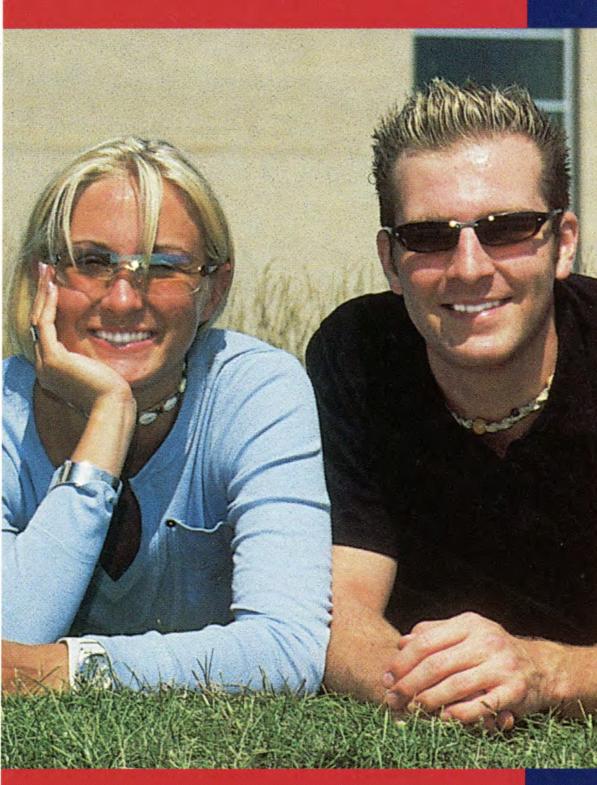
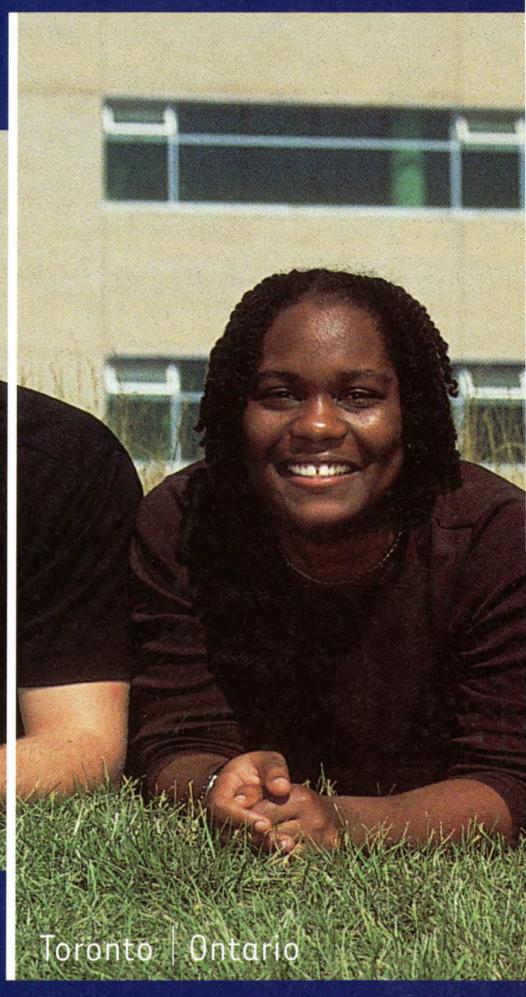
HOMBER COLLEGE LIBRARY

# GUELPH HUMBER

FOR BEETERSONSE







LEARN MORE • DO MORE

2005

An Honours University Degree and a Diploma in just four years!



#### Presidents' Welcome

#### A Combination for SUCCESS



Robert A. Gordon • Alastair Summerlee

#### WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER

The University of Guelph-Humber is an innovative and exciting educational opportunity in Toronto. A timely and popular option for postsecondary education, the University of Guelph-Humber builds on the combined strengths of the University of Guelph and Humber College Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning – two of Ontario's leading educational institutions.

The University of Guelph-Humber provides the advanced theoretical education of a university degree integrated with the professional knowledge of a college diploma – all in just four years!

Our programs have been designed to meet the emerging demands of employers for strategic skills including critical thinking, computer expertise and leadership. Faculty from both Guelph and Humber have consulted with industry leaders to develop a rigorous curriculum that leads to the world of work, university-level graduate studies, or further study at professional schools.

You will gain experience with the professional world through career placements and industry-linked projects, and will be guided and taught by experienced faculty from both Guelph and Humber – leaders in research and industry.

The University of Guelph-Humber has combined the best of both worlds – all in a new state-of-the-art facility – to prepare you to meet the challenges of the future.

We wish you the best in your educational pursuits,

Alastair Summerlee

President

University of Guelph

Robert A. Gordon

President

Humber College Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning

In April 2003, Humber was one of three colleges designated an "Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning" by the Ontario Government, and is now known as Humber College Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning (ITAL).

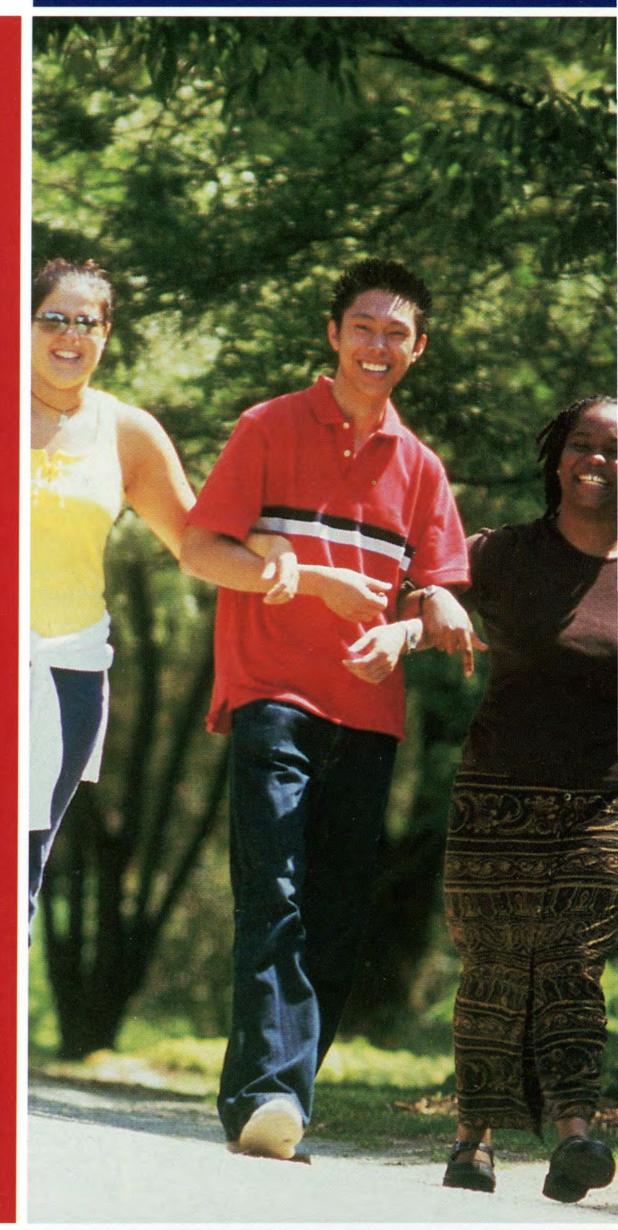
#### WHY CHOOSE THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER?

Our students give many reasons for choosing to study at the University of Guelph-Humber. Here are just a few:

- The ability to earn an honours university degree and a diploma in only four years.
- The prospect of obtaining credentials from two institutions with national and international reputations.
- The opportunity for combining theory with practical applications.
- Small class sizes where students and faculty can learn from one another.
- The ability to gain workplace experience.
- The chance to live and learn in Canada's largest and most diverse city.

# **Table of Contents**

Page 2	Our Academics
Page 4	Our Campus
Page 5	A Place to Call Your Own
Page 6	Academic Facilities
Page 7	Academic Counselling & Support
Page 8	Admissions & Application Information
Page 11	Finances
Page 12	Admission Requirements
Page 14	Business
Page 15	Computing Co-op
Page 16	Early Childhood
Page 17	Family and Community Social Services
Page 18	Justice Studies
Page 19	Media Studies
Page 20	Campus Life & Activities
Page 21	Athletics
Page 22	Housing
Page 23	Food Services
Page 24	Important Dates
Page 25	Maps, Tours, Contact Information And Special Events



#### Who becomes a University of Guelph-Humber student?

University of Guelph-Humber students reflect the full diversity of the community we live in. They have high academic standards and a strong commitment to the field of study they have chosen to pursue. The majority of University of Guelph-Humber students join us directly from high school, but students who transfer from other colleges and universities make up a significant number of our population. Mature and international students make a valuable contribution to our community. Most of our students choose to stay at home and commute, while some live in residence and off-campus housing. University of Guelph-Humber students see the value in gaining both a theoretical and professional education, and they are focused in their career and educational goals.



#### **Our Academics**

#### WELCOMING YOU TO A COMMUNITY OF LEARNERS

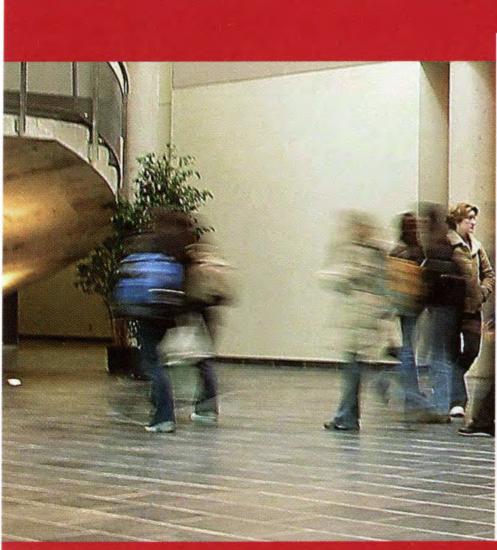
Our objective at the University of Guelph-Humber is to give you a broad-based university education and to provide you with focused career options. Beyond gaining specialized knowledge in your chosen field, you'll also develop the ability to learn continuously and independently. When you graduate, you'll be ready to respond confidently to change and seize opportunities.

Courses at the University of Guelph-Humber combine academic rigor with real world applications. Faculty and experts in course development from the University of Guelph and Humber College ITAL, in collaboration with employers and professionals, developed the curriculum for our programs. They considered three major components of learning:

- 1. the knowledge that serves as the foundation of the course,
- 2. the skills that students develop and enhance during the course, and
- 3. the **values** that relate to programs and chosen careers.

Knowledge is always expanding and new applications evolve every day. Our course designers have incorporated new theories and models into the curriculum. They have also provided sufficient flexibility to embrace new ideas as they evolve.

The University of Guelph and Humber College ITAL possess a rich heritage that takes skills and values into account. The University of Guelph-Humber has incorporated philosophies from both institutions to ensure that your education is complete.





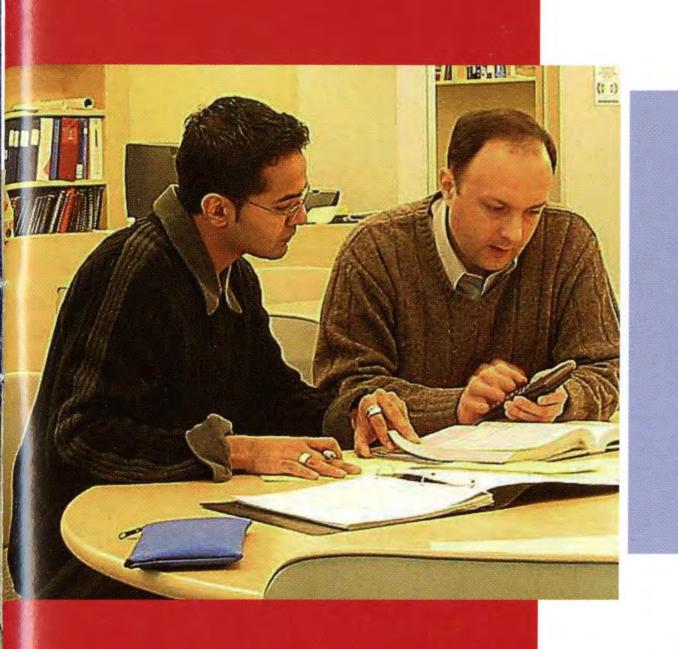




#### **HOW DO YOU BENEFIT?**

Our approach to learning allows each student to be an active participant in a true community of learners.

- Your classes will be small enough for you to know your professors and other students. Almost all classes are for 30-65 students.
- You will work closely with other students in your program who share similar interests, under the guidance of faculty who are leading researchers and practitioners in your field.
- During the course of your program you will interact with the professional world through career placements or industry-linked projects.
- You will graduate with an honours degree from the University of Guelph and a diploma from Humber College ITAL ready to start your career or to proceed to graduate studies, and able to advance to positions of leadership in your field.



#### **OUR FACULTY**

Our professors are known for more than their expertise in the subjects they teach – they are also known for valuing student-centred learning and for incorporating both theory and practice in the classroom. Faculty – including those who have broken frontiers in their research and those who are connected with industry partners and professionals outside the classroom – will enrich your learning experience.

You will be taught by experienced faculty from both the University of Guelph and Humber College ITAL. You will discover professors who are approachable and ready to help both in and out of the classroom. And, because they all have office hours on campus, you won't have to go far to meet with them.

#### **WORKPLACE EXPERIENCE BEFORE YOU GRADUATE**

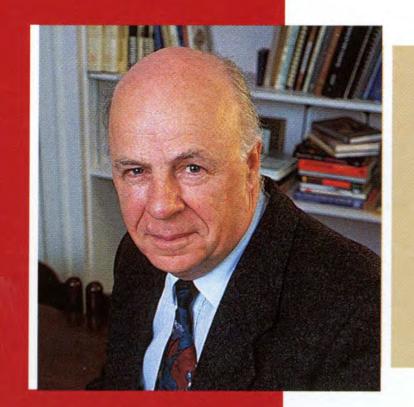
In addition to in-class learning, every program includes an opportunity for you to learn in the workplace, so you can build on what you have learned in the classroom. The type of workplace experience varies across each program.

Students in Early Childhood, Family and Community Social Services, and Justice Studies participate in practicum placements. A practicum is a part-time volunteer placement that is taken over a semester in conjunction with a course. Students typically carry a full course load while enrolled in practicum placements.

Students in the Computing Co-op program participate in two, paid, 8-month co-op work terms. During a work term, students work full-time and are not enrolled in classes.

Students in the Business program participate in an Applied Business Project in their last semester. In this course, students, in either a paid or volunteer position, analyze and apply business theories to the workplace through a series of assignments. Students typically carry a full course load while enrolled in the Applied Business Project course.

Students in the Media Studies program participate in an eight-week internship in their last semester. An internship is a part-time volunteer placement. Students typically carry a full course load while enrolled in their internship.



"Since its inception, I have been excited by the University of Guelph-Humber concept. As we start our third academic year, I am thrilled to discover my excitement is shared by our students, employers and educators, and am proud of our high rate of student retention."

Michael Nightingale Vice Provost and Chief Academic Officer

# Our Campus

#### A GREAT CAMPUS IN A GREAT CITY!

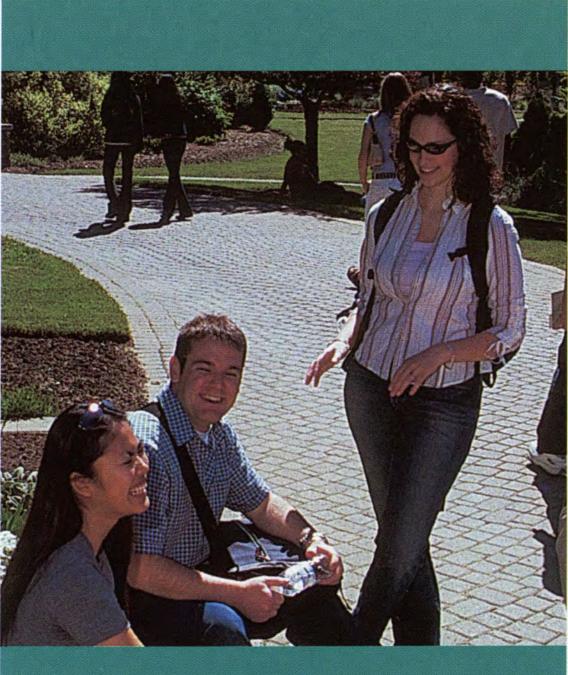
The University of Guelph-Humber community is made up of a diverse and vibrant student population with approachable and supportive faculty and staff. In 2004, our student population will grow to approximately 1,300 students. While the University of Guelph-Humber provides students with an intimate educational setting, University of Guelph-Humber students are also part of Humber's community made up of more than 10,000 students pursuing post-secondary education on Humber's North Campus.

As you'll discover in the next few pages, Humber's North Campus has many benefits to offer students attending the University of Guelph-Humber. The Humber Students' Federation works closely with the Guelph-Humber Student Association and advocates for students on campus-wide issues and provides services and activities year-round. There are extensive food services with retail chains such as Harvey's and Mr. Sub, healthy options like a salad bar, and the Java Jazz coffee shop and Williams Coffee Pub. The on-campus pub Caps offers food and drink, along with many live acts throughout the school year. The bookstore supplies University of Guelph-Humber students with all the necessary books and items such as stationery supplies, clothing, gift items, GO transit tickets, TTC tickets and Metropasses. Many University of Guelph-Humber students live and learn in on-campus residences.

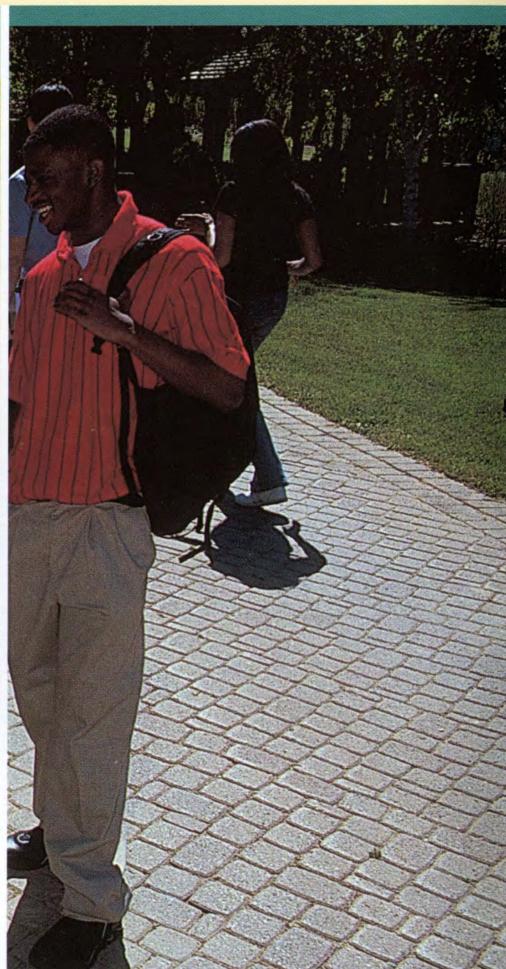
As part of Humber's community, University of Guelph-Humber students have access to the newly renovated Athletics Centre including three gymnasiums, aerobics studio, weights, cardio facilities, personal training, the community pool and a whirlpool. Additional recreational facilities are just a short walk away including Humber's beautiful Arboretum, a soccer field and the Westwood arena.

You'll have access to all medical and counselling services currently offered at Humber's North Campus including the Counselling and Student Development Centre, the Services for Students with Disabilities, the International Students Office, and the Sports Injury Clinic. An interfaith prayer room and an interfaith chaplain are also available to all students.





The Arboretum is a 250-acre natural area located on the south side of campus. You'll enter picturesque environments as you wander down trails and boardwalks along the Humber River, through gardens, forest meadows and wetlands.



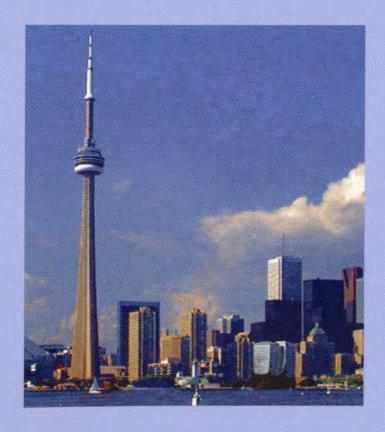
#### THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER BUILDING



#### THE CITY ADVANTAGE

Toronto is a dynamic city and a great place to live and learn.

Attending university in Canada's cultural, economic and business centre will play an important role in your practicum, co-op and internship opportunities. After a long day of study, there are so many things to do, from films and festivals to sporting events and nightlife.

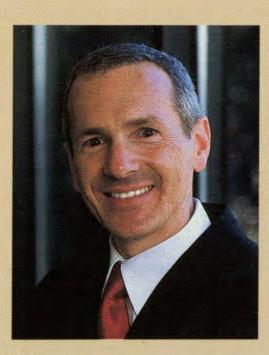


# A Place to Call Your Own

Innovative learning spaces, virtually unlimited access to the Internet, and space to relax and meet with friends – these are just some of the exciting features incorporated into the design of the University of Guelph-Humber building. Created with more than \$30 million in support from the Ontario Government's SuperBuild program, the facility is custom-made – just like everything else at our university.

When you walk through the front entrance of the University of Guelph-Humber building, you will be standing in the stunning four-storey atrium of your new academic home. On the second floor, you'll find the Learning Commons – an area with computers, Internet portals, the Math and Writing Centres, a café and library services.

Almost all classrooms are designed for small classes of 65 students or fewer. Media Studies students will enjoy learning in the broadcast and print labs. Early Childhood and Family and Community Social Service students benefit from specialized lab space. A wireless computing laboratory featuring an anechoic chamber is a feature of the Computing Co-op program. Business students develop important skills while administering and managing the Art Gallery. Justice Studies students have a lecture room that can be converted into a moot court.



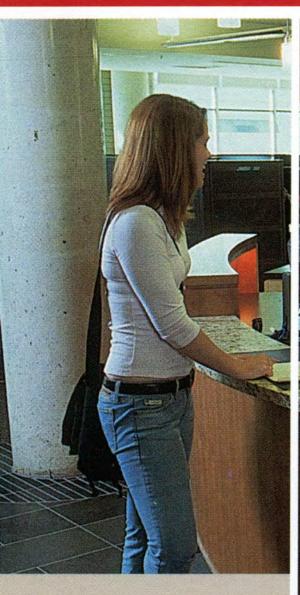
"Small classes, laboratories that connect students to the world outside the classroom, and places where students can learn from one another – these are all part of the University of Guelph-Humber. Every aspect of our new academic building has been designed to help make this vision a reality."

David Trick Chief Executive Officer

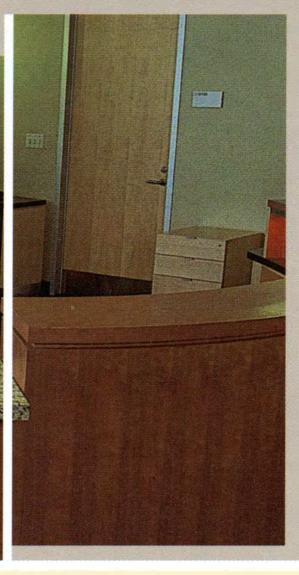
#### **Academic Facilities**

#### THE LEARNING COMMONS

Designed to enrich students' learning experience, the Learning Commons is an informal student-centred learning space. Here, students will find space for group meetings and individual study, access to computers, library services, and the Math and Writing Centres. In addition, Learning Commons staff are available to help students research materials for essays and other assignments.







AS A UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER STUDENT, YOU WILL HAVE ACCESS TO RESOURCES AND TECHNOLOGY THAT WILL SUPPORT YOUR ACADEMIC ENDEAVOURS.

#### LIBRARY SERVICES

In Humber's five-storey library, students will have access to print collections (books and journals), audio-visual resources, individual and group study areas, Internet-wired research stations, and reference staff to help students with their questions. Over 8,700 journals are available to students electronically. In addition, the University of Guelph's partnership in the TriUniversity Group of Libraries lets students access not only University of Guelph library materials, but also resources of the University of Waterloo and Wilfrid Laurier University. This means that students have access to more than 4.3 million items! Students can normally expect to receive a book within three days of ordering from the University of Guelph library. A customized web gateway leads users to all of the library resources and services available to the University of Guelph-Humber.

#### **MEDIA CENTRE**

The Media Centre is located on the 2nd floor of the Library. Here, students may borrow a wide variety of audio-visual equipment such as data projectors, digital cameras, digital camcorders and laptops for class projects and presentations.

#### **COMPUTER SUPPORT**

University of Guelph-Humber students have personalized University of Guelph-Humber email accounts, Internet access and instructional software. Students can access the wireless network from anywhere in the University of Guelph-Humber building. In the Learning Commons, students will find desktop computers as well as drops to plug in their personal laptops. The third floor of the building is equipped with three PC labs and one Mac lab with specialized software that will be available to students outside of scheduled class time. In addition, the Learning Commons is staffed with people able to answer software and technology questions and to assist you with your computing needs.

#### **MATH CENTRE**

Located next to the Learning Commons, the Math Centre offers assistance in calculus, statistics and other math courses. Students may drop-in and get help in course work, homework, and exam preparation from senior students and peer tutors.

#### WRITING CENTRE

Whether students need help with essay structure, punctuation, documentation or thesis development, the Writing Centre is the place to go to receive clear and personalized instruction.

# **Academic Counselling & Support**

THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER WANTS YOU TO SUCCEED. WE WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH THE ACADEMIC AND PERSONAL SUPPORT TO HELP YOU THRIVE ACADEMICALLY AND ACHIEVE YOUR BEST.

#### **ADMISSIONS AND PROGRAM ADVICE**

All students have an Admissions and Programs Advisor to guide them through their academic endeavours. An Admissions and Programs Advisor is the first person students should visit if they need any kind of support. They provide assistance in the application process, course selection, developing and reviewing an educational and career plan, interpreting degree regulations and giving referrals to on-campus resources.

#### STUDY COUNSELLING

Throughout the semester there are a number of study skills workshops available that teach students how to write exams, improve concentration, take class notes and manage their time effectively. Students should visit their Admissions and Program Advisor for details or, stop in and chat with one of the Learning Support Peers located in the Learning Commons.

#### PERSONAL COUNSELLING

Professional counselling is provided free of charge in a private confidential setting through the Counselling and Student Development Centre.

#### CAREER ADVICE AND PLANNING

The Career Centre is ready to assist students in finding permanent, summer and part-time employment. They offer assistance in resuméwriting and interviewing techniques and can provide students with job search tips and resources. Career counsellors are available in the Counselling and Student Development Centre to conduct career assessments and to assist students in setting academic and career goals.

#### **HEALTH SERVICES**

Medical and nursing assistance is available on campus. Every weekday, experienced nurses are on duty in the Health Centre. Physicians are available by appointment during the week. All full-time University of Guelph-Humber students are automatically covered by the Humber Students' Federation's accident, sickness, and dental insurance plan. Find out more at www.hsfweb.com/services/health. International students studying at the University of Guelph-Humber are covered under the Ontario College Health Care Plan.

#### **INTERFAITH CHAPLAINCY SERVICES**

An interfaith chaplain is available to assist in the spiritual needs of people of all faiths at the University of Guelph-Humber. An interfaith prayer room is also available for individual or group prayer.

#### **PEER TUTORING**

Peer Tutors are available through the Counselling and Student Development Centre to provide one-on-one assistance to students having difficulties with a specific course.

#### SERVICES FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Services for Students with Disabilities (SSD) is dedicated to meeting the needs of students with learning, physical or medical disabilities. We encourage students with disabilities to contact SSD before arriving on campus. Early self-identification will help SSD to provide the best possible service including note-takers and sign language interpreters, specialized accommodations such as audio-taped text books and extra time for tests. SSD can be reached at: 416-675-6622 ext. 4151 or 4697.

#### **INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

The International Student Services Office can help international students make a smooth transition to the University of Guelph-Humber. They can assist in matters such as purchasing medical insurance, finding housing and linking new students with senior students. See page 8 for admissions information.

#### SAFETY AND SECURITY

As at any academic institution, the welfare and safety of students is of paramount importance. Security staff patrol the campus 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. In addition, the Humber Campus Watch program provides a safety escort program, strategically located emergency telephones and comprehensive information on personal safety and awareness.

#### **CHILD CARE**

Humber's Child Care Centre is designed to accommodate the child care needs of students, staff and community members on a full-time basis. Child care is provided by professional graduates of Early Childhood Education programs. Applications should be made early as the centre usually has a waiting list. For more information contact the Child Care Centre at 416-675-6622 ext. 4484.

# **Admissions & Application Information**

#### **HOW TO APPLY**

Apply to the University of Guelph-Humber through the Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC). University of Guelph-Humber programs are listed in the University of Guelph section of the application. If you are currently enrolled in an Ontario secondary school, you should apply using the OUAC 101 form or online using the SSOLA (Secondary School Online Application). Detailed information and application forms are available from your school guidance office. All other applicants, including mature and university/college transfer applicants, may contact the OUAC directly for the appropriate application form or may apply online at <a href="http://compass.ouac.on.ca">http://compass.ouac.on.ca</a>.

If you are applying to more than one program at the University of Guelph-Humber, make sure you rank your preferences on the application.

#### **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

#### APPLICANTS FROM ONTARIO SECONDARY SCHOOLS

Students applying from Ontario secondary schools must present their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD), including a minimum of six 4U and/or 4M or OAC courses including subject requirements shown on the Admission Requirements chart on page 12. (OAC Anglais can be used for applicants from Ontario French-language secondary schools.)

#### Comparing the Curriculums

New curriculum 4U and 4M courses and OAC courses are considered equivalent. Averages obtained in either will be assessed equally. The University of Guelph-Humber considers new curriculum or OAC courses taken by correspondence or in summer or night school to be equivalent to those offered in day school.

# CANADIAN SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS OUTSIDE OF ONTARIO

Applicants from outside the Ontario secondary school system must present academic standing which are deemed equivalent to Ontario students and satisfy the specific subject requirements for their program of interest. The Secondary School Graduation Diploma with required courses completed at the grade 12 "academic" level from an applicants home province or territory is generally required for admission. Please visit our website www.guelphhumber.ca for more information.

#### ADVANCED PLACEMENT

Applicants who have completed Advanced Placement examinations with a minimum grade of four may be eligible to receive university credit to a maximum of four courses, subject to the discretion of the Admissions Committee. Transfer credit will be assigned once the University of Guelph-Humber receives official final transcripts.

#### INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

Students applying with an International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma should present a minimum score of 24. Currently enrolled IB candidates should submit "predicted" IB final results. Applicants should have completed the diploma with six subjects: three higher-level and three standard-level. Students should include the specific subject requirements for the program to which they are applying among their higher and standard level subjects. Transfer credit may be given for higher-level courses with final grades of five or better. Credits will be assigned once the University of Guelph-Humber receives official final transcripts and are subject to the discretion of the Admissions Committee.

#### INTERNATIONAL APPLICANT

You are considered an international applicant if you do not have citizenship or landed immigrant status in Canada and the majority of your education has occurred in a country other than Canada. Please visit our website at <a href="https://www.guelphhumber.ca">www.guelphhumber.ca</a> for more detailed information about the application process, including application deadlines and submission of required documents.

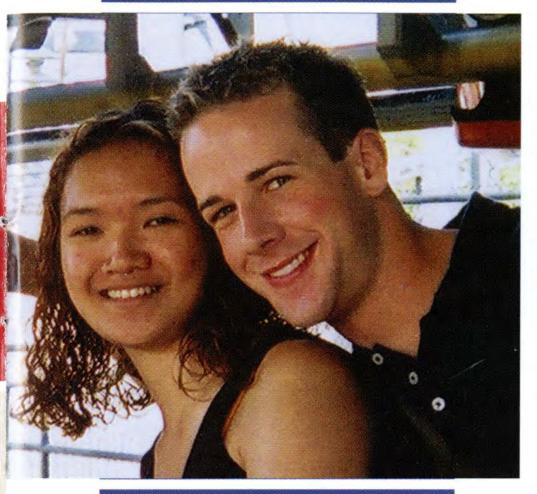
#### MATURE APPLICANT

You may apply as a mature student if you are 21 years of age or older and have been away from full-time secondary school study for a minimum of two full years. To qualify for admission as a mature student, you must present a secondary school transcript including a minimum of three OAC credits (or equivalent), including specific subject requirements for admission to the program to which you have applied, and meet the minimum admission average. Please visit our website at www.guelphhumber.ca for more information.

#### **ENGLISH PROFICIENCY**

Applicants will be required to present evidence of English proficiency if their primary language is not English and they have had less than four years of full-time secondary school study in an English-language school system. Applicants required to provide evidence of English proficiency must do so by submitting the required scores in (1) or (2) or (3) or (4) below:

- 1. The International English Language Testing System (IELTS) with a minimum overall score of 6.5 with no band less than 6.
- 2. The Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) with a minimum overall score of 600 (paper-based) or 250 (computer-based), and Test of Written English (TWE) with a minimum overall score of 5 and Test of Spoken English (TSE) with a minimum overall score of 50. This TOEFL standard is currently under review at the University of Guelph-Humber. We may consider your application if you have achieved a score of 573 or higher (paper-based) or 230 or higher (computer-based) and TWE 4.5.
- 3. The Michigan English Language Assessment Battery (MELAB) with a minimum overall score of 85, including composition score of 83 and oral score of 3.
- 4. The Canadian Academic English Language Assessment (CAEL) with a minimum overall band score of 70.





Anyone who has attended, or who is currently enrolled in, a post-secondary institution (college or university) may apply for admission to University of Guelph-Humber programs. An applicant with this profile is considered a "transfer" applicant. In 2005-2006, we will offer all four years of courses in the Business, Computing Co-op and Media Studies programs, and years one, two and three courses in the Early Childhood, Family and Community Social Services and Justice Studies programs.

The admission process for applicants who have previously studied at another university or college is competitive. All such applicants will be assessed in competition with other new applicants, taking into consideration the academic requirements and enrolment limitations that pertain at the time the application is complete.

Transfer applicants must have successfully completed their studies or be eligible to continue their studies in the academic session for which the application is made at the last university or college attended.

Applicants must also present the required courses (or their equivalents taken at the university or college level) for entry into the program. Please see page 12 for information on required courses.

Due to the structured nature of the University of Guelph-Humber's programs, students transferring should be aware that it is rare that a student would be able to enter directly into year 3 or 4 of any program without having to complete some year 1 and/or 2 core courses. The number of transfer credits granted is not automatic and will be assessed on an individual basis. Please see below for the maximum number of transfer credits granted.

#### TRANSFER AND MATURE STUDENT PROFILE

Transfer and Mature applicants are encouraged to provide information about their leadership and citizenship involvement and interest in their chosen field of study by completing the Transfer and Mature Student Profile. Information regarding this Profile will be included when we acknowledge your application.

from recognized diploma programs \*\*

#### TRANSFERRING WITH ADVANCED STANDING TO THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER YOUR CURRENT POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION **MAXIMUM NUMBER OF CREDITS** YOU MAY RECEIVE AT THE **UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER\* PROGRAM ACADEMIC STANDING UNIVERSITY PROGRAM** Degree completed Up to 10 5 university credits = 1normal academic year of Up to 10 Degree not completed, full-time study. but student is in good academic standing \*\* A recognized diploma program is one that has been recognized by the University of Guelph-COLLEGE/DIPLOMA Completed a 3-year program Up to 7.5 Humber as having a close **PROGRAM** affinity to a University of Guelph-Humber program. B+ average or better Up to 10 for students transferring For a listing of recognized from a recognized diploma program\*\* diploma programs please visit our website www.guelphhumber.ca. Completed a 2-year program, or Up to 3 2 years of a 3-year program Up to 5 for students transferring from B+ average or better a recognized diploma program Did not complete To be determined by Admissions Committee for students transferring

B+ average or better

# **Admissions & Application Information**

#### **OUR ADMISSION POLICY FOR 2005**

At the University of Guelph-Humber we seek bright, ambitious students with a willingness to learn and the desire to succeed.

All applicants will be considered for admission on the basis of their academic record(s) and information submitted in their Student Profile or Transfer and Mature Student Profile.

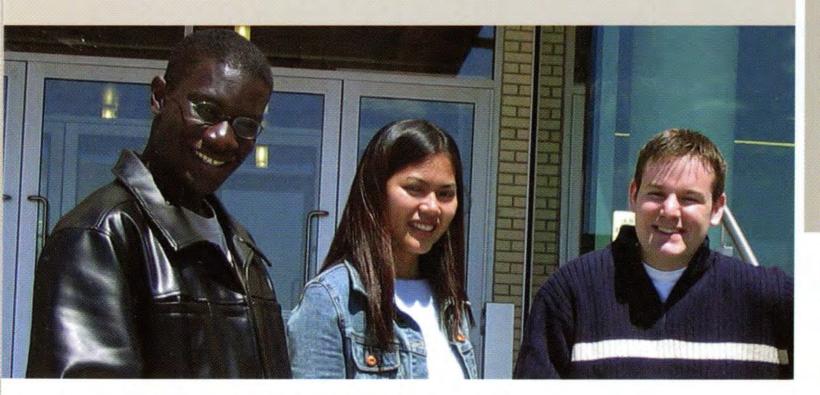
#### TIMING AND BASIS OF OFFERS

All applicants with admission averages at or above 75% will be considered for admission.

Beginning in **February**, we may begin making Offers of Admission to students with high academic standing on the basis of their top six grades from 3U/M courses including specific subject requirements. Applicants offered admission at this time will typically have an average at or above 80%.

A second round of offers will be made in **April** when fall semester final grades **OR** full-year midterm grades are received from the Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC). Admission averages will be calculated at this time using six grades including all 4U/M courses recorded and the best 3U/M courses recorded including specific subject requirements. Applicants offered admission at this time will typically have an average between 75%-80%.

A third round of offers will be made in **May** when midterm grades from the winter semester and updated full-year midterms are received from the OUAC. Admission averages will be calculated at this time using six 4U/M courses including specific subject requirements. All students with 75% or above will be considered for admission. Applicants with admission averages of 70.0% - 74.9% who submit a Student Profile will also be fully considered for admission.



#### **CONDITIONS OF OFFER**

All offers will be **conditional** upon successful completion of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma, completion of required courses, and a final admission average as outlined in the Offer of Admission.

#### **ADMISSION TO MEDIA STUDIES**

Admission to all three specializations in the Media Studies Program is based on academic performance as well as an interview and portfolio review meeting. Applicants with admission averages of 75.0% and above will be invited to participate in the interview and portfolio review meeting. Admission averages will be calculated using top six grades from 3U/M courses including specific subject requirements. The interview and portfolio review meeting will involve:

- a program overview by faculty,
- a one-on-one interview with a faculty member,
- · a portfolio review by faculty, and
- a sample writing exercise.

Program-related questions will be answered by faculty during the program overview. Applicants are asked to bring a résumé as well as a portfolio. For applicants applying to the Journalism or Public Relations streams, the portfolio must include two pieces of non-fiction written work such as short essays or articles written for a student newspaper. For students applying to the Image Arts stream, the portfolio should include a collection of no more than 10 black-and-white or colour prints or digital outputs. Résumés should include work or volunteer experience. The writing exercise will take place in a computer lab on campus, require about an hour and involve writing an essay on a topic that will be provided.

We will begin notifying selected applicants in March 2005 of their interview date and time. Interviews will be conducted on Saturdays from mid-March through the end of April. Offers of Admission to the Media Studies program will begin to be made in late April and will continue to early May.

#### STUDENT PROFILE

The Student Profile is your opportunity to tell the Admissions Committee about activities in which you have been involved and that have contributed to your personal development, such as part-time work, volunteering and community involvement. Factors beyond your control that may have negatively affected your academic performance, such as illness or personal problems, can also be considered. We encourage all high school applicants to complete the Student Profile as it will be considered carefully when making admission decisions and will be the basis for consideration for the Student Profile Scholarship.

#### **Finances**

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

To ensure that a university education remains accessible, we have a range of services and resources to assist you with your finances.

#### ACADEMIC MERIT ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS

Once you have made an application to the University of Guelph-Humber, you are automatically considered for an Academic Merit Entrance Scholarship. Scholarship amounts vary depending upon final average and program of study.

Scholarship offers will be sent when final grades are received. Scholarship offers will be based on the student's final admission average, which is calculated using six 4U/M courses and must include required courses.

Our 2005 Academic Merit Scholarship amounts will be determined in January 2005 and posted on our website. We will also include scholarship amounts in our Offers of Admission. Please consult the table below for our 2004 Academic Merit Scholarship amounts.

#### **NEED-BASED ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS**

These scholarships have been designed to assist students with demonstrated financial need to meet the growing costs of post-secondary education. Although academic merit is also a consideration, the main criterion for awarding this scholarship relates to financial need. These awards are available to all incoming students and are valued at \$1,500. Students must apply to be considered for these scholarships. The deadline to apply is April 1, 2005.

#### STUDENT PROFILE SCHOLARSHIPS

The Student Profile is your opportunity to tell the Admissions Committee about activities in which you have been involved that have contributed to your personal development, such as part-time work, volunteering and community involvement. The Student Profile Scholarship will be awarded to the top 20 students based on committee evaluation and will be valued at \$500. Students must submit their profile online by April 1, 2005. Information on submission of the Student Profile will be included when we acknowledge your application.

All scholarships can be combined.

#### **FINANCIAL AID**

A variety of assistance is available for University of Guelph-Humber students with demonstrated financial need.

**Need-Based Bursaries** are available to students who encounter unexpected expenses during the academic year and have demonstrated financial need. These bursaries do not need to be re-paid and applications may be made at any time during the academic year.

The Ontario Student Assistance Program (OSAP) provides Ontario students with financial assistance from the provincial and federal governments. Students should apply once they have accepted an Offer of Admission. For more information visit <a href="http://osap.gov.on.ca">http://osap.gov.on.ca</a>.

The **Work-Study** program helps to create part-time jobs on-campus. Students may find positions in various departments at the University of Guelph-Humber and Humber College ITAL including student life, recruitment, athletics, food services and residence.

**Financial Counselling** is available through Registrarial Services. Here, staff will assist you with financial advice and budgeting tips.

#### **TUITION AND FEES**

The University of Guelph-Humber works on a semester system so you are not required to pay your tuition in one lump sum. Tuition and fees at the University of Guelph-Humber are billed and collected prior to the start of each semester.

Our 2004 Academic Merit Entrance Scholarship amounts were as follows:

Admission Average	Business	Computing Co-op	rig Early Family & Justice Community Studies Social Services		Media Studies	
80-84.9%	\$1,000	\$1,500	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$1,000	\$500
85-89.9%	\$2,000	\$2,500	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$2,000	\$1,500
90% +	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$3,000

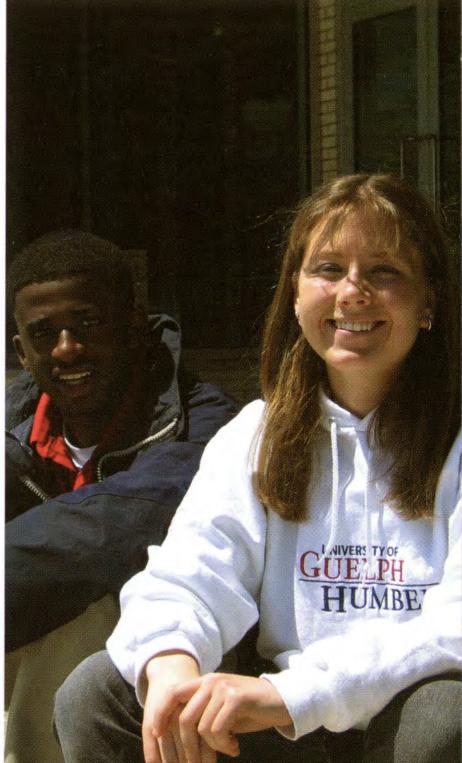
AVERAGE EXPENSES FOR SEPTEMBER - APRIL	
TUITION	\$4,184- \$4,602
STUDENT FEES (ATHLETIC, MEDICAL, STUDENT GOV'T ETC.)	\$618
BOOKS	\$800- \$1,000
OFF-CAMPUS ACCOMMODATION OR RESIDENCE	\$4,400
FOOD COSTS OR MEAL PLAN	\$2,450
LIFESTYLE AND PERSONAL COSTS (\$50/WEEK)	\$1,650
TOTAL	\$ 14,108 - 14,726

These are estimates based on 2004-2005 figures and are subject to change.
Costs vary from program to program and depend on each individual's lifestyle.

# ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

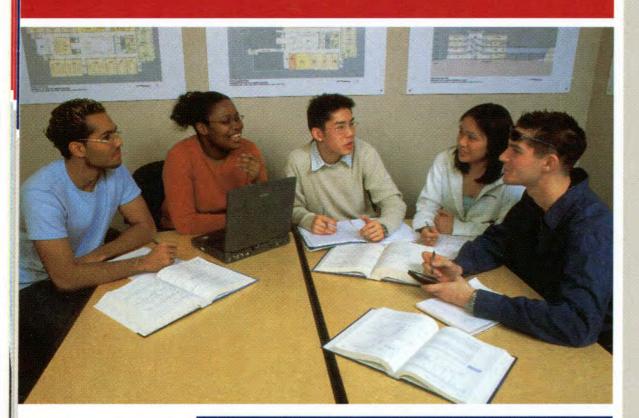
PROGRAMS	OUAC PROGRAM CODE	REQUIRED GRADE 12 U OR M CREDITS	RECOMMENDED GRADE 12 U OR M CREDITS
BUSINESS BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	GDB	ENG4U 1 4U Mathematics 4 additional 4U or 4M credits	Advanced Function and Introductory Calculus
COMPUTING CO-OP  BACHELOR OF APPLIED  COMPUTING AND DIPLOMA IN WIRELESS AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY	GCS	ENG4U  Advanced Functions and Introductory Calculus 4 additional 4U or 4M credits	1 additional math credit
EARLY CHILDHOOD  BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES) AND DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION	GHE	ENG4U  1 4U Mathematics  1 4U Science  3 additional 4U or  4M credits	Biology
FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES) AND SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER DIPLOMA	GHF	ENG 4U 1 4U Mathematics 4 additional 4U or 4M credits	
JUSTICE STUDIES  BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (JUSTICE STUDIES) AND DIPLOMA IN LAW AND SECURITY ADMINISTRATION OR POLICE FOUNDATIONS	GMP	ENG4U 1 4U Mathematics 4 additional 4U or 4M credits	
MEDIA STUDIES  BACHELOR OF APPLIED ARTS (MEDIA STUDIES) AND DIPLOMA IN JOURNALISM, PUBLIC RELATIONS OR CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY	GMS- Creative Photography GMJ- Journalism GMR- Public Relations	ENG4U 5 additional 4U or 4M credits	

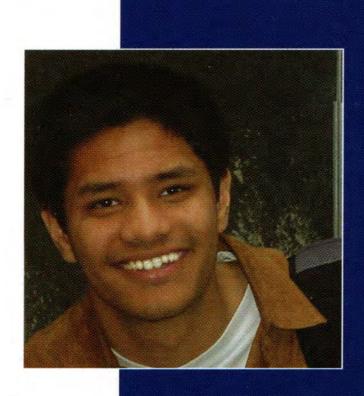
REQUIRED OAC CREDITS	RECOMMENDED OAC CREDITS	ADMISSIONS NOTES
English 1 1 Mathematics 4 additional credits	Calculus	
English 1 1 Calculus 4 additional credits	Finite Mathematics	
English 1 1 Mathematics 1 Science 3 additional credits	Biology	Offers of Admission may be given to applicants who are deficient in either the required math or science if they present a strong overall academic record (80% +) and meet all other admission requirements. Such students will be required to complete the deficient course (or equivalent) prior to the beginning of semester 3.
English 1 1 Mathematics 4 additional credits		Offers of Admission may be given to applicants who are deficient in the required math if they present a strong overall academic record (80% +) and meet all other admission requirements. Such students will be required to complete the math (or equivalent) prior to the beginning of semester 3.
English 1 1 Mathematics 4 additional credits		Offers of Admission may be given to applicants who are deficient in the required math if they present a strong overall academic record (80% +) and meet all other admission requirements. Such students will be required to complete the math (or equivalent) prior to the beginning of semester 3.
English 1 5 additional credits		Interview, portfolio evaluation and writing test required.



All applicants with admission averages at or above 75% will be considered for admission. Applicants with admission averages of 70.0%-74.9% who submit a Student Profile will also be fully considered for admission. We encourage all applicants to complete a Student Profile or a Transfer and Mature Student Profile.

# Business BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION AND DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION





"The University of Guelph-Humber is a unique university with an excellent business program, friendly staff and great friends."

#### Digira Baidya

Third Year Business Student

#### First Year Courses Include:

- Marketing
- Microeconomics
- Accounting
- · Business Law
- · Organizational Behaviour

Please visit our website for complete course listings and descriptions.

Today's business leaders seek employees who have both the knowledge and experience necessary to make immediate contributions to the workplace. To meet this demand, the Business program combines the theory and knowledge of a degree in business administration with a diploma focusing on experiential learning.

In the core of the Business program, you will build a solid foundation of business knowledge in accounting, economics, marketing, human resources, and operations management. In years three and four, you may choose to focus your studies in one particular area of study, or draw from courses in a variety of business electives in the areas of Accounting, International Business, Finance, Marketing, Management of Not-for-profit Enterprises, or Small Business Management and Entrepreneurship.

When you graduate, you'll have a competitive edge and be able to pursue a career in the business world, or you can use your skills and expertise to continue on with graduate work.

Thanks to our location in the financial and commercial centre of Canada, you'll have prime opportunities for work experience with leading businesses in the Greater Toronto Area. While you're making valuable contacts, you'll also be developing the emerging business skills required for success in the information-based economy.

You'll be taught the fundamentals by faculty who are business scholars and practicing business professionals. You'll learn through a hybrid of classroom and web-based delivery, allowing you to maximize your study time. The majority of your classes will be small enough to get to know your professors well. Their experiences bring depth and meaning to the lessons of the classroom. And because they're up to speed with current practices, they know what's needed to prepare you for the challenges of an increasingly complex marketplace. You'll be able to apply your knowledge and skills in a workplace environment during your Applied Business Project – part of the fourth year curriculum.

#### PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

The Business program has been recognized by professional organizations for advanced standing.

- The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Ontario (ICAO) has recognized the Accounting electives of the Business program as having the '51 credit hours' necessary to complete their core requirements.
- After completing certain finance courses, students will be eligible to sit for the Canadian Securities Institute licensing examination.

#### **BUSINESS ELECTIVES**

These elective courses allow students to be as broad or as focused in their studies as they choose. Students may wish to focus on doing business within the International community by studying business practices in the Asia Pacific region, Latin America or Europe. Marketing courses teach the art of marketing communications and getting your business noticed. One elective enables students to manage the University of Guelph-Humber Art Gallery. Students may choose courses covering accounting and finance, or courses that study the intricacies of running a small business in today's marketplace. Students decide which path to take to achieve their career goals and personal interests.

# Computing Co-op

BACHELOR OF APPLIED **COMPUTING AND DIPLOMA** IN WIRELESS AND **TELECOMMUNICATIONS** SYSTEMS TECHNOLOGY



As society embraces cell phones, pagers and other wireless equipment as part of day-to-day life, the field of telecommunications is exploding. And as it grows, so does the need for qualified professionals trained in both computer science and telecommunications - people who are capable of managing, developing and maintaining the new technologies. Our Computing Co-op program is one of the few programs in North America to address this gap in the workforce. By combining the theoretical teachings of a traditional degree program with the practical experience of a college diploma, this program is a time-saving alternative for those students who would otherwise be required to attend both university and college in order to fully understand the convergence of computing and telecommunications.

While at the University of Guelph-Humber, you'll have access to state-of-the-art facilities, such as an anechoic chamber and an antenna test range to measure gain, directivity and radiation patterns of antennae. We have leading-edge wireless equipment for experiments and testing available to you. You'll have access to a full range of software development tools and facilities.

With a degree in computing and a diploma in Wireless Telecommunications Systems Technology to your credit, you'll have a wide variety of positions available to you, especially in the Greater Toronto Area where many of the country's important telecommunications companies are located. You'll also be well prepared to pursue graduate study. Whatever your choice, the possibilities for graduates will be limitless as the wireless world continues to grow. Imagine working or studying in the medical field of 'body-area-networks' to design a home care system that provides an automated link between patients and emergency health care services. Or, maybe you'll work on an auto theft prevention system allowing owners to track their stolen vehicles, notify the police and catch the entire incident on camera. Exciting ideas, and most of them yet undiscovered!

Eight semesters of study will be balanced by four semesters (two eight-month terms) of work experience to give you Guelph's theoretical and practical foundation of computer software development and distributed computing, and Humber's expertise in mobile and wireless communications.

"The reason I chose the Computing Co-op at the University of Guelph-Humber is because of the co-op opportunity that is offered through this program. Being able to apply academic theory to the workplace while developing important contacts - all before graduation - will truly benefit me in the future. I'm glad that I made the right choice for myself and for my future."

**Ariane Carurucan** Second Year Computing Co-op student

#### First Year **Courses Include:**

- · Computer Programming
- · Electronics Fundamentals
- **Telecommunications** Computations
- Semiconductor Electronics
- Anatomy of a PC

Please visit our website for complete course listings and descriptions.

The two eight-month work terms will be completed as follows:

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Fall Semester	Academic - 1	Academic - 3	Work - 2	Work - 3	Academic - 8
Winter Semester	Academic - 2	Academic - 4	Academic - 5	Work - 4	
Summer Semester	Free	Work - 1	Academic - 6	Academic - 7	

These co-op semesters are fully paid work terms which will give students invaluable experience and networking opportunities. Students work with a coordinator to obtain a placement related to their individual interests and specialization.

# **Early Childhood**

BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (EARLY CHILDHOOD SERVICES) AND DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION



The early years are a critical period in the life of a child. During this time children and their families need the support and expertise of skilled professionals. As an Early Childhood graduate, you will have the knowledge and ability to work in a variety of early childhood settings. The career options for graduates are dynamic and in high demand for both the private and public sectors.

Our innovative Early Childhood program combines the theoretical foundation of a degree in child studies with a diploma that enables you to develop a strong skill set through a variety of field placements. The curriculum focuses on the physical, social, emotional and cognitive development of young children within the context of the family and community. Early childhood development and learning, methodologies and curriculum strategies, family support networks and relationships, public policy and advocacy, and understanding new ways to conduct and interpret focus on the triad context of child, family and community. The academic rigor of our program ensures that you will have the breadth and depth of knowledge to pursue a professional career at the leadership level in any field of early childhood services. In addition, you will be well positioned to pursue further studies such as specific therapeutic approaches, a faculty of education or a graduate program.

In this integrated program, you will be required to complete a minimum of 500 hours of field work to obtain the Early Childhood Education Diploma. Students progress through a series of six field placements. Each new placement will build on the knowledge and skills developed in the previous placement. Your initial placements are designed to introduce you to a variety of careers in early childhood services while the latter placements provide you with an opportunity to select a setting more specific to your particular career goals. You will gain direct experience in all fields of early childhood services including schools, child care programs, early intervention programs, and family resource centres. Your first field placement is a job shadowing experience that highlights various careers in early childhood services. Your next three field placements will enable you to experience programs for young children and their families in a variety of agencies and organizations and across different developmental stages. For your final two field placements, you will be encouraged to select a setting or program that meets your particular career goals. Throughout your placements, you will participate in weekly seminars to critically analyze your experiences and develop the skills required for a reflective professional. As part of your program, you will have access to the Early Childhood Resource Centre to borrow equipment and learning materials to take to field placements to further enhance your learning experience.

#### First Year Courses Include:

- · Dynamics of Behaviour
- Creating Nurturing and Safe Environments for Young Children
- Infant Development
- · Parent Child Relations
- Child and Family Nutrition

Please visit our website for complete course listings and descriptions.



"I chose this program because of the amount of hands-on experience I will receive throughout my time at the University of Guelph-Humber. The program allows me to learn different aspects of child development while gaining valuable experience."

Genevieve D'Silva Second Year Early Childhood Student

# Family and Community Social Services

BACHELOR OF APPLIED SCIENCE (FAMILY AND COMMUNITY SOCIAL SERVICES) AND SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER DIPLOMA

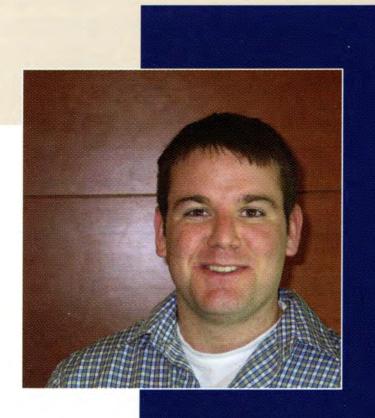


If you are interested in pursuing a career in social work working with individuals, families and communities to overcome the issues and concerns in their lives, this is the program for you.

Our program in Family and Community Social Services offers the perfect combination of theory and experiential learning to give you the competitive advantage in the social service field. Employers are looking for qualified professionals to make meaningful contributions to their organizations and bring a balance of knowledge and skill. Our program integrates a theoretical foundation in the social sciences, human development, family dynamics and social policy with clinical competency in counselling, community research techniques, mediation, agency administration, fundraising, case management and community development strategies.

You'll be prepared for membership in the Ontario College of Social Workers and Social Service Workers according to the Social Services Worker Program Standard, and you'll have skills necessary to work with high-risk families and children at the individual and community level. The academic rigor of our program also ensures that as a graduate you are well positioned to pursue graduate studies in a variety of interdisciplinary programs including family therapy and social work.

Beginning in your second year, you will integrate your theoretical knowledge with practical experience through three practicum placements. Your placement opportunities will come from a broad range of best practice agencies to foster the development of transferable skills that you can adapt to any community or organization. In each of your three placements, you will take part in the day-to-day operations of a social services agency. You will work under the direct supervision of a professional staff person, have the opportunity to observe social services procedures and practices, and take part in serving clients with direction from agency staff. You will be considered 'professionals in training', and performance expectations will increase according to your semester level.



"This program provides the right combination for succeeding in the social services field. Being in Toronto gives me access to a variety of workplace experience in all facets of social work."

Jeff Stanlick
Second Year Family and Community
Social Services Student

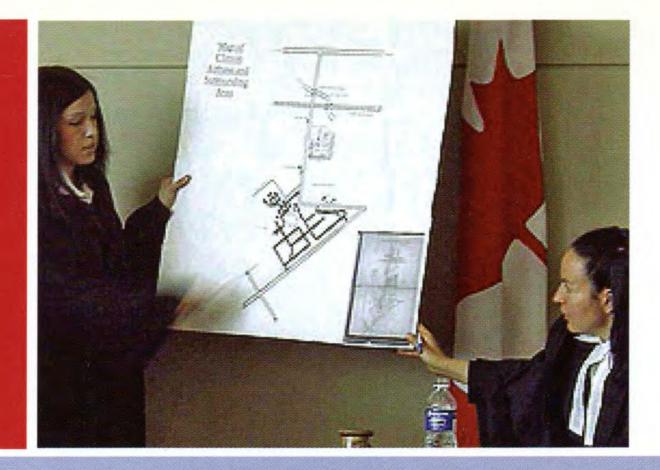
#### First Year Courses Include:

- · Social Welfare and the Social Services
- · Dynamics of Behaviour
- Social Issues and Social Environments
- Couple and Family Relationships
- Interpersonal Skills

Please visit our website for complete course listings and descriptions.

# Justice Studies

BACHELOR OF APPLIED
SCIENCE (JUSTICE STUDIES)
AND DIPLOMA IN LAW AND
SECURITY ADMINISTRATION OR
POLICE FOUNDATIONS



Interested in a career in policing, corrections or customs and immigration? Thinking of law or graduate school? Our innovative program combines the theory and knowledge of a degree in Justice Studies with a diploma in either Police Foundations or Law and Security Administration.

In this comprehensive program, you'll study Canadian politics, social issues, ethical reasoning, culturally sensitive communication, justice system research techniques, powers of arrest, search and seizure, justice agency administration, interviewing and investigations, forensics, conflict resolution, criminology theory and human relations – areas which will prepare you to become a criminal justice systems practitioner. The academic rigor of our program also ensures you'll be well positioned to enter law school or graduate studies in a variety of interdisciplinary programs from sociology to criminal justice.

In Justice Studies, you'll gain practical experience in a variety of segments within Ontario's justice system and develop strategies for working with high-risk individuals in private, public, community and institutional settings. Through community service placements in second and third year, you'll develop your sensitivity to contemporary social issues ranging from abuse and violence to welfare. You'll also become familiar with the structure and administration of community organizations that operate within and adjacent to the justice system, such as shelters for abused women, probation offices or homes for troubled youth. Throughout your placements, you'll participate in weekly seminars to critically analyze your volunteer experiences and become a "reflective practitioner".

For those studying Police Foundations, the program offers a number of unique features. The Humber College Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning has a formal partnership with the Ontario Provincial Police. This fosters a unique linkage to the field and provides tremendous networking opportunities. In addition, the city of Toronto is home to the second largest police service in the country, putting you in close proximity to an expansive learning environment and job market.

The Law and Security Administration specialization combines a professional applied education in Law and Security Administration with a critically reflective examination of the nature and role of justice system practitioners in society. It provides students with a balanced breadth of studies in core areas of justice studies along with an emphasis in the functional areas of corrections, customs and immigration and private policing. This specialization is designed especially to provide training and education that will sustain a career beyond entry level, giving students leadership skills and advanced understanding of the justice system.

#### First Year Courses Include:

- · Crime and Criminal Justice
- Public Sector Management
- Criminal Offences
- Introduction to Law
- · Dynamics of Behaviour

Please visit our website for complete course listings and descriptions.

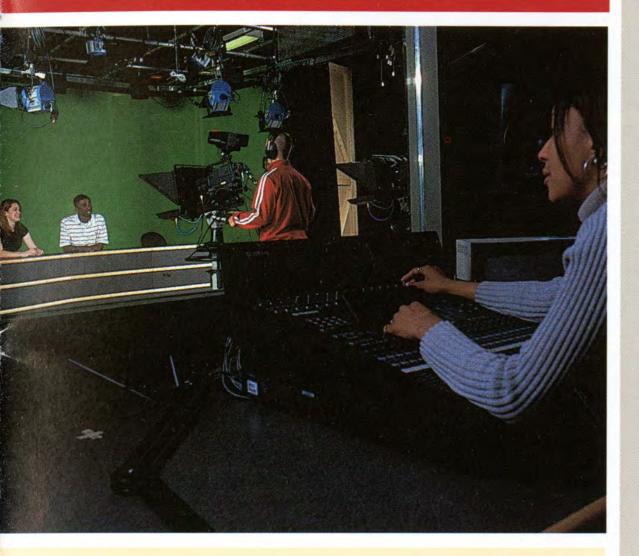


"Receiving both a degree and diploma will prepare me for any profession in the criminal justice field. Because my classes are small, I have gotten to know my professors both inside and outside the classroom – which allows for a great learning experience."

Jennifer Morden
Second Year Justice Studies Student

# **Media Studies**

BACHELOR OF APPLIED ARTS (MEDIA STUDIES) AND DIPLOMA IN JOURNALISM, PUBLIC RELATIONS OR CREATIVE PHOTOGRAPHY (THROUGH THE IMAGE ARTS SPECIALIZATION)



#### First Year Courses Include:

- Introduction to Media Writing
- Mass Communication
- Film Study
- Photography and Digital Imaging
- Communication, Technology and Culture

Please visit our website for complete course listings and descriptions.

The Media Studies program at the University of Guelph-Humber will teach you about the world of media and will allow you to specialize in Journalism, Public Relations or Image Arts.

While practical skills and experience are a requirement for an entry-level position in the media, research indicates that today's employers also demand the kind of abilities – such as critical thinking, research and analysis – typically acquired at university. The Media Studies program at the University of Guelph-Humber combines both types of education. Here you will receive professional applied training along with a theoretical foundation that includes an examination of the nature and role of the media in society. In just four years, you'll graduate with an honours degree, a diploma and the skills most desired by employers. In an intensely competitive industry, you'll have an advantage.

You'll build a solid foundation by studying the historical, social, cultural, and ethical dimensions of the field. By semester two you will follow one of three specializations: Journalism, Public Relations or Image Arts.

#### **JOURNALISM**

As a Journalism specialist, you'll learn to report on local and world events for all types of media. You'll gain training in all the aspects of journalism: newspapers, magazines, radio, television and the Internet.

#### **PUBLIC RELATIONS**

Public Relations students will become adept at using the media to communicate for businesses, governments and organizations. You'll learn to write and disseminate timely and accurate information about an organization through core subjects in media relations, event organization, public affairs, writing and fundraising with an emphasis on strategic planning to reach an organization's objectives.

#### **IMAGE ARTS**

Students in the Image Arts stream will learn all aspects of digital and print photography leading to a diploma in Creative Photography, and will study the world of media with a particular focus on visual communication, photographic techniques, and photo-based art practices.

Whether you choose Journalism, Public Relations or Image Arts, you will have the opportunity to participate in an eight-week internship in your last year. You'll learn side-by-side with some of the most important players in the industry. Toronto has four daily newspapers, thousands of magazines and an ever-expanding number of channels available on radio and television. There also are growing possibilities in online media, streaming video and webcasting. What's more, innumerable opportunities exist at public relations agencies and firms, fundraising and special events organizations, and in the PR departments of corporations. For students interested in Image Arts, Toronto is the centre for commercial and fine art photography in Canada and is a focus on both public and private activity in photographic imaging and photography festivals.

Graduates will have excellent opportunities as the media sector continues to expand in Canada and around the world. There will also be an opportunity to cultivate job leads during the fourth year internship.

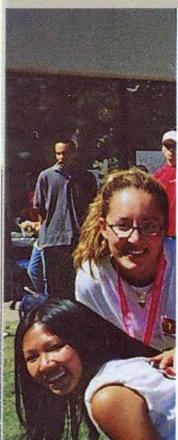


"I chose the University of Guelph-Humber because learning both the theoretical and practical skills will get me the career I want in an already booming industry."

Kimi Holloway Second Year Media Studies Student

# Campus Life & Activities

At the University of Guelph-Humber, there are many ways for you to get involved and make new friends. Small class sizes and emphasis on group work make it easy to meet and interact with your classmates. However, life doesn't stop at the classroom door. There are also many clubs and activities that are available to enhance your university experience.







#### **ONLINE COMMUNITY**

Discuss the latest topic, meet some of your classmates, or find out what's new at the University of Guelph-Humber. These are all things that you can do if you participate in our online message board - the Online Community. Once you receive your Offer of Admission, you will be invited to participate - it's a great way to get connected to the campus before you arrive.

#### STUDENT TRANSITION AND MENTORING PROGRAM (STAMP)

The University of Guelph-Humber is committed to helping you make a successful transition to and through your first year. Every first year student is part of a STAMP group. Each STAMP group is made up of first year students and a STAMP leader who is a senior University of Guelph-Humber student. STAMP groups meet during Orientation. Leaders help students connect to the campus and its resources and will mentor students through the transition to university.

#### KICK START

New students are invited to join us at Kick Start - our summer orientation program. Kick Start is a one-day program designed to facilitate the transition from secondary to postsecondary education by giving new students the opportunity to get information, form new friendships, and explore their new environment. Family members may also participate in Kick Start by attending sessions designed specifically for them.

#### **ORIENTATION**

Orientation week is the official introduction and welcome to the University of Guelph-Humber. During Orientation, students will participate in activities and sessions that are designed to help them become familiar with the campus, meet new people, and learn more about academic life.

#### GUELPH-HUMBER STUDENT ASSOCIATION AND HUMBER STUDENTS' FEDERATION

The Guelph-Humber Student Association (GHSA) and Humber Students' Federation (HSF) are elected by students to represent the needs and interests of University of Guelph-Humber students. The HSF is the campus-wide student government. They provide a range of services including the health and dental plan, legal advice and extensive volunteer and employment opportunities. For more information on the HSF please visit www.hsfweb.com. The GHSA represents University of Guelph-Humber students on issues specific to the University of Guelph-Humber (eg. academics and student life). Both organizations plan activities to make campus life more enjoyable. Barbecues, live concerts, celebrity speakers, comedy nights and off-campus excursions are just some of the events that your student leaders have in store for you.

#### **CLUBS**

Campus clubs cover every activity including athletic, social, religious, cultural and political interests. Some of the many clubs available to join on campus include:

Humber Environmental Action Team (HEAT)

University of Guelph-Humber Yearbook Club

**Events Committee** 

University of Guelph-Humber Business Association (UGHBA)

Muslim Students Association

Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgendered Club (LGBT)

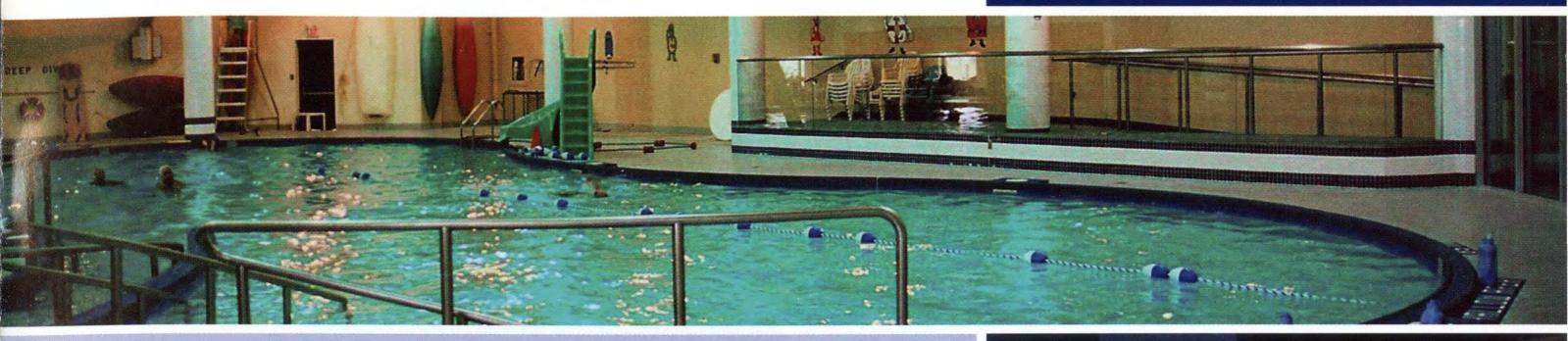
University of Guelph-Humber Power Cheerleading Squad

Journalism Society

Goodwill Unit (G-Unit)

For students having an interest not covered by an existing club, the HSF can help students to set up a new one! They will provide monetary support, meeting space and guidance on how to organize and maintain a club.

#### **Athletics**



A healthy body and a healthy mind go together! Become physically active by getting involved in athletics. All students have access to the Athletics Centre. The newly renovated facility includes:

- three gymnasiums where you can book, or drop in on, a game of badminton, table tennis, volleyball or basketball,
- · a squash court,
- a weight and cardio fitness centre which has treadmills, cross trainers, step machines, weight machines and free weights,
- an aerobics studio where you can try fitness classes such as step, yoga, kickboxing, Pilates and spin,
- · access to the pool which includes a whirlpool and aqua-fit classes, and
- access to the close-by Westwood arena and sports fields

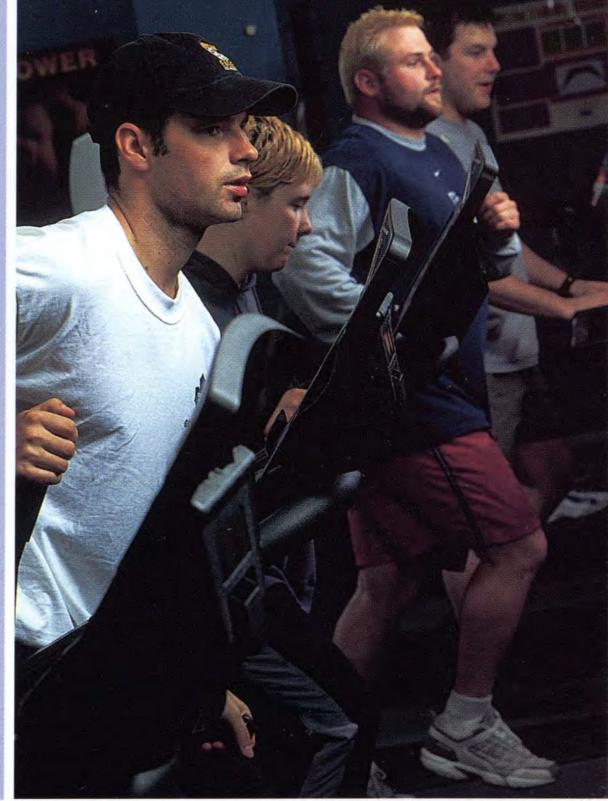
#### **VARSITY TEAMS**

You are eligible to join University of Guelph or Humber College ITAL varsity teams as long as you declare which institution you would like to represent before the first try-out. To join a Humber team students should contact Humber's Director of Athletics at 416-675-6622 ext. 5097. To join a Guelph team, you should contact the coaches directly. You can find their names and contact information at www.uoguelph.ca.

#### INTRAMURAL TEAMS AND CAMPUS RECREATION

Floor hockey, ice hockey, volleyball, basketball, squash, table tennis and indoor soccer. These are all sports that are organized through open times in the gym, intramural leagues, and tournaments throughout the year. In addition, weekly University of Guelph-Humber Gym Nights are another way for students to participate in leagues and pick-up games during the year.

1 To the control of t					
VARSITY SPORTS A	VARSITY SPORTS AT HUMBER ARE				
BASEBALL	М	LACROSSE	M,W	BASKETBALL	M,W
BASKETBALL	M,W	NORDIC SKIING	M,W	GOLF	M,W
CROSS-COUNTRY	M,W	ROWING	M,W	RUGBY	M
FIELD HOCKEY	W	RUGBY	M,W	SOCCER	M,W
FIGURE SKATING	W	SOCCER	M,W	VOLLEYBALL	M,W
FOOTBALL	М	SWIMMING	M,W	DANCE TEAM	M,W
GOLF	M	INDOOR TRACK & FIELD			
HOCKEY	M,W		M,W		
INDOOR HOCKEY	W	VOLLEYBALL	M,W		
		WRESTLING	M,W		
					I = MEN
				W = V	WOMEN





# Housing

ONE OF THE FIRST DECISIONS YOU WILL NEED TO MAKE IS WHERE YOU PLAN TO LIVE WHILE YOU ATTEND THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER. WHETHER YOU PLAN TO LIVE AT HOME OR AWAY FROM HOME, HERE IS SOME INFORMATION TO HELP GET YOU STARTED ON YOUR DECISION.

#### **RESIDENCE**

The University of Guelph-Humber has a limited number of rooms available to first year students in Humber's Student Residence. All rooms are single and are equipped with a twin or double bed, desk and chair, local phone service and voice mail, internet access, and a cable outlet. As well, kitchenettes, lounge space and laundry facilities are readily available. Our living options include co-ed or same sex floors, quiet floors, or two bedroom suite-style rooms with semi-private baths and kitchenettes. In addition, Residence Assistants (RA's for short) live on each floor to support and advise students throughout the year. The cost to live in residence for the entire year is \$4320 (2004-2005 figures, not including meal plan). For more information visit www.guelphhumber.ca/services/ and follow the link to Housing.

#### **HOW TO APPLY**

Application forms will be available online early in the calendar year. All students wishing to live in residence must complete an online residence application form by June 13, 2005. Successful applicants will receive a residence acceptance by June 30, 2005.

#### **RESIDENCE OFFERS**

Last year, every student who applied by the deadline to live in residence received an offer of a room.

If there is limited space available, rooms will be allocated on the basis of distance from campus, academic average, and citizenship involvement as indicated on the online residence application form. Students applying directly from secondary school with admission averages of 90% or greater (calculated on the same basis as the University of Guelph-Humber Entrance Scholarships), who have made a residence application by June 13th, 2005, will be guaranteed a space in residence. Applications received after June 13th 2005 will be considered after all other applications.

Additional details on how to apply to residence will be sent to applicants when we acknowledge applications between late January and early February.



Within a few blocks of campus or close to a bus route there are many types of rooms, houses and apartments available for rent. Our Off-Campus Housing Coordinator and off-campus housing website can help locate the type of housing best suited to your needs. These resources and our online message board help students find a roommate and provide them with helpful hints in finding a home away from home.

We encourage you to begin your search in early July. For more information, call 416-675-6622, ext. 7101 or visit the off-campus housing website at www.humber.ca/housing/offcampus.

#### LIVING AT HOME

Thinking of living at home next year? You're in good company! A federal government study found that 76 per cent of Canada's postsecondary students under the age of 21 live at home during the school year. Saving money and limiting debt are among the reasons students give for this decision. If you are planning on commuting, here is some information for you to consider:

#### **Public Transit**

Travelling to the University of Guelph-Humber by public transit is easy. TTC, GO Transit, Mississauga Transit and Brampton Transit stop right outside the campus. Check page 25 for specific information.

#### Carpooling

Students who live near each other and share common class times may wish to establish a carpool. The University of Guelph-Humber is a destination on www.carpool.ca - a website to help carpoolers connect. Students who carpool can share a parking pass to further save on costs.





REGARDLESS OF WHERE YOU CHOOSE TO LIVE, OUR ORIENTATION AND MENTORING PROGRAMS WILL HELP YOU CONNECT TO AND PARTICIPATE FULLY IN STUDENT LIFE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GUELPH-HUMBER.



# **Food Services**

There is a wide range of food service outlets available on-campus to cater to your dietary needs. Enjoy a complete campus dining experience that features popular national brands such as Harvey's, Pizza Pizza and Mr. Sub. In an open marketplace setting, the Res Café Dining Hall and the Food Emporium offer a variety of culinary options at the Garden Emporium, Fresh Grille, Culinary Table, and Menutainment for your made-to-order entrees. Other North Campus eateries include: the Ackee Tree for Caribbean cuisine, Java Jazz coffeehouse, Tout Sweet candy store, Bubble Tease and Trattoria. In the University of Guelph-Humber building Williams Coffee Pub features freshly made salads, baguettes, soups, delicious desserts, gourmet coffees and teas, and other premium beverages. Be sure to check out the on-campus pub Caps that sells food and drinks, and also features many entertainment events throughout the year.



#### **CAMPUS DINING PLAN**

The Campus Dining Plan is designed specifically for students living offcampus. This dining plan offers many practical and economical benefits for students. Most Campus Dining Plan purchases are also PST & GST exempt, a guaranteed savings of 7-15% on meal purchases.

#### **RESIDENCE DINING PLAN**

All students living in residence are required to purchase the Residence Dining Plan. The Res Café Dining Hall and Convenience Store is open from 7:00 am to midnight most days and provides nutritious and delicious menu items, quality foods and a friendly environment with exceptional service and flexibility.



# **Important Dates**

November 2004	Find out everything you want to know about the University of Guelph-Humber at Fall Information Day on November 14th.
January 2005	All applicants are encouraged to apply to OUAC by January 12th for Fall 2005 entry.
	In late January, the University of Guelph-Humber will begin to acknowledge all applications with a package of information about admissions, residence, programs and scholarship forms.
February 2005	The recommended last date for applicants to submit changes or additional choices to their application through the OUAC is February 7th.
	Transfer and Mature students are welcome to join us at our Transfer Student Evening, February 22nd.
	Offers of Admission may be made to students with excellent academic performance beginning in February.
March 2005	March 1st is the deadline for applications to the Bachelor of Applied Arts - Media Studies program. All applications for this program must be received at the OUAC on or before this date for consideration for Fall 2005 entry.
	Selected applicants to the Media Studies program will be asked to attend an interview and portfolio review meeting, as part of the admissions process during the month of April.
	March Break Days give students a chance to visit the campus on their March Break, March 14th, 16th and 18th.
	Residence Applications will be made available in early March.
April 2005	Student Profiles are due on April 1st.
	Needs-Based Entrance Award applications are due on April 1st.
	Additional Offers of Admission will begin to be made in early April to applicants in all programs other than Media Studies for Fall 2005.
May 2005	Offers of Admission will continue to qualified secondary school applicants for all University of Guelph-Humber programs.
	Applicants are welcome to visit us on Applicant Information Day, May 1st.
June 2005	By early June, all secondary school applicants will receive an admissions decision.
	University and College transfer applicants must apply by June 1st and submit required documents (including official transcripts from all secondary and postsecondary institutions attended) by June 13th.
	All secondary school applicants offered admission will be required to respond to their Offers of Admission by June 13th.
	Residence Application Forms are due on June 13th.

Our campus is conveniently located near Highway 427 and Finch Avenue. Buses link you to downtown Toronto, Mississauga and Brampton and stop right in front of the campus.



#### Travelling by car:

The University of Guelph-Humber is located on the north campus of the Humber College Institute of Technology and Applied Learning, southwest of the intersection for Finch Avenue & Highway 27. From Highway 401, take the 409/427 connection and drive north on Highway 427. Take the Finch Avenue exit and drive east. Turn right onto Humber College Boulevard.

#### Travelling via public transport to the **University of Guelph-Humber:**

- Toronto Transit Commission (www.ttc.ca) Phone: 416-393-4636
- Brampton Transit (www.city.brampton.on.ca) Phone: 905-874-2750
- Mississauga Transit (www.mississaugatransit.com) Phone: 905-615-4636
- York Region Transit (www.yorkregiontransit.com) Phone: 1-866-668-3978
- · GO Transit (www.gotransit.com) Phone: 416-869-3200



#### Tours

We offer tours daily throughout the week. Please book your tour by calling 416-798-1331 or by emailing us at info@guelphhumber.ca.

#### Contact Us!

Give us a call:

Telephone: 416-798-1331

Visit our Website:

www.guelphhumber.ca

Send us an E-mail Message:

info@guelphhumber.ca

Send us a fax:

Fax: 416-798-1991

Write to us:

University of Guelph-Humber 205 Humber College Blvd. Toronto, Ontario M9W 5L7

# **Special Events**

#### **FALL INFORMATION DAY**

Sunday, November 14, 2004

Find out everything you want to know about the University of Guelph-Humber. Join us for program-specific tours and information sessions, and speak with faculty and staff. Please register by calling 416-798-1331, or by emailing us at info@guelphhumber.ca.

#### MARCH BREAK DAYS

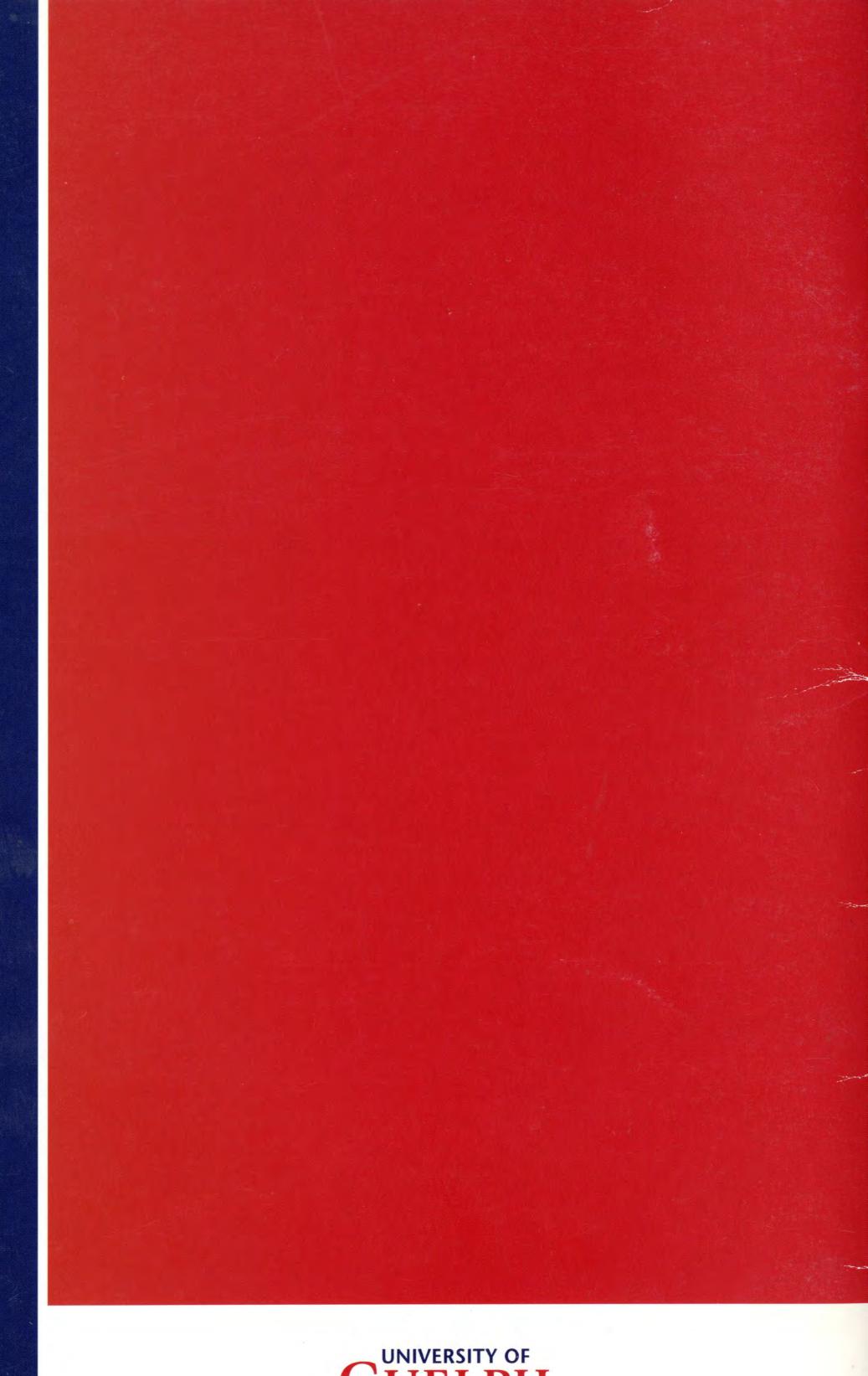
March 14, 16 and 18, 2005

Join us for a day during March Break! Our March Break Days allow applicants and their parents to find out more about the University of Guelph-Humber. Take part in our campus and residence tours and hear personal stories on the lives of University of Guelph-Humber students. Speak to staff members about admissions criteria, important deadlines, and student life.

#### APPLICANT INFORMATION DAY

Sunday, May 1, 2005

This informative event is geared toward students who have received an Offer of Admission and their families. Guests will enjoy hearing from students, faculty and staff who will speak about our programs and services at the University of Guelph-Humber. Please register by calling 416-798-1331, or by emailing us at info@guelphhumber.ca.



# GUELPH HUMBER

University of Guelph-Humber 207 Humber College Blvd Toronto, Ontario M9W 5L7

Telephone: 416-798-1331 www.guelphhumber.ca