

#### Partner Factsheet 2020-2021



Bishop's University is located in the beautiful region of the Eastern Townships, in the province of Quebec, Canada. We are small, unique, English university that offers its students an undergraduate university experience like no other.

# Why choose Bishop's University?

Bishop's boasts some of the smallest class sizes in the country (average size of 36), and passionate, supportive professors who truly care about the success of their students. As a result, all BU students receive personalized attention and valuable support throughout their studies.

Bishop's connects its students to an array of outstanding learning opportunities, including internships and exceptional learning experiences. These opportunities enable students to strengthen their skills and obtain valuable professional experience, all while working to complete their degrees.

Over the past 175 years, Bishop's has created a unique social environment for its students, one that fosters personal growth and development. This caring and supportive atmosphere nurtures students, and helps transform them into confident and skilled leaders who are ready to make a difference in this world.

These elements, when combined, form the essence and the soul of the Bishop's community.



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We invite you to watch the beautiful introductory video of our University: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Vc4LsiACFIY

## How to apply

**Step 1.** Apply online using the <u>"International Exchange"</u> student application for Admission : <a href="http://www.ubishops.ca/future-current-students/bishops-university-online-application/">http://www.ubishops.ca/future-current-students/bishops-university-online-application/</a>

**Step 2.** All exchange students must upload the required <u>supporting documents</u> to their online BU application, or scan them to **admissions@ubishops.ca** 

- Copy of the ID page of your valid passport
- Official transcript from home university
- Letter of recommendation from home university
- Proof of English language fluency to study at an English language university, (either a test score, IELTS 6.5, TOEFL 90), or a letter from your home university attesting to your equivalent level of proficiency in written and spoken English, if you are not attending a university where English is the language of instruction.

**Step 3.** For exchange students staying for 2 semesters or more, must upload the required supporting documents to their online BU application, or scan them to admissions@ubishops.ca

- Copy of CAQ (Certificat d'Acceptance du Quebec)
- Copy of Study Permit

#### **Nominations**

Nomination processes are sent between the month of August and April for the following Fall and Winter semester.





### **Admission Deadlines**

September 15: Online application for September 2020 semester opens

May 1: College and University Transfer Admissions Application deadline (September 2019)

May 15: Preliminary document deadline for all applicants

June 1: Deadline to accept Fall offer of admission

June 15: Residence application deadline August 1: Official final document deadline

October 1: Winter (January) admission application deadline for exchange students

December 1: Winter (January) acceptance of admission offer deadline

Residence move in day is TBC

Orientation week is from TBC

Classes begin on September TBC and Examinations end on December TBC. October 12, Thanksgiving Day in Canada, is the only holiday in the Fall semester. The examination schedule will be available in the Fall.

Winter 2020 classes begin on January 8 and examinations end on April 26. March Reading Week/Spring Break is the week of March 2-6, 2020 (no classes).

# **Academic Programs and Requirements**

## Admission Requirements: General

- Strong academic standing at your home university
- Support of your home university for your proposed exchange

## Admission Requirements: Program-Specific

Proposed exchange program must correspond closely with the field of study followed at your home university.





## List of Programs

Check out the list of our programs: <a href="https://www.ubishops.ca/academic-programs/z-listing-academic-programs/">https://www.ubishops.ca/academic-programs/z-listing-academic-programs/</a>

Our timetable is accessible at the following link: <a href="https://www.ubishops.ca/wp-content/uploads/BU-Academic-Calendar-2019-2020.pdf">https://www.ubishops.ca/wp-content/uploads/BU-Academic-Calendar-2019-2020.pdf</a>

### Residences

Residence is by far, far more than just a room or suite on campus. It is where the founding of your Bishop's family starts, and where your Bishop's Experience truly begins.

Apply for Residence: <a href="https://www.ubishops.ca/future-current-students/student-campus-life/residence/apply-to-residence/">https://www.ubishops.ca/future-current-students/student-campus-life/residence/apply-to-residence/</a>

#### Raise a toast!

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