Canadian Students at Niagara University

“Niagara University was a great option for me because of its record of both academic and athletic success.”
Jason Beattie, ’13
(Newmarket, Ontario, Canada)

Mission with Meaning
Our focus on experiential and service learning brings the heart of our mission together with the power of civic engagement, community service and real world experience to have significant impact on the learning experience of our students, and on the needs of the community. Whether it’s preparing income taxes for the elderly, tutoring urban elementary school students or conducting breast cancer research with professors, our students strive to assist those less fortunate.

Excellent Academic Programs
Niagara University offers 80+ majors, six preprofessional options and two five-year combined master’s programs. U.S. News & World Report consistently ranks Niagara among the best colleges and universities in the north. The diversity of course offerings allows students the flexibility to pursue unique interests through minors, double majors, honors programs, internships, co-ops, study abroad, research courses and service opportunities. Niagara University is preparing students for graduate school and professional success.

Numerous Opportunities in an Intimate Setting
Niagara University has 3,300 undergraduates and more than 870 graduate students studying on campus and worldwide. It has an average class size of 24 students and student-to-faculty ratio of 12:1. Our professors are highly approachable and serve as close, caring mentors to students throughout their academic program and beyond. Ninety-four percent of Niagara professors have earned the highest degrees in their fields.

Real-World Learning
Hands-on experience is a hallmark of a Niagara education. Niagara students have access to the latest equipment and technologies, such as state-of-the-art TV production studios, model pre-K thru 12 classrooms, a high-tech financial services lab and modern science labs in the newly constructed interdisciplinary science center. Co-ops and research opportunities are available in all majors. Niagara University students work side by side with their professors on a variety of collaborative projects. Research is an excellent way for undergraduate students to gain practical, high-level experience, further setting them apart as they prepare to enter graduate school and careers.

Academic Exploration Program
(Undeclared/undecided program)

College of Arts & Sciences
Art History with Museum Studies
Biochemistry
• Bioinformatics
Biology
• Bioinformatics
• Biotechnology
• Environmental Studies
Chemistry: BA/BS
• Computational Chemistry
• Environmental Studies
Communication Studies
Computer & Information Sciences
Criminology
• BS/MS Criminal Justice Administration
(five-year program)
English
French
History
International Studies
Liberal Arts
Life Sciences
Mathematics: BA/BS
Nursing
• RN to BS
• Accelerated
Philosophy
Political Science
• Environmental Studies
Psychology
Religious Studies
Social Sciences
Social Work
Sociology
Spanish
Theatre: BFA
• Design Technology
• General
• Performance
Associate Degree
General Studies
College of Business Administration
Accounting (BBA)
• BBA/MBA Accounting
(five-year program)
Economics
Finance
Management
• Human Resources
• Integrated/General
• International Business
• Supply Chain
Marketing
Associate Degree
Business
“As a Niagara University graduate and now a professor here, I have personally experienced the uniqueness of this university and I would highly recommend that you consider it as one of your choices. Education is an important investment and what you are investing in at Niagara University is the opportunity to receive a great education from faculty who have the highest academic qualifications and a strong commitment to their students. I have a niece and a nephew studying here, and they love it.”

Vince Rinaldo
Professor, College of Education

Easy Commute
Niagara University has many Canadian students that commute daily from their homes in Canada. We are located on the Niagara River, close to three international bridges and minutes from the Fashion Outlets of Niagara and major sporting events. Crossing the border is quick and easy with a NEXUS card.

Affordability
Merit scholarships are available for all international students pursuing undergraduate study. They are awarded automatically once a student is accepted. The merit scholarships total $32,000–$60,000 over four years. Niagara University offers generous transfer student scholarships, major specific awards and Division I athletic scholarships. Current tuition is approximately $26,100 U.S. per year, with room and board an additional $11,300. Any outside awards and OSAP will be applied to this amount.

You’re Home At Niagara University
Niagara University has 100-plus student clubs and organizations, including honor societies. In addition, the Kiernan Recreation Center offers a wide variety of recreational and health/wellness programs. Would you like to live at Niagara University? On-campus housing is available for all four years in traditional residence halls, village housing or student apartment complexes.

Become A Purple Eagle
Eight men’s and 10 women’s NCAA Division I teams compete in the Metro Atlantic Athletic Conference and the Atlantic Hockey Association. We also offer very active club and intramural sports programs. Show your purple pride by joining N-Zone, one of the best student cheering sections in the country.

Apply
Visit www.niagara.edu/apply to fill out a free online application. We require an official high school transcript, official SAT or ACT scores, a letter of recommendation and a 250 word personal statement. Information on scheduling the SAT exam is available at www.collegeboard.org. Niagara has rolling admissions, so you may apply throughout the year. Contact our international admissions counselor, Tara Keigley, at tkeigley@niagara.edu for details.