Transfer to CANADA
Start your degree in Dubai, graduate in Canada.

Accredited by the UAE Ministry of Education - Higher Education Affairs
About Canadian University Dubai

Canadian University Dubai (CUD) was established in 2006 to deliver a range of quality undergraduate, graduate, continuing education, and corporate training programs in the UAE, and to provide a gateway for students to pursue higher education opportunities in Canada.

CUD is located in the heart of Dubai’s downtown business district and each of our academic programs is based on Canadian curriculum and education principles. This gives students the opportunity to acquire a Canadian education while experiencing the unique culture and values of the United Arab Emirates. With over 100 different nationalities that call our University home, our diverse student community is building bridges across cultures and continents in one of the world’s most exciting cities.

Your Portal to Canadian Education

Have you considered starting your degree at Canadian University Dubai and transferring to a Canadian university after one or two years? Would you like to incorporate a period of Canadian-based study in your degree? Read on to find out more.

One of our major goals at Canadian University Dubai is to provide a portal to Canadian education. Through our established partnerships with prominent Canadian higher education institutions, you can either choose to transfer credits you earned at CUD to complete your degree in Canada, or you can take part in a student exchange or summer study program.

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.
Emmanuel Kamarianakis
Consul General of Canada in Dubai

“If you are considering studying in Canada, allow me to congratulate you! We have a great educational system and our high academic standards and rigorous quality controls mean that you'll be earning a high-quality education that will open doors for your future and benefit your career over the long term.

The Canadian University Dubai can connect you with a wide variety of universities and colleges across Canada, meaning you will have plenty of options for study. Fine arts, medicine, science, engineering, humanities, computer science, economics and business – are just a few of the choices for a world-class Canadian education.

Not only do we offer some of the best universities in the world, as students have access to an excellent quality of life. While you may have heard of Canadians’ friendly and open nature, you may not have known that the United Nations consistently ranks Canada as one of the best places in the world to live. In addition, tuition fees and living expenses for international students are generally lower than in other countries, making Canada a highly affordable option.

Most students coming from the United Arab Emirates should feel at home while living and studying in Canada. We offer a culturally diverse and safe environment in which to learn. Canada is a multicultural society and, much like the UAE, you will get to meet people from all over the world.

For more information on studying in Canada, I would encourage you to visit www.eduCanada.ca.”

Honorable Jean Charest
29th Premier of Québec
Former Deputy Prime Minister of Canada

Speaking at the 2016 Graduation Ceremony of Canadian University Dubai

“Dubai and Canada are distant lands moving forward in the same direction. Both are places of great diversity, standing out in the move towards a knowledge-based economy, and promoting the movement of people. Canadian University Dubai is the strongest symbol of the shared values between Canada and the UAE.”
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.

Undergraduate Programs

Faculty of Architecture & Interior Design
Bachelor of Architecture
Bachelor of Science in Interior Design

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

Faculty of Communication, Arts & Sciences
Bachelor of Arts in Communication – Advertisement
Bachelor of Arts in Communication – Journalism
Bachelor of Arts in Communication – Public Relations
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology
Bachelor of Arts in Applied Sociology (Arabic)
Bachelor of Arts in Psychology (Arabic)
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health Management
Bachelor of Science in Health Organization Management

Faculty of Engineering, Applied Science, and Technology
Bachelor of Computer and Networking Engineering Technology
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Telecommunication
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Mechatronics
Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering - Electronics

Graduate Programs

Faculty of Management
Master in Information Technology Management and Governance (MITGOV)
Master of Business Administration in Double Concentration
Master of Business Administration in Finance
Master of Business Administration in General Management
Master of Business Administration in Human Resource Management
Master of Business Administration in Marketing
Transfer to Canada

Our Canadian pathway partners span from one coast of Canada to the other. That’s over 3,000 km! We are constantly adding new partnerships and articulation agreements—there is a lot of Canada to explore.

Working in Canada

By transferring to Canada to complete your degree, you become eligible for the Post Graduate Work Permit Program. This program allows a graduate with a Canadian credential to secure a work permit for up to 3 years, helping graduates qualify for permanent residency.

Here are some of the advantages in transferring to Canada:

- **Lower Cost:** If you study in Dubai for one or two years, you do not have to pay the extra housing costs and living in Canada for the first part of your education.

- **Stay with family and friends:** For an additional year or two before being on your own. It is challenging for an 18 yr old to transfer to a foreign university halfway around the world. Studying at Canadian University Dubai for the first one or two years gives students the opportunity to gain life experience before they make the transition.

- **An easier transition to a foreign model of education:** Making the transition from one educational system to another can be difficult. We aim to make the transition easier. Our programs are based on the Canadian curriculum and our faculty are experienced with diverse learning styles and student needs. They help students adjust to different standards and approaches.

- **A proven track record and acceptance of Canadian University Dubai credits at Canadian universities:** Our University has formal agreements with a wide range of universities and degree granting colleges confirming transfer options and arrangements.

Your Portal to Canadian Education
Canadian Transfer Partners

Centennial College

Centennial College of Applied Arts and Technology is a diploma and degree-granting college located in Toronto, Ontario, Canada. It is the oldest publicly funded college in Ontario.

Centennial offers more than 260 programs including bachelor’s degree, diploma, certificate, post-graduate certificate and apprenticeship programs, across many diverse fields of study.

Centennial College is recognized as one of the most culturally diverse post-secondary institutions in Ontario. Almost 180 ethno-cultural groups are represented, and 80 languages are spoken on campus. In 2016, Centennial was ranked as one of Canada’s Top 10 Research Colleges for the first time in its history.

"Centennial College: A founding member of the Canadian University Dubai.

Canadian University Dubai was built upon the support of a select few Canadian Academic Institutions. Centennial College being the first of these institutions to provide the academic knowledge that has propelled CUO to the success and international recognition we currently have."

All testimonials provided in this brochure are available online through our website. To watch and be inspired, please visit our interactive map:

www.cud.ac.ae/international-education/study-canada
Ryerson University

Ryerson University is at the intersection of mind and action. What our students learn in the classroom is enhanced by real-world knowledge and experience. We champion diversity, entrepreneurship and innovation.

What is a Bachelor of Creative Industries?

The Bachelor of Creative Industries (BACI) program has been carefully adapted based on the prestigious Creative Industries program of Ryerson University’s Faculty of Communication & Design (FCAD) in Toronto, Canada. FCAD has been leading the Creative Industries in Canada for over 70 years. Our new BACI program will give you the skills needed to be successful in the creative workplace.

In addition to being a one-of-a-kind program in the region and North America, CDU’s BACI also offers students the opportunity to transfer to Ryerson University, Toronto, for their second and third year of study.

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“Ryerson University is a great place to start my degree. It has provided me with the tools and resources to succeed in my future career.”

Nisha Krishnakutty
Transfer Student, Ryerson University, Human Resource Management

Queens’s University

Start your Bachelor of Science in Network Engineering at CDU and finish with a Bachelor of Computing at Queen’s University in Kingston Ontario, one of Canada’s oldest research universities.

You can complete your first two years at CDU in the Department of Computer Engineering and Computational Sciences and then transfer directly to the School of Computing in the Faculty of Arts and Science, leading to a Bachelor of Computing degree at Queen’s. Besides Computer Science, Queen’s School of Computing is home to diverse areas of study such as software design, game development, biomedical computing, cognitive science, computing and mathematics, and computing and the creative arts.

Offering an exciting learning experience in this ever-changing field through interaction across disciplines, computing prepares you for countless careers and graduate degrees. Our professors are internationally recognized experts and committed educators who take pride in giving you the skills and theoretical knowledge you’ll need to excel as a computer scientist.

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“The transfer agreement we have with CDU allows for up to 20 students to transfer annually to the third year of Queen’s University Computing Program. This will allow them to complete their degree within four years. We can allow up to 37 units of credit transfer. Students must have a minimum of two years in the CDU Computer Networking Program and have a minimum GPA of 7.6. We have 85 nationalities studying at our University and 41% of our students come from overseas.”

Chris Coupland
Director of International Recruitment, Queen’s University, Kingston, Ontario
University of New Brunswick

The University of New Brunswick welcomes the benefits of diversity with a long history of collaboration with international partners, welcoming international students, international development efforts, and research with an international focus.

Its two primary campuses are located in Fredericton and Saint John, both offering a wide range of opportunities for students and faculty.

The Bachelor of Business Administration, offered at Saint John campus, gives you the tools you need to be successful in business. You can specialize in an area of business that interests you by completing a minor, major, or concentration.

Because of strategic partnerships we have with businesses, agencies, and other faculties at UNB, our programs offer hands-on learning options unique to North America.

Canadian University Dubai: Students can complete their first year or two years at CuD in the Faculty of Management, Bachelor of Business Administration and then transfer directly to the School of Business leading to a Bachelor of Business Administration at UNB.

Natalia Silchenko
Transfer student to University of New Brunswick
BBA in Human Resources Management

“I’m grateful I’m here, and I’m thankful to Canadian University Dubai for all the opportunities including the option to transfer my credits and not lose any. I’m 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.”

University of Ontario Institute of Technology

The University of Ontario Institute of Technology’s innovative and unique undergraduate and graduate programs are designed to meet your interests and career aspirations, aligning with the market-driven requirements of employers. When you graduate, you will have the critical thinking, innovative research and technological skills demanded by the world’s leading employers.

Professors and students undertake research in a wide range of areas that include automotive design and engineering, business and information technology, computational science, alternative and sustainable energy, nuclear engineering, law enforcement, manufacturing, communities/public health, to name just a few.

The university’s unique and technologichal teaching and learning environment challenges students to push the boundaries of innovation and discovery and prepares graduates to excel in the global knowledge-driven economy of the 21st century.

At the University of Ontario Institute of Technology, the possibilities are endless.

Tanner Marlees PhD
Program Director and Assistant Professor
University of Ontario Institute of Technology, Ontario

“The Communication and Digital Studies Program is excited to offer a pathway for CuD students in the field of communication.

Students can enter directly into the third year of study at UOIT, where they can follow a range of courses including a specialized social media course entitled “Tweet, Friend and Follow Me”. Graduating students will have the benefit of a degree, shared between two different Institutions, in two different Programmes.”
Brock University

Brock University is a public research university located in St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada. It is the only university in Canada that is located in a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, located at the centre of Canada's Niagara Peninsula on the Niagara Escarpment.

The Media and Communication Studies program focuses on the impact of media and communication in the creation of meaning, identity, and social change. The program emphasizes the study of media content, audiences and institutions in their political, economic and social contexts in Canada and elsewhere.

Canadian University Dubia Students can complete their first year or two years at CU in the Faculty of Communication, Arts and Sciences, Bachelor of Arts in Communication and then transfer directly to the Faculty of Social Sciences, leading to a Bachelor of Media and Communication Studies at Brock University.

Iqbal Faraz
Transfer Student to Brock University, Bachelor of Finance

"Transferring to Canada was a dream for me from the get-go, but obviously, I couldn’t have done it by myself. I needed people around me to support and help me and Canadian University Dubai played a big part in that, shaping me as a character and helping me realize what I could do."

Vancouver Island University

Vancouver Island University (VIU) is a centre of excellence for teaching, learning and applied research. Graduates are in demand across the country and around the world. VIU offers both graduate and undergraduate degrees.

As part of our transfer agreement with VIU, you can complete two years of study at CU and then continue on to VIU to complete degrees in Business or Interior Design.

VIU’s main campus is in Nanaimo on the east coast of Vancouver Island, playing an important role in the educational, cultural and economic life of the region. They have regional campuses in Duncan and Powell River, as well as a centre in Parksville/Qualicum.

VIU provides a variety of applied, experiential and research activities. There are learning opportunities in traditional disciplines such as arts and sciences as well as practical skill training in health, education, business, graphics, interior design and many other fields.

Singh Sukhpreet
Transfer Student to Vancouver Island University, Interior Design

"CUCard prepared me well to study in my second year at Vancouver Island University. I was able to fulfill all the prerequisites needed for VIU and was fortunate in not having to repeat any of my existing courses. I was able to face the academic challenges posed by VIU without any difficulty."
University of Prince Edward Island

Summer Program

The University of Prince Edward Island is a vibrant small university with a student population of 4500, and home to one of the 5 schools of veterinary medicine in Canada. Consistently ranked in the top 10 among primarily undergraduate universities in the Maclean’s Magazine rankings, UPEI is proud to hold top rankings in Canada in research, and in the number of students and teaching awards. UPEI is home to international students from 62 countries, approximately 4% of the total student population.

IELTS Preparation Summer Camp

Canadian University Dubai is offering a four to six-week intensive IELTS Preparation and Activities program during the summer months, in collaboration with the University of Prince Edward Island (UPEI).

If you want to improve your English language skills and experience student life in Canada, this is the ideal program for you.

Program details:

- Immersive English language program
- Weekend field trips from UPEI
- Family-style, catered living arrangements and transportation to and from UPEI campus

Alaa Abd-El-Azz
President and Vice-Chancellor,
University of Prince Edward Island

Our agreement with CUD is very specific, allowing students to come to UPEI for courses and research projects. Our relationship will ensure that students find UPEI a great home. Programs are tailored to enhance their experience in their chosen subject. UPEI students who wish to study in Dubai will also benefit. I am confident we will learn a lot from one another.”

Niagara College
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Programs are offered in Academic, Liberal and Access Studies, Allied Health, Community Services, Justice & Fitness, English Language Studies, Media, Nursing & Personal Support Worker, Technology, Trade, Business & Management, Environmental & Horticultural Studies, and Hospitality, Tourism & Sport.

Transfer Program in Business

Wilfrid Laurier University
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Programs are offered in the Arts, Education, Music, Science, Business & Economics, Human & Social Sciences, Liberal Arts, Social Work, Policy & Governance.

Transfer Program in Business & Health
Lakehead University
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Transfer Program in Engineering

Douglas College
BRITISH COLUMBIA

Programs are offered in Child, Family & Community Studies, Commerce & Business Administration, Health Sciences, Humanities & Social Sciences, Language, Literature & Performing Arts, Science & Technology.

Transfer Program in Business

University of Lethbridge
ALBERTA

Programs are offered in the Arts & Sciences, Education, Fine Arts, Health Sciences and Management.

Transfer Program in Business

Lawrence Technological University

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
(National Architecture Accrediting Board - NAAB)

The Chicago School

The Chicago School is a graduate university specializing in psychology and offers more than 20 degree programs in psychology and related behavioral sciences. The school is a member of the National Council of Schools and Programs of Professional Psychology, which has recognized the school for its distinguished service and outstanding contributions to cultural diversity.

Transfer Program in Psychology

Hong Kong Baptist University

HKBU encompasses eight Faculties/Schools offering a range of undergraduate programs, associate degree and higher diploma programs as well as taught postgraduate programs and research postgraduate programs leading to the award of master and doctoral degrees.

Transfer Program in Communication
Study in Canada and abroad

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.

For more details, please contact:

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Julie Beeton is a Canadian qualified and regulated lawyer who assists students interested in studying and emigrating to Canada. She and her team in the UAE and Montreal, Canada can advise you on study permits, working during and after your studies, and becoming a Canadian permanent resident.

Julie grew up in Canada and completed both undergraduate and law school there. After practicing law at a top law firm in Toronto for several years, she moved to London, UK, and then Dubai while working as a Senior Associate at Allen & Overy LLP, one of the leading English law firms.

Julie is also General Counsel at the Canadian University Dubai and Assistant Professor in the Faculty of Management.

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Saarang Ahuja
Bachelor of Commerce, University of Toronto, Ontario

“Always wanted to study overseas. CUD was the obvious choice while studying in UAE because they are the only University here with credit and transfer facilities to Canada, which was my preference. I am the first in my family to study abroad which gives them a tremendous sense of pride.”

Michael Ghannoun
Masters in Healthcare Management, McGill University, Montreal Quebec

“The Healthcare Management Program gave me a very good base to further my studies in Canada. The unique feature of the program was that it integrated the environmental aspect with medical management training. We were able to visit healthcare facilities and see for ourselves how waste management disposals is integrated with the management of healthcare. I am grateful to CUD for giving me this opportunity to broaden my studies.”

Mahsa Momenzadeh
Masters in Urban Design, University of British Columbia, Vancouver BC

“Completed a five-year Architecture degree program in CUD and decided to further my studies with a Post Graduate program in Urban Design in Canada. It was a very easy transition for me. Canada is a welcoming country and has many similarities with the multicultural atmosphere experienced during my time in UAE. In terms of education I have definitely benefited from my time at CUD.”
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If the idea of transferring to Canada appeals to you, please contact us at: +971 321 9090 or email studyabroad@cud.ac.ae to learn more about requirements and transfer options.

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