

Exchange Guide

Canada's #1 undergraduate university

Mount Allison University is ranked the #1 undergraduate university in Canada by *Maclean's* 2018. The University offers a flexible liberal arts and sciences education that prepares students for any career path and to enter into professional and graduate programs. Mount Allison prides itself on providing a high-quality academic experience, combined with a variety of hands-on learning opportunities in a close-knit community.

Academics

Mount Allison University offers exchanges at the undergraduate level. There are more than 40 academic programs to choose from and exchange students can mix and match courses from any of our programs based on their interests. Our degrees are offered in four years and courses are typically offered as the following:

First-year courses: **1000 level**

Second-year courses: **2000 level**

Third-year courses: **3000 level**

Fourth-year courses: **4000 level**

Exchange students can take upper-year courses provided they have the appropriate pre-requisite from their home university.

view the list of programs ► www.mta.ca/programs

Degrees find out more ► www.mta.ca/degrees

Bachelor of Arts

Bachelor of Fine Arts

Bachelor of Science

Bachelor of Music

Bachelor of Commerce

At-a-glance

Established: **1839**

Location: **Sackville, New Brunswick, Canada**

Population: **5,500**

Student body: **2,300**

% of international students: **10%**

Student-to-faculty ratio: **17:1**

Average first-year class size: **60**

Classes with 30 students or less: **60%**

2018 *Maclean's* University Rankings: **#1 primarily undergraduate university in Canada. The University has been ranked #1 more times than any other university (19 of the past 27 years).**

Rhodes Scholars: **54 — one of the best records in the country**

3M National Teaching Fellows: **8 — Canada's top teaching honour**

Canada Research Chairs: **3 — the highest research honour in the country**

62
nationalities
represented

Living in Sackville, New Brunswick, Canada find out more ► www.mta.ca/idealtown

Sackville is a safe, welcoming, and inclusive small town surrounded by nature. The downtown is just a five-minute walk from campus, you can drive to all major centres in the region in two hours or less, and an international airport is less than a 30-minute drive away. Students will find the cost of living much lower than other Canadian destinations.

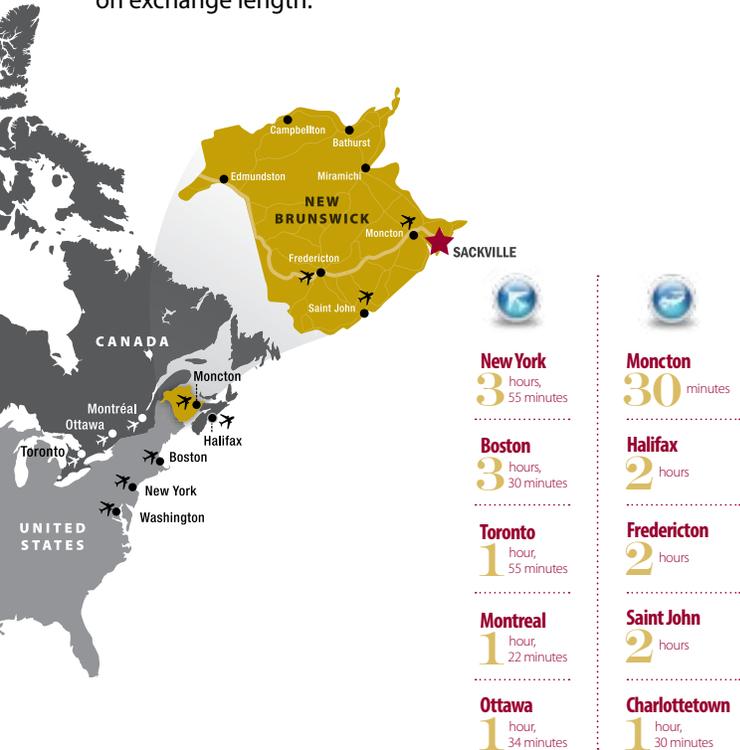
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Check out our Q&A video series: www.youtube.com/mountallison

Exchange options

Mount Allison has two academic terms. The fall term begins on the first Tuesday in September and ends in mid December. There is a one-week fall term reading break in November that allows students time to travel and explore the region. The winter term begins early in January and ends in late April. There is also a one-week winter term reading break in late February. Exchange students can choose to come for the fall term, the winter term, or a full academic year (two terms). Check with your home university to see if there are restrictions on exchange length.



Mount Allison — the perfect exchange destination

There is so much to explore on exchange at Mount Allison. It is truly a once-in-a-lifetime experience. Exchange students are a very vibrant part of the university community and because it's a small campus, it is easy to build relationships with students from around the world.

Mount Allison University is located in the Maritime region. It is a very friendly and culturally-rich place and some of the things we are famous for include seafood (specifically lobster, mussels, and oysters), beaches, lighthouses, hiking in Canadian national parks, and rich Acadian and Indigenous cultures. The International Centre organizes trips and activities throughout the year to allow exchange students to experience the region.

Residence

On-campus residence rooms are guaranteed for exchange students. There are single and double rooms available. Once exchange students have paid the registration deposit they can complete the residence application and will be placed in a room in one of the eight on-campus residences.

Important links

Exchange students: www.mta.ca/international/students

Residence: www.mta.ca/residence

For students with disabilities: www.mta.ca/meighen

Student life: www.mta.ca/studentlife

Academic calendar: www.mta.ca/calendar

Fees (based on full-year exchange)

Residence double room: \$5,175 CAD

Unlimited dining plan: \$4,898 CAD

Full-time student organization fees: \$723.50 CAD

International student basic medical coverage: \$685 CAD.

Other fees: \$1,117 CAD

Textbooks (estimate): \$2,500 CAD

Total: \$15,098 CAD

**Exchange students who have insurance from their home university or home country may be eligible to opt out of the extended health and dental coverage and receive a refund. All information is current at time of printing and is subject to change. Please visit www.mta.ca/fees for complete cost and fee information.*

HOW TO APPLY

If you are interested in coming to Mount Allison on exchange, please check with your home university to make sure we are partner universities. Your home university will need to nominate you as an exchange student and then you can complete the application form for visiting exchange students. Application deadlines are May 15 for the fall term and October 15 for the winter term.

find out more ►

www.mta.ca/international/students

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