





The McMaster Model for Global Engagement



McMaster's values-based internationalization strategy is anchored on principles of global social responsibility. We aim to contribute to creating a brighter world through collaborative international partnerships that address global challenges. Our approach centres on building mutually beneficial relationships founded on trust, equity, sustainability and reciprocity.

Bonny Ibhawoh, Vice-Provost, International Affairs McMaster University

Our principles of global engagement:



McMaster's model of transformation focuses on mutual cooperation, the sharing of expertise and a deep commitment to the values of global citizenship.

About McMaster's Office of International Affairs:

The Office of International Affairs is an initial contact point if you represent a university, governmental or international organization outside of Canada interested in establishing a formal agreement relating to: Student Exchange, Student Mobility, Research Internship, Cotutelle/Co-Supervision, Faculty Exchange, Pathways Programs, Short-term Training, Virtual Exchange/COIL, Research Collaboration, or other types of Strategic Partnerships.



McMaster by the numbers:



Undergraduate students

Graduate students



229,286 Alumni from 147 countries

17.5% of all McMaster students are international students from 125 countries



\$374.6 million

total sponsored research income

Average research income

\$74,200

\$419,000

per graduate student per faculty member



Full-time Faculty

Faculties

Direct entry programs



Canada Research Chairs

Endowed professorships

Endowed chairs



McMaster's areas of study

DeGroote School of Business

Committed to interdisciplinary research and the advancement of knowledge across management disciplines, the DeGroote School of Business is training the next generation of leaders by ensuring research is driven by issues relevant to society.

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Engineering

With a well-established reputation as one of Canada's most research-intensive faculties, McMaster Engineering is pushing the boundaries of discovery and exploring novel, ground-breaking technologies.

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Health Sciences

As the birthplace of problem-based learning and evidence-based medicine, the Faculty of Health Sciences at McMaster is a world-renowned program with a storied history of creating leaders in health, research and industry.

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Humanities

As a research-focused and student-centered faculty, McMaster Humanities brings artistic, historical, critical and philosophical reflection to bear on culture and the communities in which we work and live.

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Science

Research excellence and discovery are at the heart of McMaster's Faculty of Science, an innovative, collaborative and interdisciplinary faculty committed to pushing the boundaries of knowledge and training the next generation of researchers.

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Social Sciences

Home to some of the world's most accomplished researchers, McMaster's Faculty of Social Sciences is on a mission to ask challenging questions, pursue understanding and create a sustainable, just society.





Working together to train future leaders





Business professor

Benson Honig co-created
the Reframery, a virtual
incubator that provides
entrepreneurial training
to multigenerational
refugees and marginalized
individuals around
the world.



Bonny Ibhawoh is the principal investigator for Participedia.net, a global network and crowdsourcing platform for anyone interested in public participation and democratic innovations.



With the help of NASA, SpaceX and the Canadian Space Agency, more than 150 McMaster students and researchers built a satellite to make space travel safer.



(ShanghaiRanking's Academic Ranking of World Universities 2023)

Teaming up to create a sustainable world





Co-led by McMaster's Gail Krantzberg, a new global centre for climate change aims to address complex international water crises.



Energy experts James Cotton and Jeffrey Girard founded HARVEST, a startup aiming to decarbonize the food industry with their fuel-less, carbon-free water heating system.



Ali Emadi and his team at MARC are reimagining the way we move to shape the future of smart, inclusive mobility.



(Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2023)

Partnering to create a healthy world





The McMaster Health Forum uses the best-available research evidence, as well as lived experiences and insights, to tackle the most pressing health and social issues of our time.



McMaster's Global Nexus School for Pandemics Prevention & Response is an international innovation hub that is working on evidence-based solutions to infectious diseases that people can trust.



McMaster pediatrics researcher Narendra Singh is helping transform maternal and neonatal care in his native Guyana through his organization Giving Health to Kids.

Creating a Brighter World together



At McMaster, we're finding solutions to the biggest threats our world faces. But we can't do it alone. That's why our experts are partnering with researchers and institutions around the world to meet the challenges the world faces with optimism, hope and resilience. Because the discoveries we make today can build a brighter world for tomorrow.

David Farrar, President and Vice-Chancellor, McMaster University



