



CANADIAN  
UNIVERSITY DUBAI

Your portal to Canadian education

UNDERGRADUATE  
MINI PROSPECTUS  
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## ABOUT US

# WELCOME TO CANADIAN UNIVERSITY DUBAI

Canadian University Dubai (CUD) was established in 2006 to deliver high-quality tertiary education in the UAE and provide a gateway for students to pursue higher education opportunities in Canada.

CUD is located in the heart of downtown Dubai and each of our academic programs is based on Canadian curriculum and education principles. This gives students the opportunity to obtain a Canadian education while experiencing the unique culture and values of the United Arab Emirates.

Our goal is to move each student forward as a well-rounded lifelong learner and good global citizen. To achieve this, emphasis is placed not just on academic excellence and achievement, but also on extracurricular involvement. Our vibrant student life provides something for everybody, from sports to concerts, and various international trips in between.



### Truly Multicultural

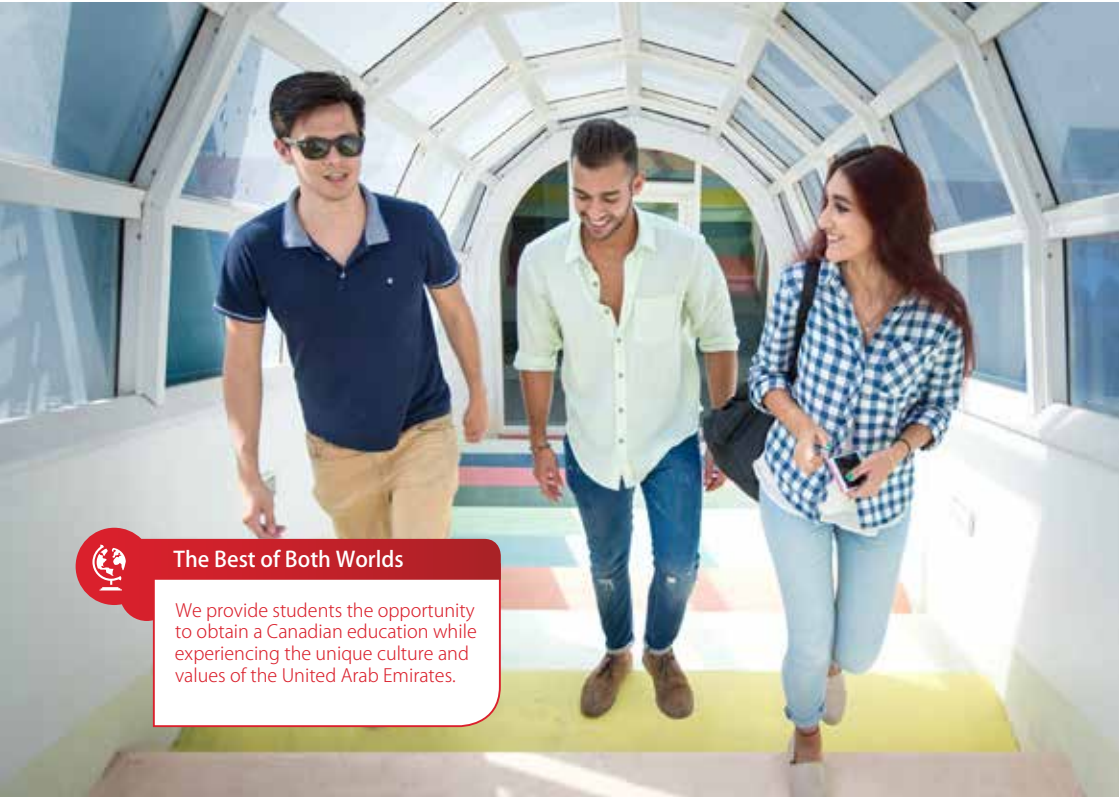
With over 100 different nationalities that call our University home, our diverse student community is building bridges across cultures and continents.

Our University is proud of the Canadian and UAE values of equality and friendship – this can be seen everywhere on our campus, and is reflected in the entire University experience.

Students are also involved in many different types of social activities, including community fundraising, team building, and networking events.



# WHY CHOOSE US?



## The Best of Both Worlds

We provide students the opportunity to obtain a Canadian education while experiencing the unique culture and values of the United Arab Emirates.

There are many reasons to choose our University for your undergraduate or graduate studies, but let us tell you what sets us apart from our peers:

- We offer an education based on the Canadian curriculum, giving us internationally recognized quality and credibility.
- As a portal to Canadian Higher Education, we offer many unique options for students wishing to study or research in Canada.
- All of our programs are accredited by the UAE Ministry of Education - Higher Education Affairs.
- We have a convenient downtown Dubai location with state of the art academic and recreational facilities.
- Our faculty are highly qualified and inspirational in their field of instruction.
- We are a student-centred university, where we value student success above all else.
- We offer flexible schedules – evening and weekend classes are available.
- Our Research Centre provides students with the opportunity to be involved in cutting edge research internationally and in the UAE.

This brochure is for information purposes only. For full details of any of our programs or other information, please consult our website [www.cud.ac.ae](http://www.cud.ac.ae). All information in this or any other University publication may be subject to change.

# ACADEMIC FACULTIES

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All of our undergraduate programs are accredited by the UAE Ministry of Education – Higher Education Affairs. All degree programs are housed within one of our three academic Faculties and cater to a wide range of interests.

## **FACULTY OF ENGINEERING AND ARCHITECTURE**

The Faculty of Engineering and Architecture is one of the most innovative faculties in Canadian University Dubai. It combines faculty specialists and state-of-the-art facilities within both the engineering and architecture fields. Students are encouraged to be innovative and self-starting in their chosen study area. The Faculty offers a wide range of innovative programmes and collaborates with a number of international partners both in the delivery of its programs and in its pursuit of first-class research. Students graduating from this faculty have gone on to further their studies in Canada or assume fulfilling jobs in their respective industry.

### **1. Department of Electrical Engineering**

The Department of Electrical Engineering offers students specialized degree programs which align with Canadian and international degree standards, and share common curricula in the first two years, allowing for easy transfer between the two.

Students have the opportunity to study in world class laboratories equipped with the latest technologies mirroring and even exceeding some of the top engineering schools in North America. At senior level, students have the chance to conduct research within Canadian University Dubai's Office of Research Services. We offer:

- Bachelor of Science in Telecommunication Engineering
- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Electronics\*
- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Mechatronics\*
- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Telecommunications\*

### **2. Department of Computer Engineering and Computational Sciences**

The Department of Computer Engineering and Computational Sciences has built its reputation on its ability to respond to real-world situations. By virtue of its dynamic and fast-moving nature, students enrolled in this program are in the enviable position of having a plethora of opportunities ahead of them as we prepare them for the privileged task of creating the world around us. Computing skills are useful in many areas including information systems, health research, physics, gaming and communications. The goal of the program is to train students both in the fundamental principles of computer science and in related aspects of information technology. We offer:

- Bachelor of Science in Network Engineering
- Bachelor of Computer and Networking Engineering Technology

### **3. Department of Architecture**

Students enrolled in our architecture programme have the unique experience of drawing inspiration from some of the world's most famous architectural successes, including the Burj Khalifa, located less than one mile away from the University campus. We offer:

- Bachelor of Architecture (Five year Program)

\* Subject to approval from UAE Ministry of Education – Higher Education Affairs

#### 4. **Department of Interior Design**

Our Department of Interior Design aims to enable students to become multi-functional with an ability to blend fundamentals of Business with creativity in technology, design and art. Through interactive lectures and practical workshops a student is trained to design the interior and exterior aspects of buildings with focus on the creation of pleasing atmospheres and surroundings for stakeholders & end-users alike, all in a safe and environmentally friendly atmosphere. We offer:

- Bachelor of Science in Interior Design

### **FACULTY OF COMMUNICATION ARTS AND SCIENCES**

The world of communication is fascinating, fast-paced, and ever-changing. A university graduate with strong oral, written, and visual communication skills will enter the job market ready to shine in many roles, industries and work settings.

It is generally known that one of the skills business leaders value most is communication, both oral and written whether in Public Relations, Advertisement, Journalism or in Social, Healthcare or Environmental Sciences.

The Department of Communication Arts and Sciences offers a range of majors, encompassing curricula which focus on these areas with relevance to a multi-cultural environment. Our courses bring together critical theory and real-world practice through the exploration of a variety of topics, including health campaigns, sports communication, humor and media, intercultural communication, radio production, newspapers and new media production.

Students in F.C.A.S. will gain an interdisciplinary perspective and a clear understanding that the skills they develop through learning will enhance their employment prospects in the competitive employment market they will face after graduation.

#### 1. **Department of Communication**

The Bachelor of Arts in Communication within the Department of Communication offers students the opportunity to select one of three concentration areas taught both in English and Arabic. It will provide you with a comprehensive understanding of modern media while preparing you for work in this dynamic business sector. We offer:

- Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Journalism
- Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Advertisement
- Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Public Relations

#### 2. **Department of Environmental Health Sciences**

The Department of Environmental Health Sciences prepares graduates to face the current global health and environmental challenges of our time and those of future generations. We deliver environment and health management education through well balanced, comprehensive and student-centered programs in order to produce knowledgeable and skilled professionals who are prepared to meet the needs of the industry in the UAE and internationally. Each Program delivers a combination of academic and applied learning related to current & future health and environment concerns. We offer:

- Associate Degree in Food Safety
- Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health Management
- Bachelor of Science in Health Organization Management
- Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management

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## 3. Department of Social Sciences

This Department is concerned with society and the relationships among individuals within that society. It involves the study of society and the manner in which people behave and influence the world around us. Social Sciences tell us about the world beyond our immediate experience and help to explain how our own society works. Our programs focus on how Social Sciences can provide analysis on the dynamics of multi-cultural societies such as is found in the UAE and societies in other countries. We propose to offer:

- Bachelor of Arts in Psychology\*

## 4. Department of Creative Industries

The exclusive Bachelor of Creative Industries has been carefully designed, in partnership with Ryerson University, Toronto's world renowned Faculty of Communications and Design (FCAD), home to the number one university based incubator in North America, designed to give you the skills you will need to successfully lead in the creative workplace. Students will turn theory into practice and create start-ups as part of the program via zones and incubators.

As part of this exciting program you will develop your competencies in communication, digital technology, critical thinking, research design, collaboration and teamwork while informing you about the economic, legal, political and technological environment in which creative enterprises function. You will also get to choose among select creative industries and explore one of them in more depth, perfectly preparing you to meet the ever-changing needs of the creative industries. We propose to offer:

- Bachelor of Arts in Creative Industries (BACI)\* with concentrations in:
  - Bachelor of Arts in Creative Industries in Interior Design
  - Bachelor of Arts in Creative Industries in Fashion Industry
  - Bachelor of Arts in Creative Industries in Communication Studies
  - Bachelor of Arts in Creative Industries in Media Business

## FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT

Our Faculty of Management is a leader in management education in the UAE and throughout the Gulf region. World class faculty members from Canada, the United States, and Europe deliver our programs aimed at preparing students for the challenges they will face as business leaders in the increasingly globalized marketplace.

At undergraduate level, the Faculty of Management offers distinct undergraduate program options with the following degrees:

- Bachelor of Business Administration in Marketing
- Bachelor of Business Administration in e-Business
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Human Resource Management
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting and Finance
- Bachelor of Business Administration in International Business
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Operations and Supply Management
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Sports Management
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Events and Tourism
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Forensic Accounting
- Bachelor of Business Administration in Luxury Marketing
- Associate Degree in Marketing

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# CONTINUING EDUCATION





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Continuing Education at CUD supports students in developing the relevant core skills to enter degree-level programs. We provide the following courses of study.

### 1. English for Academic Purposes

The English for Academic Purposes (EAP) program is provided to students who have the academic credentials to join a university program, but have yet to demonstrate that they meet the English language proficiency requirements.

The EAP program is an intensive University level certificate, specifically designed to help you prepare for academic life and achieve the necessary English language standards to progress in our academic programs.

- **EAP Courses**

The EAP course you take will depend upon your English language skills at the time of entry. You will need to provide a valid IELTS or TOEFL test score prior to registering for EAP, to ensure that you enter the appropriate program. Without a valid test score, you will automatically be placed in EAP - 101.

The course content for each EAP program is designed to take you from your current level to the corresponding Target IELTS or TOEFL score.

### 2. Math's for Academic Purposes

Courses are offered to students who do not yet have the necessary mathematical background or knowledge to successfully undertake Credit Math's Courses. This is an intensive University level certificate program designed to prepare the student for those courses.

Classes are delivered in a friendly classroom environment where students will collaborate with their colleagues and the teacher. Extra tutorials are available for those students who feel they require extra help.

- **Registration**

All students with the exception of those in Communications Programs are required to complete a Math's Skills Test prior to attempting Credit Math's Courses. Students who pass the test will proceed directly to Credit Courses. Students who are unsuccessful will be required to take either MTH 011, College Algebra for those students who are registering for Business or Health Courses or MTH 012 Pre- Calculus for those registering for Architecture, Interior design or Engineering Courses.

### 3. Foundation Program

The aim of the Foundation Program is to provide courses in English Language, Arabic Language, Mathematics, Information Technology and General Study Skills (Personal Professional Development) to national and non-national students who hold a UAE High School Certificate but have not met the minimum of 60% required for direct entry to higher education.

The Foundation Program will comprise five core components (courses):

- English Communications
- Arabic Communications
- Mathematics
- Information Technology
- General Study Skills

# STUDY IN CANADA AND ABROAD

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### From Coast to Coast

Our Canadian Pathway Partners span from one coast of Canada to the other. That's over 5,000km! We are always adding new partnerships and articulation agreements; there is a lot of Canada to explore.

Our goal at Canadian University Dubai is to provide a portal to Canadian education. Through our established partnerships with a range of Canadian higher education institutions, you can choose to transfer your credits earned at Canadian University Dubai to complete your degree in Canada, or take part in a student exchange or summer study camp program.

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- Transfer in the first or second year to one of our pathway partners and complete your degree in Canada.
- Spend an academic semester in Canada then return to the UAE to complete your degree with us.
- Participate in a summer program to enhance your English skills and learn about Canadian history and culture.

Beyond our formal partnerships, we also have a well-established reputation in Canada and many of our students have transferred their credits to top Canadian institutions such as the University of Toronto, McGill University and the University of British Columbia.

### TRANSFER PARTNERS

The following institutions accept Canadian University Dubai credits as transfer credits. All programs have at least one formal partner in Canada (or the US for Architecture).

#### **Brock University**

Located in the beautiful Niagara region of Southern Ontario, Brock University offers up to PhD level studies across a broad range of academic disciplines.

[Transfer program in Communications](#)

#### **Centennial College**

A Canadian based Community College located in Toronto, Ontario, Centennial College provides training courses for students of all backgrounds. It offers a comprehensive list of programs, from 1-year certificates to 2-year diplomas in addition to some specific 4 year applied degrees, and emphasizes practical experience with industry placements.

[Transfer program in Engineering](#)

#### **Douglas College**

With over 35 years of experience offering academic and career programs in Greater Vancouver, British Columbia, Douglas College offers Bachelors degrees, general university arts and science courses and is a recognized leader in career programs.

[Transfer program in Business](#)

#### **Lakehead University**

Located in Thunder Bay, Ontario, Lakehead is an inclusive University recognized for its innovative programs and cutting-edge research.

[Transfer programs in Business and Health](#)

#### **Lawrence Technological University (USA)**

Lawrence Technological University is located in Southfield, Michigan, USA. It offers a range of undergraduate and graduate programs in Engineering, Architecture, Science, Mathematics and Business. Founded in 1932, it has consistently been ranked among the top Universities in the Midwest offering Masters Programs.

[Transfer program in Architecture](#)

#### **University of Lethbridge**

Founded in Lethbridge, Alberta, the University of Lethbridge offers undergraduate and graduate programs where inspired teaching is emphasized within a personalized interactive learning environment. A place where student engagement in learning, creative activities, and research takes place every day.

[Transfer program in Business](#)

### University of New Brunswick

Established in 1785, the University of New Brunswick is Canada's oldest English speaking university that offers up to PhD level study across a broad range of academic fields.

[Transfer program in Business](#)



### Niagara College

Located in the famous Niagara Falls region of Ontario, Niagara College is a degree granting college with innovative applied programs in many fields including health and tourism.

[Transfer program in Business](#)



### University of Ontario Institute of Technology

Located in Oshawa, Ontario, the University of Ontario Institute of Technology offers many unique career-focused undergraduate and graduate programs within a high-tech learning environment.

[Transfer programs in Communication and Forensic Psychology](#)



### Vancouver Island University

Having three campuses across pristine Vancouver Island, Vancouver Island University offers an enriched and intellectually stimulating environment for students and employees.

[Transfer programs in Business and Interior Design](#)



### Queen's University

Queen's University is a public research university located in Kingston, Ontario. It is one of Canada's oldest degree-granting universities, renowned for tradition, academic excellence, research, and a beautiful waterfront campus with modern facilities.

[Transfer program in Computer Science](#)



### Wilfrid Laurier University

For more than a century, Wilfrid Laurier University has been known for academic excellence. Laurier's two campuses are in Waterloo and Brantford, and they also have a Faculty of Social Work in Kitchener and a weekend MBA program in Toronto.

[Transfer programs in Business and Health](#)



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## GENERAL AGREEMENT PARTNERS

Canadian University Dubai has a number of general agreements with universities elsewhere in the world that may facilitate degree completion, student exchange, faculty exchange, and other activities.

### Athabasca University

As Canada's foremost Open University, Athabasca University provides comprehensive distance learning options to students from around the world.

[Alberta, Canada](#)

### Carleton University

Carleton University is a dynamic research and teaching institution based in Ottawa, Ontario. Hosting over 24,000 students, it is dedicated to achieving the highest standards of scholarship, and encourages a hands-on classroom experience.

[Ontario, Canada](#)

### Dalhousie University

Dalhousie University is one of Canada's premier universities on the Atlantic Ocean in beautiful Halifax, Nova Scotia.

[Nova Scotia, Canada](#)

### University of the Fraser Valley

University of the Fraser Valley (UFV) is a fully accredited, public university with around 15,000 students. UFV is recognized nationally for student success, an excellent learning environment and creative integration of programming.

[British Columbia, Canada](#)

### University of Prince Edward Island

The University of Prince Edward Island is a public liberal arts and science institution committed to encouraging and fostering critical, creative, and independent thinking. Established in 1969, it has developed a growing reputation for research, innovation and academic excellence.

[Prince Edward Island, Canada](#)

### Renison University College

Renison University College is a public institution located in Waterloo, Ontario and affiliated with the University of Waterloo. Renison offers degree courses in Social Development and Social Work, alongside a wide variety of language, culture, and arts classes.

[Ontario, Canada](#)

### Royal Roads University

Located in one of Canada's most beautiful National Historic Sites, Royal Roads University provides high quality, innovative, and applied post-secondary education to working professionals and career-focused students in Canada and around the globe.

[British Columbia, Canada](#)

### University of Massachusetts Boston

The University of Massachusetts Boston is nationally recognized as a model of excellence for urban public universities. UMass Boston combines a small-college experience with the vast resources of a major research university.

[Massachusetts, USA](#)

### Multimedia University

As the first private university in Malaysia, Multimedia University (MMU) developed the pioneering model for the successful establishment of private universities. MMU hosts 20,000 students from 75 countries across its two campuses.

[Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia](#)

### President University

President University is located in Jababeka and has an international standard curriculum developed by world-class academics. All courses are conducted in English enabling students to think in today's global language.

[Bekasi, Indonesia](#)

### Mahan Business School

Mahan Business School provides business management education programs to meet the needs of executives and managing professionals to help develop their capabilities to successfully direct their businesses in a global environment.

[Tehran, Iran](#)

### Curtin University

Curtin University is Western Australia's largest and most multicultural university with around 60,000 students from more than 130 countries. It offers a range of industry-aligned undergraduate and postgraduate courses in business, humanities, health, engineering and related sciences.

[Perth, Australia](#)

**EMLYON**

EMLYON is one of the longest established business schools in Europe. It is characterised by a spirit of entrepreneurship and is one of the few business schools to hold triple accreditation from Equis, AACSB and AMBA.

Lyon, France

**Dublin Business School**

Dublin Business School (DBS) specialises in the provision of career focused business and law education as well as the delivery of contemporary programs in the areas of arts, media, social science, humanities and psychology.

Dublin, Ireland



## Michael Ghannoum

Transfer student to McGill University,  
Graduate Degree  
in Healthcare Management

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“At McGill there were a lot of things I was grateful for that I studied at Canadian University Dubai, because it gave me a very good base in terms of advancing my career, and because of this base I've been able to achieve a lot.”



## Natalia Silchenko

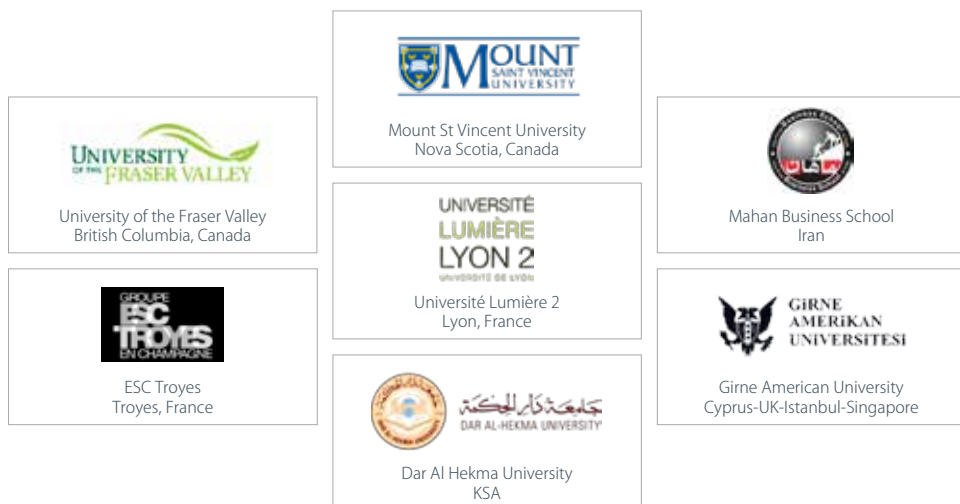
Transfer student to New Brunswick,  
Human Resources Management

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“I'm grateful for being here, and I'm thankful to Canadian University Dubai for all the opportunities to transfer my credits and not lose any, and grateful to UNB for accepting me and giving me the life I've always dreamt of. Right now my next goal is citizenship. These things are possible. The only person who will stop you from accomplishing your dream is you so don't be afraid to follow your dreams.”

# STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM

A short term international educational experience can be a life changing event. Canadian University Dubai has a student exchange program with the following universities:



Under this program you may visit a partner university for one or two terms. You will take courses at the partner university and those credits will be transferred back to your program at Canadian University Dubai. You will continue to pay regular tuition fees to Canadian University Dubai.

Admission is on a competitive basis. You must be in good academic standing and have completed 30 credits prior to departure to be admitted. The program is open to students in all academic programs.

We can also help you transfer to other universities. In addition to our partners, the following universities, have also recognized the credits earned at our university for the purposes of credit transfer and have admitted Canadian University Dubai students:

- University of British Columbia
- McGill University
- University of Manitoba
- York University
- University of Toronto
- University of Western Ontario
- Concordia University
- Deakin University (Australia)
- Texas A&M University (USA)
- Georgetown University (USA)
- Avans University (Netherlands)

To apply you must submit your transcript along with one letter of recommendation from a faculty member, and a short statement indicating the reason you wish to participate in this program.

You will meet with an academic advisor prior to departure to select courses to ensure that credits earned are accepted as transfer credits towards your Canadian University Dubai degree.

Proof of Health Insurance and a Release of Liability form are mandatory.

# STUDENT LIFE

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We encourage students to not only excel academically but to also become fully engaged in the University community. This is an important part of life at any University, and our Campus is always bustling with outdoor sports, indoor games, special events, and student clubs and activities.

There is something for everybody at Canadian University Dubai. Throughout the year, our dedicated student support team works hard to make sure you enjoy your time at University. Some of the events include:

- Academic Competitions
- Special Interest Clubs
- Sports Clubs
- International Trips
- Charity Events
- Cultural Events
- UAE National Day
- Global Day

In addition to our clubs and activities, we encourage students to be physically active. Understanding that a healthy body makes for a healthy mind, we promote wellness and organize many sporting activities on campus. Students can play football, tennis, basketball, cricket, badminton, volleyball, chess and table tennis at either competitive or recreational levels. We visit regional tournaments regularly, and our teams show great success.





### Centrally Located

Canadian University Dubai campus is steps away from Sheikh Zayed Road, the main thoroughfare of Downtown Dubai and the hub of the financial district. The Dubai Mall, Burj Khalifa, and many of Dubai's premier attractions surround our facilities, and the Financial Centre metro station is walking distance from the University campus, ensuring an easy commute from anywhere on the network. There are also a wide variety of shops and restaurants nearby.



### An Inspiring Space

Canadian University Dubai campus is an architecturally unique building. Our four halls are surrounded by lush vegetation, providing the perfect backdrop in any of our courtyards for quiet conversation or study.



# UNIVERSITY CAMPUS

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Canadian University Dubai Campus is an architecturally unique building. Our four halls are surrounded by lush vegetation, providing the perfect backdrop in any of our courtyards for quiet conversation or study.

## Academic Facilities

The University's classrooms, laboratories and studios are fully furnished and well-equipped with the latest technology, enabling Faculty and students to enhance the learning process with digital and online content. Wireless network access is available in all classroom areas and other common areas for the use of students.

## Learning Resource Centre

The LRC houses a reference section, current magazines, journals and newspapers, and collections related to the University's courses of study. Computers are also available for student use during Library hours.

## Red Theatre

Our Red Theatre is a gathering place for both official ceremonies and student-led activities. From MoU signings to student talent competitions, there is always something happening in this versatile space.

## Classrooms

CUD has classrooms located in Halls B,C & D comprehensively fitted out with comfortable chairs and workspace. Each Classroom has wireless network access and is equipped with overhead projectors and computer workstations that enable faculty members to enhance learning with interactive content.

## Computer Labs

Computer Laboratories are strategically placed throughout the campus including one lab dedicated to Apple products. Each lab is appropriately furnished with computer desks, chairs and desktop PC's for student use. The labs offer maximum accessibility for your needs.

## Student Lounge

Located in Hall C, the Student Lounge provides students with a space where they can relax, play games, and socialize.

## Sport Facilities

Canadian University Dubai has a range of athletic facilities that allow students to balance their

studies with physical activity. The 160 seat tennis court with its cement surface promotes a fast game with a high bounce.

## Student Health Clinic

Free basic medical services are provided for students at Canadian University Dubai Medical Centre. A qualified nurse is available on campus, and a fully qualified medical doctor is available once a week for consultations and follow-ups.

## Prayer Rooms

Canadian University Dubai offers two beautiful prayer rooms located on the third floor of Hall D. These rooms allow both male and female students the opportunity to perform their prayers in the University.

## Cafeterias

Our campus is home to several cafeterias serving a wide range of cuisines. The cafeteria areas provide a coeducational, multicultural, multinational, and social environment. They are the main gathering place for students between classes and during their free time, where they can enjoy free wireless internet. In addition, the students can always use one of the many vending machines located throughout the campus.

## Residence Facilities

We have residence facilities in beautiful Discovery Gardens. Students living in residence are provided with transportation service to and from campus several times per day. More information on this service is available on our website at <http://www.cud.ac.ae>

## Parking Facilities

Secure parking is available on a first-come first-served basis. There is also free parking available in our large lot on the south west side of the campus and on the streets surrounding the University.

## Student Transportation

Canadian University Dubai also offers transportation from Ajman and Sharjah on a schedule. Additionally, there are several metro stations nearby and ample parking is available for students wishing to drive.

# STUDENT AFFAIRS

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## Career Counseling

In the UAE, the development needs are changing all the time. This rapid pace makes many demands on the new graduate who is seeking a gratifying place in the world of work. Our staff are up to date with trends in the UAE and, together with Canadian University Dubai, links to the academic world and the workplace. We endeavor to keep our students informed.

Career advising assists students in developing their career goals and objectives. Canadian University Dubai has developed relationships with major companies in many career fields to provide graduating students with career opportunities. Our graduates find great success in the careers of their choice, due in large part to the efforts of our Student Success Centre. Any student, no matter how savvy, can benefit from our career services.

## Student Success Centre

We pride ourselves on the extensive network of services that we provide to support our students during their studies. Canadian University Dubai aims to ensure student success, whereby each student is empowered to achieve his or her full potential. The ultimate goal is to fulfill a holistic approach so that each graduate will leave with a strong sense of self, and is able to make a true difference in his or her career and community.

The Student Success Centre provides the following services to help students during and after their studies:

Academic support and tutoring are provided free of charge for students requesting additional academic help. This is essential in ensuring our students' academic success.

Internship support is provided to assist students in fulfilling the internship requirements of their programs. Canadian University Dubai maintains relationships with many businesses in Dubai to help facilitate a smooth internship placement.

## Personal Counseling

The student counselor has professional experience and training in order to assist students, whether the issues are emotional, psychological, social or physical. All counseling is done on an individual basis and is strictly confidential. Students will be provided with all the assistance they need and, if necessary, will be referred to outside medical professionals to ensure they get the appropriate help.

## Academic Orientation and Advising

Academic advising is the backbone of any University's education framework system.

The University holds orientation sessions at the beginning of each Semester, and all new students admitted to Canadian University Dubai programs are requested to attend. Students should refer to the Academic Calendar to find out about the exact dates of the orientation sessions. The students will have a chance to meet with the faculty, program coordinators, and University administrators.

For those students who are achieving subpar results in a course or are not performing up to their expectations, a meeting with an advisor will be scheduled.

## Career Placement Services

Part-time work placement assists students wishing to find part-time work while attending University. Canadian University Dubai has relationships with many businesses in Dubai, and can be a great asset to any student looking for a part-time job.

Career workshops and study days assist students in finding a career and preparing for life in the workforce. Although this service is aimed primarily at finishing students, all students are welcome to attend. In career workshops, students will learn how to create a professional CV, design a cover letter, advance interview skills, and negotiate an offer. The study days consist of seminars in time management, project management, networking, and study skills. In addition, the library contains a section purely related to career development and job research, and every student is encouraged to use our resources and databases.

## Special Needs Services

Canadian University Dubai pledges to provide an inclusive learning environment and to support the cognitive, emotional and creative development of students with special needs.

Canadian University Dubai ensures that reasonable effort is made to accommodate students with special needs so that their program learning objectives are met. Special Needs Services are provided equally through programs and services.

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### Student Activities

Canadian University Dubai Student Services organizes activities, clubs, and events that meet the needs of all the students – there is something for everybody. There is no question: studies show that students who have a well-rounded, active lifestyle fare better than the ones who concentrate solely on their studies. Canadian University Dubai encourages its students to participate actively in the life of their University. The activities span across the following areas:

- Cultural Events and Performances
- Athletics
- Community Involvement
- Performance and Cultural Events

### Student Athletics

Understanding that “a healthy body makes for healthy mind,” Canadian University Dubai promotes wellness and organizes many sporting activities on campus. Students can play football, tennis, basketball, cricket, badminton, volleyball, chess and table tennis at either competitive or recreational levels.

Students can participate in any of the existing student clubs or form a new one. Some of the current clubs include:

- Basketball
- Tennis
- Volleyball
- Football
- Badminton
- Table Tennis
- Cricket
- Pool
- Chess

Canadian University Dubai encourages its students to join in inter-university sports leagues and welcomes others to its premises. Check the University bulletin boards (outside the Students Services office in Hall C) for more information on club meetings and activities, or drop by the Student Services office.



# ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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Admission requirements for Undergraduate programs at Canadian University Dubai depend upon your High School Curriculum.

The UAE high school certificate or its equivalent is required with an average score of 60% or more (an average of 70% or more is required for entry into some of our academic programs). You can obtain more information from one of our recruitment staff or visit our website.

A high school certificate obtained abroad must be processed in accordance with decrees No. 200/2004 and 312 /2004 of His Excellency the Minister of Education –Higher Education Affairs UAE, as follows:

Broadly, a holder of the National High School Certificate of a foreign country is eligible for admission if:

- The certificate is valid for admission to a public university of the country in which it was issued
- The certificate was obtained on completion of at least 11 years of schooling
- The certificate includes at least six (6) subjects covering the four core fields of: Mathematics, Sciences, Languages, and the Social Sciences & Humanities or Arts
- A holder of High School Certificates from any country that has two levels of High School Certificate must submit the higher level of certificate.

## Foreign Equivalents:

The following is a selected list of international equivalent admission requirements; if a prospective student does not see their educational system listed here, they should contact the Admissions Department for more detailed information.

### American System:

High school diploma (grade 10, 11 & 12) with a minimum of 60% or with a minimum CGPA of 2.00 and SAT with a minimum math score of 400.

### British System (IGCSE and GCSE):

Completion of at least seven (7) subjects including at least two AS levels or one A level subject. A minimum grade of C must be achieved for O level IGCSE or GCSE certificates; however a minimum grade of D is acceptable for subjects taken at AS level or A level GCSE. Furthermore, the applicant

must provide evidence that they have attended school for at least 12 years by providing a school leaving certificate.

### Canadian System:

High school diploma (grade 10, 11 & 12) with a minimum of 60% or with a minimum CGPA of 2.00 University Track Credits.

### French Baccalaureate:

Diplome and transcripts with minimum grade 10 out of 20.

### Iranian System:

Pre-university certificate and transcript of records with a minimum grade of 12 out of 20.

### Indian Board System:

Grade 12 certificate with a minimum percentage of 50% and Grade 10 certificate results.

### International Baccalaureate (IB) Programme:

IB Diploma with completion of six (6) subjects, at least three (3) at the higher level (HL) and a minimum total of 24 points.

### Pakistani Board Certificates:

Grade 12 certificate with a minimum percentage of 50% and Grade 10 certificate results.

### Nigerian/West African System:

WAEC, NECO, or WASSCE board certificate with a minimum of 7 subjects of C and above and secondary school transcript of results.

## ENGLISH PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS:

All students must submit an English proficiency score, such as TOEFL (minimum score of PBT500/61 iBT), IELTS (minimum band 5.0), or an equivalent standardized English language test that is internationally recognized. This condition of the admission policy applies to all students of all programs except for those students applying for the Bachelor of Arts in Communication program in Arabic; students applying for this Arabic language programme need a minimum TOEFL score of 450 or its equivalent (but may be granted conditional admission with a TOEFL score of 400 Students should note that in order to transfer to a university in Canada a higher TOEFL score (normally a minimum of 550) or its standardized equivalent may be required, depending on the institution concerned.

**Exceptions:**

A student admitted to an undergraduate course in an English-medium institution that is recognized by the Ministry of Education – Higher Education Affairs, who can also provide evidence of having achieved a TOEFL score of 500 (or its standardized equivalent approved by the MOHESR) upon admission to the sending institution's undergraduate programme. A verified true copy of the test result held by the sending institution may be sent directly to the University.

An Emirates Standardized Test (EmSAT English Achievement) score of 1100 is equivalent to the minimum English Language Requirement to enter a Bachelor Program in the UAE.

**MATH PLACEMENT TEST:**

All students admitted to any one of the accredited programs, with the exception of the Bachelor of Arts in Communication and Bachelor of English Language and Translation programs, are required to fulfill the Mathematics requirement. The math requirement may be met by passing the Math Placement Test OR providing a Grade 12 minimum Math score of 70% Science stream OR SAT test minimum math score of 400\*.

Any student who has not met the mathematics requirement or achieved the required pass mark in the Mathematics Placement Test may be granted conditional admission - but such students will not be permitted to register in any Math or Statistics courses, or any course that has a math prerequisite, until the successful completion of the necessary remedial-math course.

**CONDITIONAL ADMISSION:**

An applicant who does not meet all of the University Admission requirements may be granted conditional admission. The possible circumstances under which such conditional admission may be granted include:

1. Students from the UAE System of Education who do not meet the minimum high school requirements can enroll in our Foundation Programme to upgrade their academic standing to the required admission standards of the University.
2. Students who do not meet the minimum TOEFL/IELTS English language proficiency requirement may enroll in the EAP programme in order to improve their English skills and achieve the required TOEFL/IELTS score.
3. Students who do not pass the Mathematics Placement Test must successfully complete the necessary remedial-math course before being allowed to register in any math or math-related courses.
4. Students who have been unable to provide attested certificates or equalization certificates must provide the appropriate certification by the end of their first academic semester.

# TUITION AND FEES

The following tables display the total fees per student based on full-time academic study across one academic year, consisting of two semesters running from September to June.

We offer an additional semester in the summer months to accommodate students wishing to complete their degree earlier; however additional tuition fees will apply. All fees quoted are in Emirati Dirhams (AED).

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION

Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Journalism  
 Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Advertisement  
 Bachelor of Arts in Communication in Public Relations

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
1,995.00	5,985.00	59,850.00	2,236.50	AED 62,086.50

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH SCIENCES

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health Management  
 Bachelor of Science in Health Organization Management  
 Bachelor of Science in Health Information Management

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
2,199.75	6,599.25	65,992.50	2,236.50	AED 68,229.00

Associate Degree in Food Safety

2,362.50	7,087.50	70,875.00	2,236.50	AED 73,111.50
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## FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT - UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAM FEES

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
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Bachelor of Business Administration in:

- Marketing
- International Business
- E-Business
- Human Resource Management
- Accounting & Finance
- Operations and Supply Management
- Sports Management
- Events and Tourism
- Forensic Accounting
- Luxury Marketing

Associate Degree in Marketing

2,205.00	6,615.00	66,150.00	2,236.50	AED 68,386.50
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\* Prices effective 1 January 2018 and are inclusive of VAT

\* Actual tuition fees are paid based on credit hours taken per semester

\* Canadian University Dubai reserves the right to revise its prices annually up to a maximum of 10%

## DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER ENGINEERING AND COMPUTATIONAL SCIENCES

Bachelor of Science in Network Engineering  
Bachelor of Computer and Networking Engineering Technology

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
2,257.50	6,772.50	67,725.00	2,236.50	AED 69,961.50

## DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Bachelor of Science in Telecommunication Engineering

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
2,257.50	6,772.50	67,725.00	2,236.50	AED 69,961.50

## DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE

Bachelor of Architecture

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
2,362.50	7,087.50	70,875.00	2,236.50	AED 73,111.50

## DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR DESIGN

Bachelor of Science in Interior Design

Fee per Credit Hour	Fee per Course (3 Credit Hours)	Tuition per Year	Incidental Fees	Total per Year*
2,362.50	7,087.50	70,875.00	2,236.50	AED 73,111.50

## NON-CREDIT PROGRAMS

	No. of weeks	Total
English for Academic Purposes 101 (15 hours / week)	12 weeks	AED 11,340.00
English for Academic Purposes 201 (10 hours / week)	12 weeks	AED 7,560.00
English for Academic Purposes 301 (12 hours / week)	6 weeks	AED 3,780.00
English for Academic Purposes 401 (6-9 hours / week)	6 weeks	AED 7,560.00
Mathematics for Academic Purposes MTH 010	6 weeks	AED 4,042.50
Mathematics for Academic Purposes MTH 011	15 weeks	AED 4,042.50
Mathematics for Academic Purposes MTH 012	15 weeks	AED 4,042.50
Foundation Program	30 weeks	AED 26,565.00

# SCHOLARSHIPS

A primary objective of scholarships at Canadian University Dubai is to promote the retention of high academic achievers. We understand that not everyone is excellent or outstanding at everything and recognize the importance of differences and variety. We do not want financial limitations or special needs to get in the way of a great education.

Canadian University Dubai offers the following scholarships:

- Outstanding Academic Excellence: Up to 100% tuition waiver
- Outstanding Academic Achievement: Up to 40% tuition waiver
- Outstanding Sports Achievement: Up to 40% tuition waiver
- Special Needs: Up to a 40% tuition waiver
- Financial Hardship: Up to 40% tuition waiver

## GUIDING PRINCIPLES FOR OUR SCHOLARSHIPS

- Scholarships are open to all students of any citizenship who have met all the admission requirements.
- Scholarships are awarded to full-time students enrolled in four (4) academic courses or more per semester. For financial hardship and special needs scholarships, the number of academic courses students must enrol in will be considered on a case-by-case basis, although, where possible, a minimum of four (4) academic courses is recommended. Please note that scholarships may be granted for credit-bearing courses only.
- Students must maintain the cumulative grade point average (CGPA) necessary in order to continue their scholarship. For special needs scholarships, the cumulative grade point average (CGPA) necessary in order to continue their scholarship will be considered on a case-by-case basis.
- Scholarships are only valid for current tuition fees.
- Students can apply for more than one scholarship, provided they meet the eligibility requirements. In case a student qualifies for more than one reduction, scholarship or discount, the student will be given the chance to choose the benefit with the highest value. Financial awards may not be combined.
- All remaining and outstanding fees (tuition and housing) must be paid promptly in order to maintain your scholarship.

Please note that the number of scholarships awarded is limited and you must meet the minimum selection criteria for the relevant category in order for your application to be considered by the scholarship committee. The amount to be awarded depends on the financial need and/or academic qualifications of the applicant.



### More Information

For more information on our Scholarships, including deadlines and requirements for application, please check: <http://www.cud.ac.ae/scholarships>





# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS



## **When can I join Canadian University Dubai?**

We have three intakes for undergraduate programs – September, January, and May, but you may apply at any time to ensure that you reserve a seat – as space is limited.

## **Will I have the opportunity to go to Canada as part of my studies?**

Our students can embark on a number of our pathways to Canada. They may choose to participate in a summer program in Canada, spend a semester in Canada, or transfer to one of our Canadian pathway partners.

## **Will my CUD degree be accredited in the UAE?**

Each of our academic programs is accredited by the UAE Ministry of Education - Higher Education Affairs.

## **Do I need to submit an SAT or ACT score with my undergraduate application?**

No, we do not require SAT or ACT scores as part of the admission decision, but a Canadian University Dubai math placement test and TOEFL or IELTS are required.

## **Can I apply to Canadian University Dubai if I am living outside the UAE?**

We encourage international students to apply and will assist them in acquiring their student visa once accepted into an academic program.



### **More Information**

For a full list of FAQ's, please visit:  
<http://www.cud.ac.ae/frequently-asked-questions>

# HOW TO APPLY

## 1. COMPLETE AN APPLICATION FORM:

**Online:** Apply online to any of our programs at: <http://www.cud.ac.ae/ApplyOnline>

**In person:** Visit our campus for a personal tour, and one of our officers would be pleased to help you complete an application:

1st Interchange, Sheikh Zayed Road  
P.O. Box 117781, Dubai, UAE

Tel. + 971 (4) 321 9090

Fax. + 971 (4) 321 1991

Email [apply@cud.ac.ae](mailto:apply@cud.ac.ae)

## 2. PAY THE APPLICATION FEE

An application fee of AED 525 is required when submitting an application.

## 3. SUBMIT REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION

Prior to enrolment to an undergraduate program, students must submit the following to the Office of the Registrar:

- Payment of AED 525 application fee
- A certified copy of all Secondary School Certificates or their equivalent. Grade transcript of Grades 10-12 must be attached for non UAE High School Certificates.
- A passport photocopy.
- Ten photographs (passport size) with full name written on the back of each.
- A certificate of English proficiency such as: TOEFL with a minimum score of 500, or IELTS with a minimum score of 5.0 or equivalent.



### Location Helper

- Take Jumeirah 71 exit from Sheikh Zayed Road.
- Turn right onto Satwa Road.
- Take your first right onto 83b Street, following the Canadian University Dubai signs.





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