

# Enriched Support Program

Centre for  
Initiatives in  
Education

Carleton  
University



# Introduction

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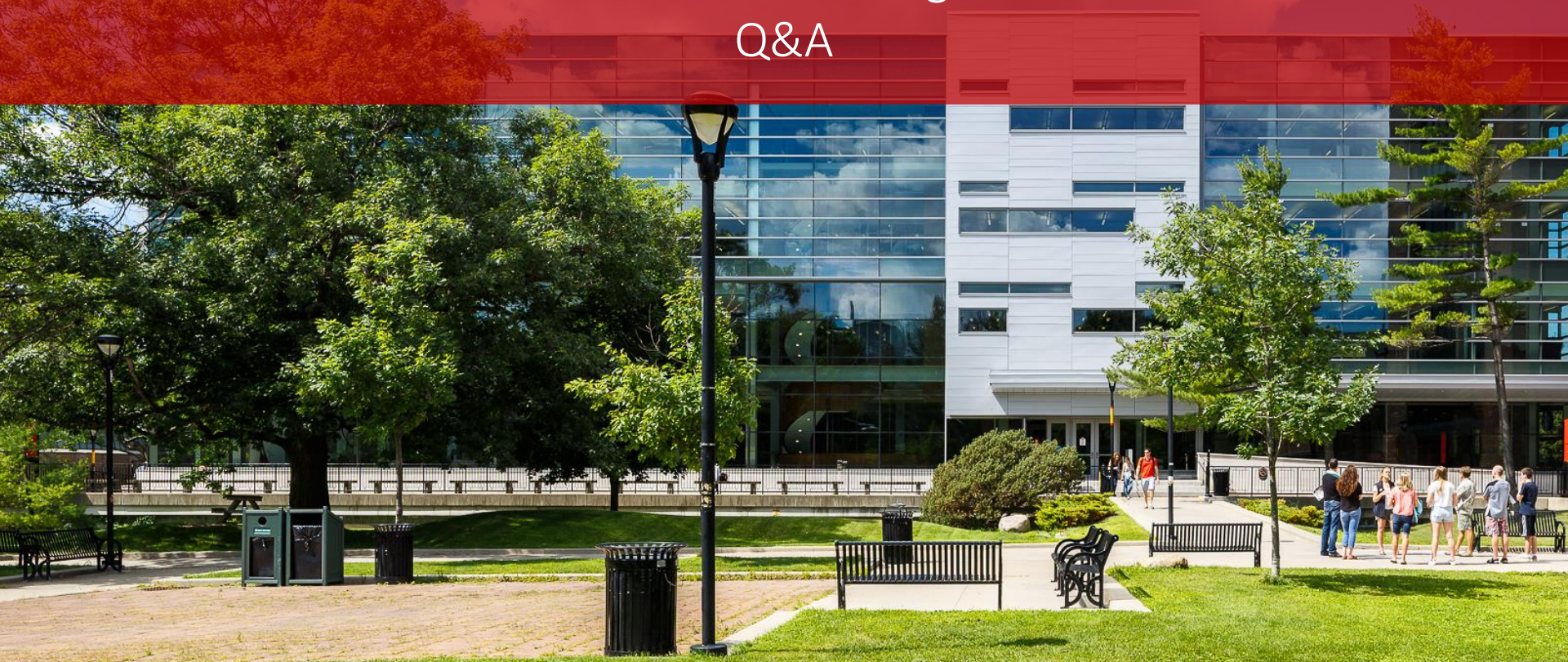
## Presenting & moderating:

- Tracy Yusuf, Registrarial and Admissions Administrator



# Agenda

Program description  
Admission requirements  
Application process  
Costs & funding  
Q&A







# Enriched Support Program



## Opportunity

Designed for students whose academic record may not represent their potential



## First-year studies

Full-time program, offering first year courses with academic support in order to build a basis for admission to a degree



## Successful completion

Admission to degrees in Arts & Social Sciences, Business, Engineering, Comp Science and Science programs

# Program

3 First-year Courses:

First Year Seminar  
(1.0 credit)

Elective course  
(1.0 credit)

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# First Year Seminar

- Regular credit course
- Taught by ESP Instructors
- Small class, active, participatory
- Introduces academic reading, research, writing skills
- Preview of 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> year Seminars
- Peer mentor support embedded in class

## Sample titles

- Power & Persuasion
- Personality Psychology
- Communication in Humans and Other Animals
- Power, Social Change & Communication

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# Electives: Arts & Social Sciences

First-year courses designed to introduce to a discipline.

- Anthropology
- Cognitive Science
- Child Studies
- Communication & Media Studies
- Criminology
- Economics
- Environmental Studies
- Human Rights & Social Justice
- Legal Studies (Law)
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Social work

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# Workshops



- Weekly workshops that support each of your elective courses
- Learn and practice effective academic skills & habits while studying weekly course material
- Organized study sessions built into your schedule
- Led by a trained peer facilitator
- Types of activities: mock tests, note taking skills, lecture review, discussion, group work, interactive activities

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# Student Advising



Investigate degree options: majors, minors, concentrations, certificates, co-ops and practicums



Review progress



Connect to campus resources



Add classes



Transition from ESP to degree

# Academic coaching



Navigating online learning environment



Managing time and staying organized



Making a personal study plan



Essay writing



Math and science course content



Reading, writing and thinking more critically



Generally *learning how to learn*







# From ESP to degree

Completing ESP with the required average earns admission to a program at Carleton

- **Arts** = C+ for most programs
- **Business** = B (min C+/B- core gpa)
- **Computer Science** = B- (min C- core gpa)
- **Engineering** = B- to A- (core & overall), requirements vary by program
- **Science** = C+ for General (core & overall)  
B- for Honours (core & overall)

## Notes

*Program completion means no failed or dropped courses*

*Engineering additional high school prerequisite: 4U Physics or equiv. (to be used in GPA)*

*Science Honours: additional senior h.s. advanced experimental science with min. 60% (to be used in core GPA).*

# Student Success

- 80-90% of students who fully participate earn admission to a degree







## Enriched Support Program

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# Application

Apply directly on our website (not thru OUAC)

- Application Form
- Transcripts: grades 9-12 & any post-secondary
- 2 Letters of reference (teachers or teacher & guidance c.)
- Personal statement (*opportunity to tell their story*)
- Application Fee (\$65)

Application Deadlines (often extended)

**Fall:** June 30      **Winter:** November 15

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# Admissions requirements

## High School applicants

- Diploma (unless mature)
- Half of grade 12 courses at U/M level

## Mature/college/university applicants:

- Case-by-case

## Prerequisite subjects:

**Arts & Social Sciences:** no specific prerequisites (ENG4U recommended)

**Engineering & Science:** SCH4U & MHF4U, SPH4U (mandatory for Engineering, rec. but not required for science), (MCV4U recommended)

**Business, Computer Science:** MHF4U (MCV4U recommended)



# Costs & Funding

## Fall/Win Costs 2021-22

Domestic students

- Costs: \$6,403.92

International students

- Costs: \$22,219.92

## Funding

- OSAP-eligible
- Bank student lines of credit
- RESPs
- Bursaries





# Questions?

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