

# **TMU Inbound Exchange Fact Sheet**

For Staff Use

**Academic Year 2025 - 2026** 

# **Eligibility**

To participate in an exchange at Toronto Metropolitan University, students must:

- Be currently registered at an institution that has an exchange agreement with Toronto Metropolitan University (visit our <u>Exchange Database</u> for full list)
- · Have completed at least one academic year with a full course load at the home university
- Be able to conduct written and group work in English. All courses at Toronto Metropolitan
  University are in English. Students do not need to submit proof of English proficiency. However,
  we recommend that all students ensure that their level of English meet Toronto Metropolitan
  University's english language requirements for their selected exchange program
- Have a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or 70% equivalent.

Significant Dates				
	FALL 2025	WINTER 2026		
Semester Dates (including exams)	September 2nd to mid- December 2025	January 6th to April 12th 2026* (tentative dates)		
Nomination Period	March 3rd to April 25th, 2025	July 14th to August 31st, 2025		
Application Deadline	March 13th to May 9th, 2025	August 15th to September 27th, 2025		

Please refer to the Academic Calender for the exact dates by year https://www.torontomu.ca/calendar/



### **Nominations**

To be nominated for exchange at Toronto Metropolitan University, students must first apply to their home institution's exchange program. Once the students have been accepted by their home institution, the institution will then nominate the students to Toronto Metropolitan University.

 A link to the nomination form will be sent out to exchange partners in early March 2025 for Fall 2025 term and early July 2025 for Winter 2026 term. If you have not received the link, please contact global.learning@torontomu.ca

## **Applications**

All nominated students will be emailed the application instructions within 10 days once their nomination has been approved, and will be invited to apply via the online portal.

#### **Application Requirements:**

	Unofficial Transcript	Portfolio
Faculty of Arts	<b>√</b>	
Faculty of Community Services	<b>✓</b>	
Faculty of Engineering & Architectural Science	<b>✓</b>	<b>√</b>
Faculty of Science	✓	
Ted Rogers School of Management	<b>✓</b>	
The Creative School	✓	

### **Student Selection Process**

Applications will be processed once all supporting documents have been received and will be reviewed by the relevant academic departments for approval.

If the students are successful, they will receive an initial acceptance email, followed by an official Offer of Admissions letter that they can use to apply for any immigration documents they may need.



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## **Important Notes** After completing an exchange at TMU, the faculty exchange coordinator will email a PDF version of the original transcript to the student and CC their Student institution's study abroad office. Please note, TMU will not release exchange **Transcripts** students' transcripts if they have any outstanding student fees (e.g.UHIP fee, library late charges, etc.). Minimum English proficiency guidelines can be found on the English Language Requirements page for specific scores for CAEL, Cambridge Assessment English, Duolingo English Test, IELTS, PTE, TOEFL. **English** Language While students are not required to provide TMU with their Proof Of English Requirements proficiency, these results are used as guidelines. It is the responsibility of the home institution to ensure that the students who are nominated for exchange at Toronto Metropolitan University have a proficient level of English proficiency. Exchange students must choose courses offered in the Toronto Metropolitan University Undergraduate Program Listings when completing their learning agreement. Exchange students are required to take a minimum of four courses and a maximum of six courses. When preparing a study plan, students should choose 8-10 courses per semester to allow for flexibility during the enrollment process. The courses listed in the Undergraduate Program Calendar may not be offered every semester! Learning Furthermore, course schedule conflicts may arise or courses may fill up quickly. Agreements & Courses Having extra courses pre-selected and pre-approved at the home institution will allow the student the most flexibility. Course registration will be done by the student's exchange coordinator at TMU students will not register themselves in courses. The exchange coordinator will reach out to students directly with more information on the course registration process. Each program has its own process, so please advise students to reach out to their exchange coordinator at TMU if they have any questions. Incoming exchange students at Toronto Metropolitan University can also access mental health resources, such as one-on-one or group counselling, through Toronto Metropolitan University's Centre for Student Development and Mental Health Support Counselling (CSDC) when they are on campus.

The services offered by the CSDC are available to all students, regardless of if

they have a previous or existing mental health condition.



### All exchange students are required to have Toronto Metropolitan University's mandatory health insurance, also known as University Health Insurance Plan (UHIP). They should review UHIP's coverage and, if necessary, purchase additional health insurance to cover services that are not covered by UHIP, such as dental care, prescription drugs, etc. Mandatory Health Cost of UHIP for the 2023/2024 year: Insurance One-Semester Enrolment = \$252.00 CAD Full-Year Enrolment = \$504.00 CAD For more information, please see: https://www.torontomu.ca/international/student-support/health/ For entry into Canada, students will require a Visitor's Visa, or an eTA (electronic Travel Authorization) if they are from a visa-exempt country. In some cases they may require a Study Permit (study for more than 6 months). **Overseas** Student Visas Off-campus work (including placements/internships) is restricted to those with a valid Work Permit. For the most up-to-date visa information, students should contact the nearest Canadian visa office or visit the following website. Exchange students are responsible for arranging their own housing while at **Toronto Metropolitan University.** The majority of exchange students at Toronto Metropolitan University live offcampus. Full-Year Students (Sept to May) can apply to live in an on-campus Housing residence. However, space is limited and acceptance is not guaranteed. Oncampus housing costs range from \$1600 - \$2600 CAD per month. Housing in Toronto is expensive and short-term housing is difficult to secure. Students regularly pay anywhere from \$1000 - \$2800 CAD per month. Students who have a disability (visible or invisible, permanent or temporary) that affects their academic functioning can access Toronto Metropolitan University's Academic Accommodation Support for assistance and services. This includes support for singular or multiple disabilities such as learning disabilities, sensory Academic impairments, acquired brain injuries, ADHD, and mental health, medical, or Accommodation mobility issues. Support The Academic Accommodation Support office works confidentially with

exchange students. Students who require support should contact the Academic Accommodation Support office at aasadmin@torontomu.ca for their exchange.

