

Faculty of Arts & Science Update

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Applying

Admission Categories

Computer Science

Humanities

Life Sciences

Mathematical & Physical Sciences

Rotman Commerce

Social Sciences





Applying

New! Alternate Admission Category Choice

- Students applying to Computer Science or Rotman Commerce have the option of selecting a second admission category for consideration
- Selecting an alternate admission category will not impact consideration for first choice





College Preferences

Applicants select top 3 college preferences on OUAC

All A&S students are assigned membership in a college



College Preferences



“How do I choose?”

Research your options

<https://www.artsci.utoronto.ca/future/student-experience/college-system>

Membership Process

Innis, Victoria, Trinity = #1

Think about: architecture, residence style, community culture, location, history

There is no wrong way to select college preferences

98% students admitted to top 3 choice

College Preferences



College Supplementals

- Trinity College
 - Deadline: Rolling
 - Available on Trinity website
 - **New:** Required for 101 and 105
- Victoria College
 - Deadline: February 1, 2021
 - Available in Join Portal
 - Required for 101 and 105

Computer Science Supplemental Application



Computer Science Supplemental

- Available on Join portal
- 4 personal, short-answer questions (90-120 words each)
- No technical knowledge required
- Not timed
- [First Year Admission Guarantee](#) for Computer Science major/minor/specialist

Deadlines:

- Early recommended deadline: **December 10**
- Final deadline: February 1



International Foundation Program (IFP)

TIP: If students meet the admission requirements but not English Language Requirements, consider applying for the International Foundation Program (IFP)

No automatic consideration for IFP



Admission Categories

<https://www.artsci.utoronto.ca/future/ready-apply/admission-categories/humanities>

Humanities Admission Category

Students in the humanities study all aspects of human culture, including language, literature, history, philosophy, fine art, architecture, cinema, classics, culture, religion, drama and music. From ancient Egypt to post-colonial literature, from languages to the civilizations of Asia, a wide variety of courses and programs in the humanities provide students with the knowledge, intellectual skills and habits of thought indispensable to a modern education.

Things You Need to Know

[Admission requirements for the Humanities admission category](#)

[How to go from the Humanities admission category to a program of study](#)

[How to prepare for admission into your program of study at the end of first year](#)

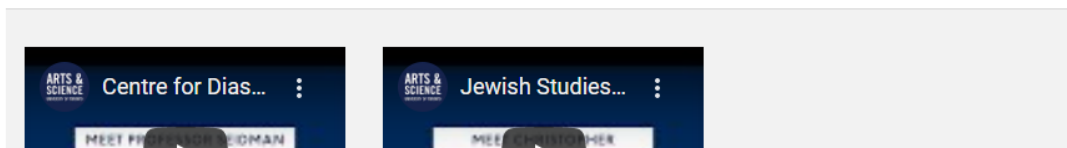
Program List

With over 80 programs of study to choose from, Humanities offers a whole world of history, art and culture for you to discover. Start exploring our programs below.

[Humanities \(H.B.A.\)](#)

Meet Faculty and Students

Hear what Humanities professors and students have to say about their programs.



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How to Apply

<https://www.artsci.utoronto.ca/future/ready-apply/how-apply>



Check Application Deadlines

We encourage you to apply early. Be sure to check the website for important dates and deadlines for applying to our program. We encourage you to complete your application early, as programs are filled on an ongoing basis.



Do your research

Browse our programs to find the [admission category](#) you should select on your application. When applying to the Faculty of Arts & Science you will not apply to a program of study but rather to a general area of study, known as an admission category. When you apply, choose one of our six admission categories.

Review admission requirements for your admission category and the University's English Language Requirements. If you meet the admission requirements but not English Language Requirements, consider applying for the [International Foundation Program \(IFP\)](#).



Learn more about the college communities

When you apply to the Faculty of Arts & Science, you will be asked to select your college membership preferences. Be sure to do your research to [discover which college](#) is the right fit for you as you will be asked to select your preferences at the time of application. Every Arts & Science student is a member of a college, your college choice is personal preference and they are all good choices



Determine your OUAC Application Type

To apply to the Faculty of Arts & Science, you will need to apply through the Ontario Universities Application Centre (OUAC). There are three types of applications you can choose from:

- **101 application:** if you are currently studying at an Ontario high school.
- **105 application:** if you are currently NOT attending an Ontario high school and want to apply to multiple universities in Ontario.
- **University of Toronto International Application:** if you currently reside outside of Canada, are not currently studying (and have not previously studied, in Canada), AND are not applying to any other Ontario university.

You can review the full criteria for these three [applications on the OUAC website](#) to ensure you are using the right application.



Complete Your OUAC Application

Create your [OUAC](#) account in order to apply. On this application, you will be asked to select the admission category you'd like to apply to and your top three college preferences. This step will only take you 10-15 minutes to complete because it is simply a biographical application. There is no document submission at this point.



Enable Join U of T Portal

After submitting your application through the OUAC, you will be required to enable your JOINid and log in to the [Join U of T](#) applicant website. Instructions will be emailed to you approximately a week after we receive your OUAC application.

On the Join U of T portal, you can track the status of your application, submit your transcripts and other required documents, and get access to the residence application. Depending on your school curriculum, you may be asked to complete a self-reported grades form. If the self-reported grades form is listed in your Join U of T portal, it is important that you complete this form to be considered for admission.



Complete supplemental applications

You may be required to complete supplemental applications. Both Computer Science and Rotman Commerce admission categories require supplemental applications to be considered for admission, you will find these on your [Join U of T Portal](#).

If you selected the Computer Science or Rotman Commerce admission categories, you will have the option of selecting a second admission category for consideration on the Join portal.

Trinity College and Victoria College also have supplemental applications in order to be considered for membership to their college.



Submit all required documents listed in your Join portal

You must complete your application by submitting all the required documents listed on your [Join U of T portal](#) by the posted deadline for your application to be assessed for admission. We encourage you to complete your application early, as programs are filled on an ongoing basis.



Already Applied

<https://www.artsci.utoronto.ca/future/already-applied/do-while-you-wait>

Next Steps

You've applied! Now what? Admission to the Faculty of Arts & Science begins in February, but in the meantime, you will receive emails about your application, upcoming events and more. And there is a lot you can do to learn more about life at U of T while you wait.



Check your Join U of T Portal regularly and submit updated transcripts

We encourage you to check your [Join U of T Portal](#) regularly for updates to the status of your application and to submit any updated required documents as early as possible for admission consideration.



Indicate your interest in residence

Residence is guaranteed for all new full-time undergraduate students who are entering university for the first time and receive and accept an offer of admission before the deadline. To secure the [residence guarantee](#), you must first complete the First Year StarRez application available on your [Join U of T portal](#).



Consider applying to a First-Year Foundations Ones Programs

[First-Year Foundations Ones Programs](#) offer small class settings for first-year students with an emphasis on community development and experiential learning. The Ones programs are themed-based and offered by all seven colleges and the Munk School of Global Affairs and Public Policy. You can enroll in a Ones program regardless of your college affiliation or admission category. The Ones are a great way to enhance your first-year experience and ease your transition to university life.

Munk One, Trinity One, SMC One, and Vic One require an application. Be sure to check the deadlines on your [Join Portal](#). Innis One, New One, Woodsworth One and UC One do not require an application. Instead, you add them to your timetable during course selection in July.

Future Students

Student Experience

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To Do While You Wait

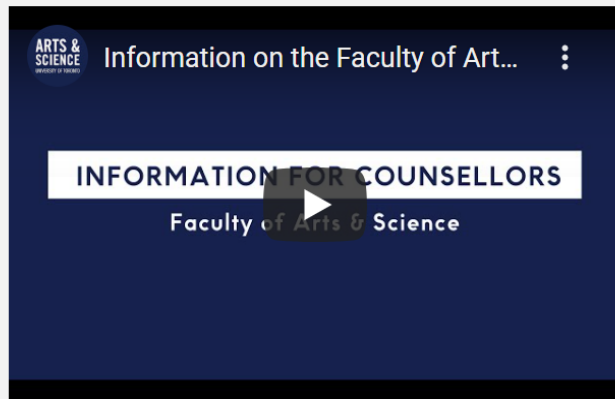
Already Admitted?

Connect with Us



Counsellor Resources

<https://www.artsci.utoronto.ca/future/contact-us/counsellors>



Welcome Counsellors, Advisors and Educators

We're here to support you and your students throughout the application process. Find the most up-to-date information about admissions, program requirements and other helpful resources for the Faculty of Arts & Science at the St. George campus below.

Already Applied?

Connect with Us

Virtual Webcasts and Webchats

Counsellors

Educator Resources

Meet our Recruiters

Join Our Counsellor Mailing List

[Complete this application form](#) to receive important application updates, get details about upcoming events, and to stay connected with the University of Toronto.

Admission

Admissions average calculations will be made based on Grade 11 finals and any available Grade 12 finals/midterms (in progress), with emphasis on courses specific to the program to which students have applied to. If a student presents a course at both the



Scholarships & Awards

Automatic consideration for all applicants – domestic and international

Students are considered for Faculty of Arts & Science awards as well as college-specific scholarships

Entrance awards as well as renewable scholarships for international students



Upcoming Events



A&S Virtual Events

- Getting Started at Arts & Science
- The Colleges
- The Art of Double Majoring
- Admission Category Webinars
- **New:** Meet to Complete Workshops

<https://www.artsci.utoronto.ca/future/contact-us/virtual-webcasts-and-webchats>



Upcoming Events

Ontario High Schools



Arts & Science in the classroom!

Faculty members bring the A&S experience to your Gr. 11 and Gr.12 Math & Science classroom

Some examples:

- **Virtual Tour: Observatory and Telescope**
- **Earth Sciences workshop:**
Application of the physics of light:
reflected light microscope
- **Math workshop:** A hands-on experiment on spectroscopy: Building your own spectrometers

Meet our Recruiters!

Schedule a 1-on-1 video chat



Meet our Recruiters

Our recruitment team provides counselling and advising for prospective students and their parents/guardians interested in applying to the Faculty of Arts & Science at the University of Toronto.

We encourage you to connect with us and sign up for a video chat. We are here to answer your questions and help you complete your application.

Our recruitment officers are experts in admission requirements for all Canadian and international school systems. If you do not see your region listed below, you can sign up for a video chat with any one in our team.



Jan Braun

Hometown: Osler, Saskatchewan

I recruit in: Germany, Philippines, Thailand, Vietnam, Saskatchewan, Manitoba and Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Prior to my work as a Recruitment Officer, I worked in student advising across a couple of different divisions at the U of T. I take my experience as a 'first in the family' student, who attended two different institutions in different areas of Canada, to break down barriers to post-secondary education and provide easy-to-access information for prospective students. Calling on an appreciative style of advising, it's my hope to explore your options, ensuring that you have the information needed to make an application plan.

Born and raised on a farm in Saskatchewan, I've lived in Hamburg, Germany, parts of Ontario, and Winnipeg, Manitoba. I've worn many hats in my life including small-business owner, Executive Director of a small non-profit, director of website development, and dairy farmer.

Ask me about #Applications; #Admissions; #FacultyofArtsandScience; #Athletics; #TheColleges; #St.GeorgeCampus, #Arts&CultureTO, #CycleTO; #LetsGoBluejays

[Register for a video chat >](#)



Kelli Brenton

Hometown: Ontario, Canada

I recruit in: UK, Switzerland, France, HK, Macau, Taiwan, Pittsburgh, Ohio and Ottawa, Ontario

Ask me all of your study abroad, international experience questions and admissions questions! Having participated in exchange, summer abroad and spring break abroad opportunities during my own undergraduate degree, I love to speak about the many global opportunities available to students. With experience working in different universities in Canada and around the world, I know admissions can be a bit complicated - let's figure it out together!

Outside of my work, I am an avid coffee drinker and frequent traveler. You can often find me exploring new neighbourhoods in Toronto and looking for the best used-book stores in the city!

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Ting Li

Hometown: Beijing, China

I recruit in: Belgium, China, Japan, Korea, Singapore, Indonesia, Minnesota, British Columbia and Alberta

I am a recruitment officer at the University of Toronto, focusing on international students recruitment and the admissions. I graduated with a Bachelor of Commerce degree and received a Master of Business Administration degree from the Schulich School of Business. Having been an international student myself, I can really relate to the obstacles and challenges that international students might have as new comers to this country. I am looking forward to meeting you, answering all your questions and telling you what the University of Toronto has to offer.

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THANK YOU!

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