

Global ME (Mobility Engagement) Program



Inbound to Lakehead

CONTACT INFORMATION

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GENERAL INFORMATION & IMPORTANT DATES

Semester	FALL 2024	WINTER 2025
Teaching Period	September 3, 2024 - December 3, 2024	January 6, 2025 - April 4, 2025
Examination Period	December 5, 2024 - December 16, 2024	April 7, 2025 - April 19, 2025
Nomination Deadline	April 30	October 15
Application Deadline	May 15	October 31



NOMINATION & APPLICATION PROCEDURES

Nomination	 To nominate students, partner institutions must contact globalme@lakehead.ca to have access to the nomination form. When nominating students, partner institutions must upload the following supporting documents: 1) English Proficiency Attestation Letter Do NOT submit formal English test scores (IELTS, TOEFL etc). A letter of attestation is all that is required for admission. If you accidentally upload a student's English proficiency score that does not meet Lakehead's requirements, your student may be inadmissible. 2) Academic Transcripts
Application	Shortly after being nominated, students will receive an email from us containing instructions on how to complete the web-based application form through our OUAC online system.

ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Course Timetables	2023-2024 Course Timetable
Academic Calendar	Academic Calendar 2023 - 2024
Program Offerings	https://www.lakeheadu.ca/programs
Restricted Study Areas	Law, Nursing, and some Social Work and Education courses. Students coming through bi-lateral partnerships are not permitted to take Masters or PHD level courses.
Course Load	Students can register up to a maximum of 5 courses per semester. A course that runs for one semester is worth 0.5 FCE (Full Credit Equivalent) and consists of 36 lecture hours. Typically, 0.5 FCE = 6 ECTS. (<i>Example: 5 courses = 2.5 FCE = 30 ECTS</i>).
Grading Structure	https://www.lakeheadu.ca/studentcentral/exams-grades/transcript-legend
Academic Fees	Inbound exchange students will be required to pay ancillary fees per semester (16 Weeks) <u>Ancillary Fees 2023-2024</u> * Thunder Bay Campus: \$150.89 Orillia Campus: \$67.14 *Fees are subject to change without notice.



ACCOMMODATIONS

Thunder Bay Residence	Housing Choices: Accommodations at Thunder Bay Campus are divided into three living styles: residence halls, apartments and townhouses. Inbound exchange students attending the Thunder Bay campus typically choose to stay in Townhouse or Apartment style accommodations, in which they will have a private room and share a full kitchen, bathroom, and living space with up to three other students.
Thunder Bay Residence Fees	Please <u>click here</u> to view the current fee structure.
Orillia Residence	Inbound exchange students attending the Orillia campus will stay in single-room accommodations with a shared bathroom. Students must opt in to the mandatory meal plan and do not have access to their own kitchen.
Orillia Residence Fees	Please <u>click here</u> to view the current fee structure.

STUDENT SERVICES

Student Health & Wellness Center	The Student Health and Wellness Center offers on-campus medical services and mental health counseling support to all Lakehead students, free of charge. More information on these services can be found <u>here.</u>
Student Accessibility Services	Student Accessibility Services (SAS) is a free service that organizes various supports for students with documented disabilities or medical conditions. More information about SAS can be found <u>here</u> .
Student Success Center	The Student Success Center assists students with academic support such as group and private tutoring and workshops, and employment support. More information about the SSC can be found <u>here</u> .
Lakehead University International (LUI)	Lakehead University International (LUI) is the first point of contact for all international students on campus. LUI offers advising services, immigration support, and runs several student events and programming throughout the semester. More information about LUI can be found <u>here.</u>
Lakehead University Student Union (LUSU)	The Lakehead University Student Union (LUSU) is for students, run by students. LUSU offers a discounted bus pass that exchange students may purchase for their semester. They also organized student clubs and associations. More information about LUSU and its services can be found <u>here.</u>
Athletics & Gymnasium Access	Lakehead University students have free access to the on-campus gymnasium, weight rooms, swimming pool, and other athletic centers. There are various varsity and intramural sports clubs that students can join, and a hot yoga studio on campus. More information can be found <u>here.</u>



HEALTH INSURANCE

Health Insurance	Inbound exchange students will be automatically enrolled and billed for the mandatory health insurance plan (Guard.Me) for a rate of \$1.95 per day . This will allow them to access medical services on and off-campus. Students will receive a digital copy of their Guard.Me health coverage by email prior to their arrival in Canada. You can view more information about the Guard.Me coverage on <u>this link</u> .
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VISA REQUIREMENTS

Visa & Study Permit Requirements	Students from visa-exempt countries who will be studying in Canada for under 6 months may be eligible to enter Canada with an eTA. More information can be found <u>here</u> . Students from non visa-exempt countries require a Visa and Study Permit in order to enter Canada. More information can be found <u>here.</u>
Immigration Support	Students can book an appointment with our International Immigration Officer for support on any questions related to Study Permits, Visas, and regulations about working in Canada. Click <u>here</u> to book an appointment.
Working Conditions for Inbound Exchange Students	Students who are not registered in degree-seeking programs are typically not given working conditions on their Study Permit. More information about working in Canada as an international student can be found <u>here.</u>

Official Transcript

Official Transcript	Completion of Fall Semester: In early January, Lakehead will email an official transcript to a mobility program coordinator who nominated a student(s) and the student(s).
	Completion of Winter Semester: In early May, Lakehead will email an official transcript to a mobility program coordinator who nominated a student(s) and the student(s).