes, including Ramsey Lake, which is the jewel of the city and a major gathering place for the entire community.

Combining urban amenities, accessible outdoor recreation and a friendly atmosphere, Sudbury's small-town flavour and big-city appeal make it a great city to live and study in.

The city is located within traditional Ojibwe lands and surrounded by many First Nation communities including Whitefish Lake and Wahnapiatae First Nations. Sudbury is a multicultural and multilingual city, counting Italian, Finnish, Polish, Chinese, Ukrainian, and Croatian people among its 160,000 residents. Sudbury has the third-largest francophone population in Canada outside of Quebec.

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LAURENTIAN RESEARCH GROWTH SURGES



BY LAURA E. YOUNG

FUNDING FOR RESEARCH at Laurentian University increased more than any other Canadian university. According to Research Infosource Inc., which ranks Canada's top 50 universities, research at Laurentian grew

cuts a wide swath through northern Ontario, reaching far beyond the ground-breaking discoveries and work at the world-renowned Sudbury Neutrino Observatory (SNO) and CEMI.

Laurentian researchers are also helping beleaguered communities that

She credits Laurentian's strategic plan for research that focuses on five key areas: mineral studies, health, SNO, the environment, and cultural and regional development. In most cases, PhD studies are also linked to these programs. New PhD programs in boreal ecology, northern and rural

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133 per cent in 2005/2006, a jump of 103 per cent from the previous year.

From research into stressed aquatic systems and world water issues, mosquito traps that reduce the rate of the West Nile virus, studies addressing high rates of smoking in aboriginal youth, to helping the mining industry cope with deep mining challenges – the scope of research at Laurentian is as broad and varied as the northland the university serves.

In 2006, Laurentian received more than \$38 million in research funding.

To contrast, in 2003, Laurentian received about \$9 million in research funding.

Liette Vasseur, Laurentian's associate vice-president of research, is pleased by the ranking, but notes that research

have relied on forestry. Some members of Laurentian's Institute of Northern Ontario Research and Development (INORD) are part of a Natural Resources Canada study that is promoting economic and social development in northern Ontario.

For Vasseur, all the different research projects “show that the research may be fundamental at the start, but it becomes applied when we transfer and try to work with the communities at the same time.”

Laurentian's relatively small size – with full-time enrolment of just over 6,000 students – is also a benefit, says Vasseur. This size “lends itself to collaborative research and interdisciplinary research at the same time. The collaboration may be between departments, but also with industry.”

health, and human studies have been added since 2005.

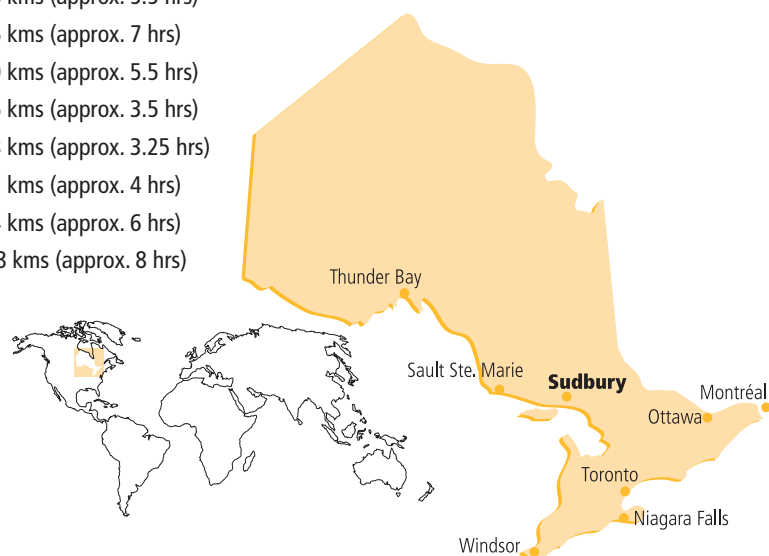
Laurentian faculty is involved in more than 250 funded projects in all academic fields. There is a healthy mixture of fundamental and applied research. “You want to have a balance because fundamental research is critical for future applications, for future understanding and knowledge transfer. At the same time, applied research in all areas can be useful. It can be in terms of invention. It can be in terms of policy-making. It can be in terms of new development and prosperity.”

Research Infosource Inc. is a leading Canadian provider of research intelligence for business and higher education. For more information on Laurentian's new top ranking, visit: www.researchinfosource.com.

Sudbury is closer than you think!

Driving distances

- Hamilton 440 kms (approx. 5 hrs)
- Kapuskasing..... 461 kms (approx. 5 hrs)
- London..... 548 kms (approx. 5.5 hrs)
- Montréal 686 kms (approx. 7 hrs)
- Ottawa..... 490 kms (approx. 5.5 hrs)
- Sault Ste. Marie... 306 kms (approx. 3.5 hrs)
- Timmins 298 kms (approx. 3.25 hrs)
- Toronto..... 392 kms (approx. 4 hrs)
- Wawa..... 544 kms (approx. 6 hrs)
- Windsor..... 728 kms (approx. 8 hrs)



IMPORTANT DATES

- May 1** Deadline for students to apply for Laurentian University Entrance Awards
- May 26** Deadline for universities to send response to Ontario secondary school students
- May 28** Deadline for students to respond to their offer of admission
- May 28** Deadline to submit residence application

STARTING POINT

May 24 & 25
 Spend a weekend with us on our beautiful campus for a taste of what it is really like to be a student!

CAMPUS TOURS

Monday to Friday at 10 a.m. or 1 p.m.
 Explore your options. Book a campus tour and/or academic counselling session.

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Updates

Programs

- Engineering: B.Eng. in Mechanical Engineering is now offered as a full four-year program
- Human Kinetics: Health Promotion is now fully bilingual

Admissions

- 4U Advanced Functions is replacing 4U Calculus where required for admission
- Calculus and Vectors is strongly recommended where an additional 4U Mathematics course is required

Awards

Student Athletic Awards

As of September 2007, student-athletes entering first year with an average of 80 per cent or more may be eligible for scholarships of up to \$3,500 annually.

CNFS

Laurentian University is one of 10 postsecondary institutions that constitutes the Consortium national de formation en santé (CNFS). Its goal is to increase access to French-language training programs in health and to contribute to the development of health-related research on francophone communities outside Quebec.

Laurentian University's CNFS invites students enrolled in French undergraduate or graduate program to apply for a bursary for the upcoming academic year.

2008 Colloquium

Every year, Liaison Services offers a day of professional development for counsellors interested in acquiring an in-depth knowledge of Laurentian University and its community. This year's event will take place in June. Invitations will be sent out soon.

www.explore.laurentian.ca

Welcome to the Laurentian University website designed for secondary school professionals. Our goal is to provide you with the most current information about everything from applications and admissions, scholarships and bursaries, important tools for both you and your students, and much more about Laurentian.

Not sure about what you want to study?

Explore a variety of fields at Laurentian University with a BA or B.Sc.

What does this mean exactly?

In your first year of study, you can study in up to five different areas, one of which is almost guaranteed to grab your attention.

In second year you will declare your area of concentration and be on the path to success!

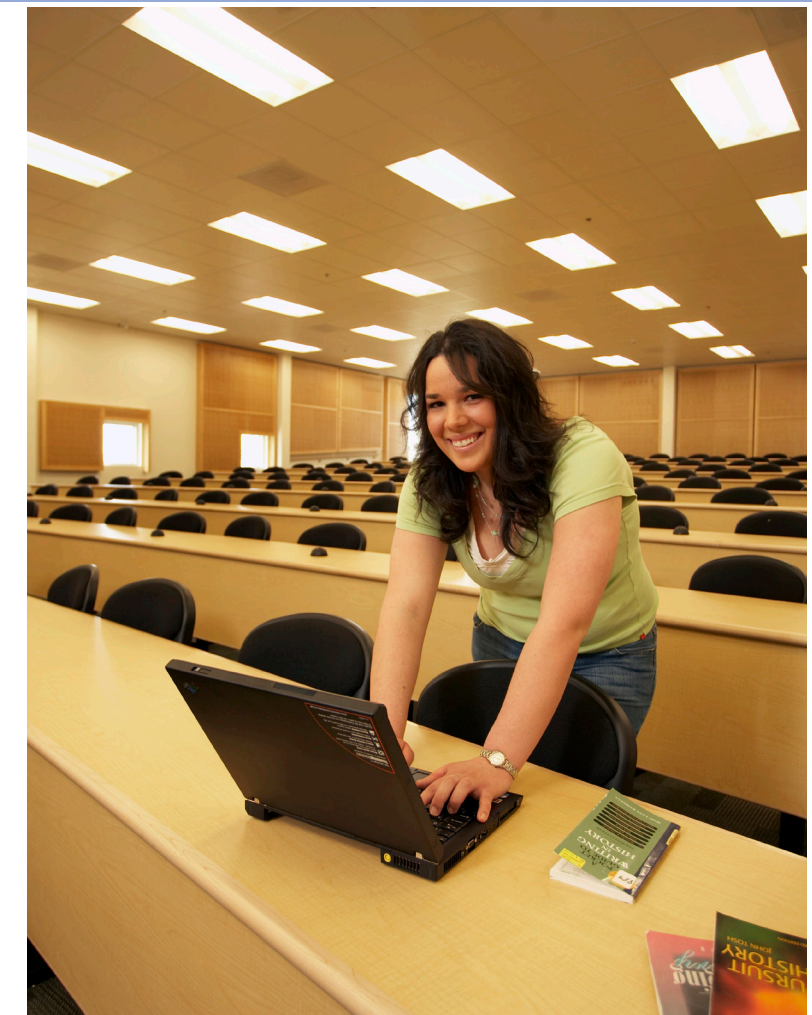
Admission information

Applicants with an International Baccalaureate

The International Baccalaureate is accepted for admission to Laurentian University providing the applicant possesses a minimum score of 28 and has completed the diploma with six subjects: three higher-level and three standard-level. Transfer credits may be granted for higher-level courses with grades of five or more.

Applicants with Advanced Placement

Applicants who have completed Advanced Placement (AP) courses in appropriate subjects with a grade of four or more may receive transfer credits equivalent to a maximum of two courses (12 credits). Applicants must also meet the regular university admission requirements since AP courses are not accepted in lieu of these.



FAQs

How does Laurentian calculate the average for admission?

For admission and award purposes, Laurentian calculates averages based on the top six marks from grade 12 or 4U/M courses, regardless of prerequisites for the intended program of study.

How does Laurentian deal with repeated courses?

If a student had to repeat a course, Laurentian will take the best of the two marks.

If a student enrolls in an alternate program, will he/she lose time and money?

As the alternate programs are general, in most cases the courses will be carried over as electives to the student's upper years of study.

Class sizes

Class sizes are calculated for the following subset of data found in the Laurentian's central information system on March 4 2008:

Academic Level	Academic year	2007-2008
Undergraduate	1st Year	33.4
	2nd Year	24.5
	3rd Year	17.2
	4th Year	17.4
Average		22.1
Graduate	Undifferentiated	7.2
Average		7.2
Grand Average		20.3

Alternate offers

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If a student is not offered admission to a limited enrolment program, Laurentian will offer the student admission to an alternate program of study. At the end of year one, students often have the opportunity to re-apply to their first program of interest.



Applied limited enrolment program	Alternate program offered
Arts d'expression	Arts (BA)
Concurrent Education with Arts	Arts (BA)
Concurrent Education with Science	Science (B.Sc.)
E-Business	Commerce (B.Com.)
Engineering	Science or Liberal Science (B.Sc.)
Forensic Science	Liberal Science (B.Sc.)
Human Kinetics	Arts (BA)
Kinesiology	Science (B.Sc.)
Midwifery	Arts (BA)
Nursing	Liberal Science (B.Sc.)
Sports Administration	Commerce (B.Com.)