

# Your Path To Success

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	First Year	Middle Years	Final Year	Other Skills You'll Earn
Academics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attend an enrolment-planning workshop with the Academic Advising team</li> <li>Consult your program requirements in the <b>Academic Calendar</b></li> <li>Start/continue your language journey; visit our <b>language-learning support</b> centres</li> <li>Take courses such as <i>Moral Questions and Social Policies</i> and <i>Truth, Mind and Reality</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Take courses such as <i>Sex, Love and the Family</i>, <i>An Introduction to Existentialism</i>, <i>Belief, Truth and Knowledge</i> and <i>International Justice</i></li> <li>Request a progress report and meet with your academic advisor</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Take specialized seminars on such topics as truth, contemporary political philosophy, metaphysics or the work of specific philosophers, such as Descartes, Kant or Wittgenstein</li> <li>Plan for your bilingual or trilingual certification; apply for the exam</li> <li>Get your degree audit</li> <li>Apply to graduate</li> </ul>	<p><b>Communication, Data Gathering &amp; Organizational Skills</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gather information from various sources and concentrate on what is relevant</li> <li>Interpret and analyze contemporary and historical sources of information</li> <li>Identify unspoken presuppositions and scrutinize them critically</li> <li>Summarize and explain complex ideas clearly to others, orally and in writing</li> <li>Apply complex theoretical concepts to everyday practice and professional dilemmas</li> <li>Collect and assess various types of information, analyze and incorporate potential links from different fields, put them into writing and efficiently convey your message and the goal of your work</li> </ul> <p><b>Management &amp; Teamwork</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Interpret and analyze information presented by peers; efficiently and constructively support or challenge peer proposals, theories, ideas and reports to achieve a project's intended result</li> <li>Lead and interact with a variety of people with different approaches and personal and professional backgrounds</li> <li>Debate, persuade, mediate and present your thoughts and opinions</li> <li>Recognize and incorporate potential solutions or applications to problems</li> <li>Identify priorities and proper courses of action, plan the execution of tasks, and determine and delegate responsibilities to group members to effectively carry out projects</li> </ul>
Get Involved	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Participate in orientation activities like JumpStart and Frosh Week</li> <li>Join a club, such as the Glendon Debate Society, Glendon Model United Nations or Glendon Student Caucus</li> <li>Visit the <b>Salon francophone</b> or <b>ESL Open Learning Centre</b></li> <li>Meet the Student Life Coordinator</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Become a Peer Mentor</li> <li>Join the Student Union and develop your leadership skills</li> <li>Represent students' voices in university governance and/or committees – an excellent opportunity to practice the critical thinking, analysis, and persuasion skills developed in your studies</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Spread the word about clubs, organizations and events you have enjoyed and have helped you get connected on campus</li> <li>Become a Glendon Ambassador</li> </ul>	
Gain Experience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enrol in courses featuring case studies and debates around real-world problems, such as <i>Critical Thinking</i> and <i>Business Ethics</i></li> <li>Contact the <b>Experiential Education office</b> to find opportunities</li> <li>Develop your digital media skills at the <b>Glendon Digital Media Lab</b></li> <li>Articulate your skills through Becoming YU</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage in research with a professor through the Research Apprenticeship Program</li> <li>Pursue your passion project in <b>G21, Glendon's inquiry-based incubator</b>,</li> <li>Develop your entrepreneurial project in <b>GENIAL</b>, Glendon's business incubator for francophone and bilingual startups, and social innovation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Work on practical challenges by enrolling in the <b>Cross-Campus Capstone Classroom (C4)</b></li> <li>Do a work placement in an elective course</li> </ul>	
Think Globally	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learn another language – 20 languages are taught at Glendon and Keele Campuses, including French, Spanish and Ojibwe!</li> <li>Develop your intercultural skills</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Consider an exchange abroad or with one of our partner universities in Quebec</li> <li>Enrol in <i>Le français par l'expérience</i> to expand your knowledge of French and francophone culture by doing a work placement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Volunteer with organizations that have a focus on international issues or diversity in Canada</li> <li>Attend the <b>Glendon Global debates</b></li> </ul>	
Plan Your Future	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Build your transferable skills by participating in workshops about skills and career development</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore career options and learn more about the skills required</li> <li>Discover career opportunities by connecting with alumni</li> <li>Book an appointment with the Career Centre to start working on your resumé, cover letters and interview skills</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Attend Glendon's Bilingual Job Fair and networking events</li> <li>Use the Career Centre to enhance your resumé and LinkedIn profile; learn new job search techniques</li> <li>Attend a workshop on grad school applications</li> <li>Join a professional association in your field</li> </ul>	<p><b>Admission Requirements</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Ontario Secondary School Diploma or equivalent with an average* in the mid to high 70s</li> <li>Minimum of six 4U or 4M courses, including 4U English (ENG4U) or FRA4U</li> <li>A combination of U and M courses; OACs are accepted</li> <li>Proficiency in English <b>OR</b> French</li> </ul> <p>* Average is calculated based on the top six 4U; 4M or DU courses</p>
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