50 VAYS UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES PARTNER FOR STUDENT SUCCESS



We're celebrating the 50th anniversary of our college partners by highlighting 50 examples of college-university partnerships - partnerships that build on the strengths of both institutions and lead to increased student success.

Ontario universities and colleges are collaborating on services that enhance the student experience, expand e-learning, create more pathways, and support career success for graduates, as we carry out our shared commitment to meet the needs of the 700,000 students we serve and to help Ontario succeed.

Discover more about these 50 examples at ontariosuniversities.ca/partnering-for-ontario/partnering-with-colleges/





The Student Experience

Whether it's creating a seamless experience for student transfers, streamlining loans, or expanding services for students with mental health challenges, universities and colleges are collaborating for a better student experience.



Innovative Education

Colleges and universities are finding innovative ways to educate our students through online learning and modules, research hubs in inclusive design, and e-textbooks.



Employment Success

From a matchmaking service for employers and graduates, to tracking the success of graduates in the job market, and joint job fairs, universities and colleges are partnering to enhance employment success for graduates.



Joint Programs in Less Time

Numerous joint programs on everything from business, to journalism and health sciences allow students to graduate with both a university and college credential, often in less time.

These 50 examples are only a small reflection of the ways colleges and universities are working together for the betterment of our students and the sector.

- 1. Streamlining OSAP information for students
- 2. Understanding labour market outcomes for students
- 3. Finding innovative ways to address mental health
- 4. Expanding capacities for mental health supports on Ontario campuses
- Collaborating to help students seeking academic accomodations
- 6. Working together to prevent sexual violence on campus
- 7. Creating a virtual network for students living with disabilities
- 8. Working together to support international students
- 9. Offering shared campus spaces
- 10. Sharing student resident spaces
- 11. Pooling resources in shared library facilities
- 12. Providing culturally-appropriate mental health services to students
- 13. Partnering through ONCAT to enhance academic pathways for students
- 14. Fostering excellence in online learning through eCampus Ontario
- 15. Developing online teaching supports for faculty and instructors
- 16. Developing tools to measure learning outcomes
- 17. Providing students with opportunities to work on real-life solutions to online learning challenges
- 18. Developing open online modules and e-textbooks
- 19. Preparing nurses to be job-ready through simulation-based education
- 20. Supporting research projects focused on inclusive design and development
- 21. Developing new collaborative online programs
- 22. Enhancing student learning with online simulations
- 23. Creating innovative four-year programs that allow students to earn a degree and a certificate
- 24. Sharing best practices at the Learning Outcomes Symposium
- 25. Coordinating collaborative efforts between northern institutions to enhance student mobility
- 26. Creating a centre focused on research, training and innovation in senior health care and wellness
- 27. Sharing facilities and medical equipment in applied health sciences programs

- 28. Providing space for students to collaborate on projects in arts and culture
- 29. Supporting collaborative projects by staff and faculty in research, innovation and entrepreneurship
- 30. Offering a free online preceptor education program through eCampus Ontario
- 31. Connecting job seekers and employers through Magnet
- 32. Collaborating on work-integrated learning opportunities through HEQCO
- 33. Providing combined input on ONCAT's guiding principles for credit transfer for Ontario students
- 34. Partnering for employment success through collaborative annual career and job fairs
- 35. Encouraging entrepreneurship in Thunder Bay
- 36. Supporting entrepreneurial ventures by students in the Ottawa region
- 37. Collaborating on a job fair in Windsor
- 38. Coordinating clinical placements for nursing students
- 39. Enhancing pathways and partnerships through ONCAT's Learning Outcomes Steering Committee
- 40. Offering a broad range of joint programs for students of University of Guelph-Humber
- 41. Creating pathways for Indigenous teachers
- 42. Collaborating on joint degree/diploma program in policing and criminal justice
- 43. Providing a degree and certificate in a public relations program in just four years
- 44. Reducing completion time of a commerce degree through pathways from a diploma to a degree
- 45. Combining applied and academic learning in a program in digital journalism
- 46. Offering a pathway for international college to students to receive a degree from Algoma University
- 47. Offering a combined certificate of digital communication and BA degree to students
- 48. Developing multiple pathways to a university degree from Georgian College
- 49. Offering joint programs for postsecondary students studying science and technology
- 50. Providing Fleming College graduates the chance to build academic credentials needed to enter university