

Jean Monnet Summer School on Transatlantic Trade Politics

Carleton University, July 6-12, 2023

Student Handbook

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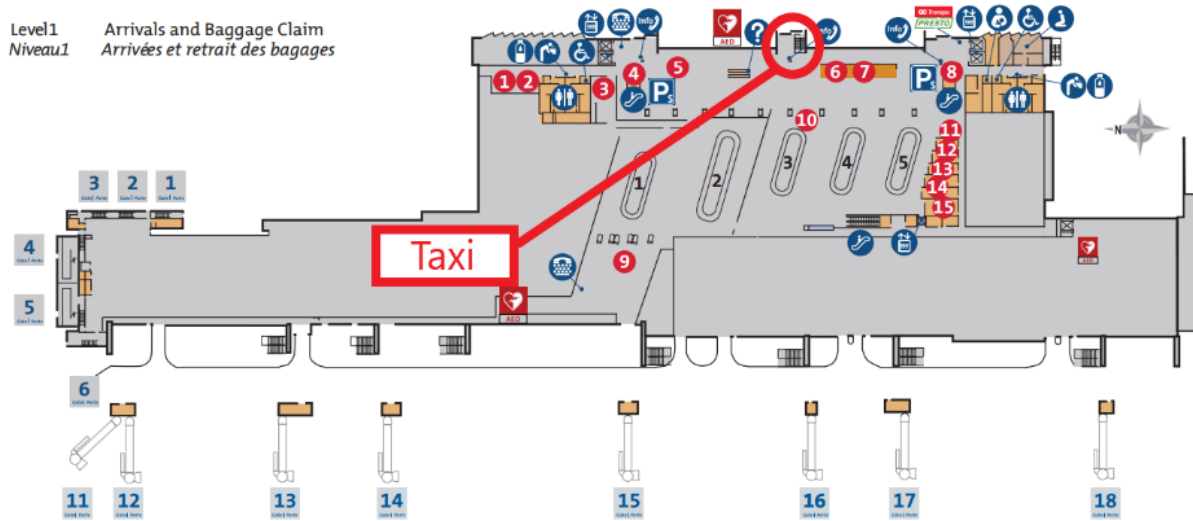
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ARRIVAL INFORMATION

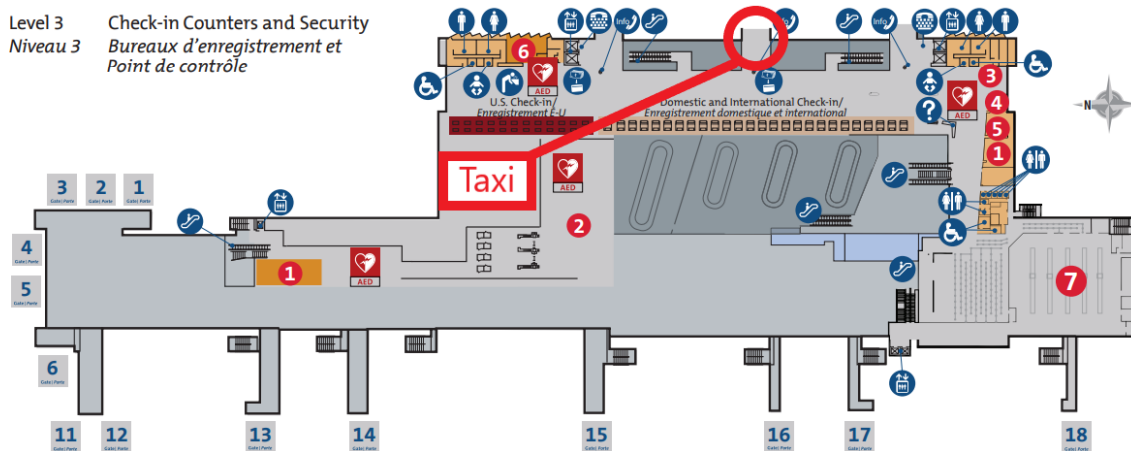
OTTAWA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

For participants arriving at Ottawa International Airport, taxis are available on site. The airport is located 9 km from the university with a drive time of approximately 8 minutes.

Pick-up: Level 1 (Arrivals) outside the centre door next to Tim Hortons



Drop-off: Level 3 (Departures)



Alternatively, participants may choose to take public transit from the airport to the university. Transit fares can be purchased from the ticket machine located on Level 1 (see map) or paid in cash (exact change only) or by Presto card onboard the bus. Single fares with a 90-minute transfer window cost \$3.75 cash or \$3.70 with a Presto card. Tickets must be shown to transfer to a second bus.

The airport is served by the number 97 bus. To reach Carleton University, take the number 97 bus to South Keys and change to the number 2 from the same stand. The University/Gymnasium stop serves the university.

VIA RAIL STATION

For participants arriving by train at Ottawa VIA Rail Station, taxis are available on site. The taxi rank is located outside the station main doors. Alternatively, the station is served by the O-Train light rail network. To reach Carleton University, take the train one stop (direction Tunney's Pasture) to Hurdman Station and pick up the number 10 bus at stand D. The University/Gymnasium stop serves the university.



VIA Rail Ottawa
200 Tremblay Rd
Ottawa, ON K1G
3H5
(1) 888-842-7245

CURRENCY EXCHANGE

Foreign currency can be exchanged for Canadian Dollars (CAD) at the Ottawa Airport or in banks in the city. Government issued ID is required to exchange currency. Banks offer a more favourable rate than the airport, but the airport is more convenient for most travellers.

[ICE – International Currency Exchange](#) is available at Gate 15 in the Canada/International hall (4:00-21:00) and on Level 1 (8:00-00:00).

[ReadySTATION® cash conversion kiosk](#) is available 24/7 on Level 3.

ATMs are also available at the airport and the train station, from which CAD can be obtained.

TRANSPORTATION

TAXIS

In addition to popular services such as Uber and Lyft, Ottawa is served by a number of local taxi companies:

City Cabs: <https://citycabottawa.ca/> App available

Blue Line: (1) 613-238-1111 App available

Rides Are Us: (1) 613-858-9060

PUBLIC TRANSIT

OC Transpo provides the public transit system for Ottawa. The system includes an extensive bus network with routes running at various frequencies, as well as an LRT line that passes through the downtown core. A second train line is currently closed for construction, with the #2 bus providing a replacement service. The #2 bus can be taken from Carleton University to Bayview Station, from which the LRT goes downtown. Bus fares can be paid in cash on the bus (**exact change only**) or by credit/debit at ticket machines. Daily and weekly passes are also available for purchase.

On the morning of July 6, you will be provided with a prepaid transit card (“Presto card”) with \$25 in credit. This card is reloadable and can be used on some other transit systems, such as the TTC in Toronto. The card will be used for the optional National Gallery visit on July 6 and the compulsory visit to the EU Delegation to Canada on July 7; you can also use it for your personal trips while in Ottawa. The cards must be returned to Carleton University staff before you leave. If you are an Ottawa-based student, you should validate and use your U-Pass. Please see the tables below for fare information.

Per-ride fares

Presto & ParaPay	\$3.70
Cash	\$3.75
Credit / Debit at Ticket Machines	\$3.70
Credit / Apple Pay / Google Pay at Line 1 fare gates	\$3.70

Passes

1 day	\$11.25
3 days	\$27.75
5 days	\$44.50
7 days	\$52.75
Monthly	\$125.50

Source: <https://www.octranspo.com/en/fares/>

ACCOMMODATION & SUMMER SCHOOL LOCATION

ACCOMMODATION

Check-in: July 4 or 5 any time after 15:00

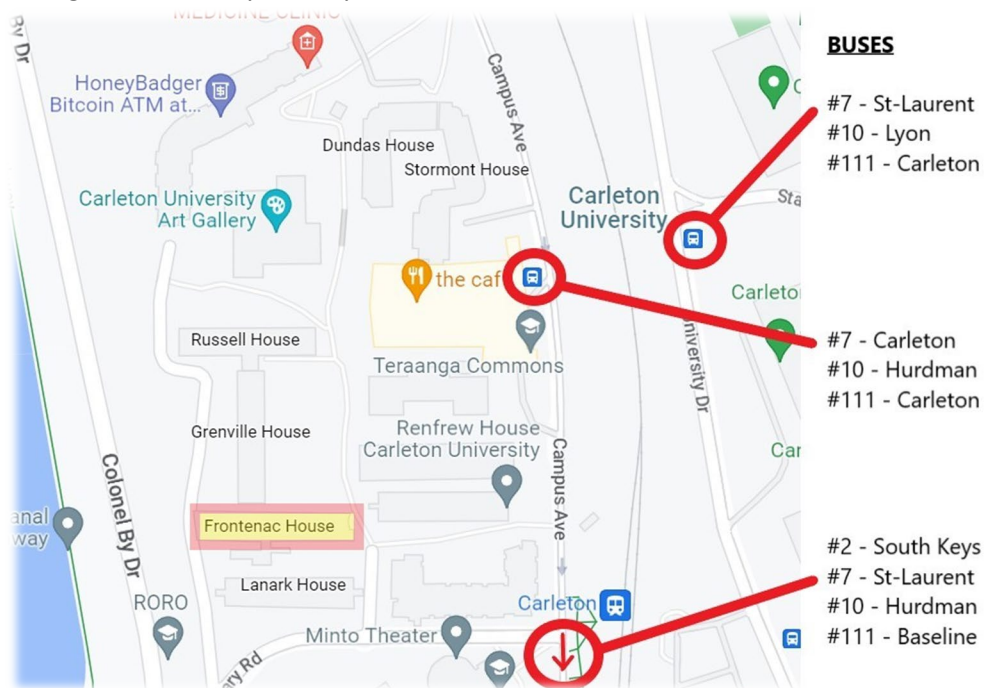
Check out: July 14 at 11:00.

Check-in is at Teraanga Commons reception desk. The desk is managed by a staff member 15:00-23:00. For arrivals later than 23:00, contact the on-call student managing the reception desk at **+1 (613) 520-5609** or **resdesk@carleton.ca**.

Suite style accommodation is provided at Carleton University's Frontenac House residence building, providing easy access to the summer school activities. All suite assignments will be with a student of the same gender.

The suite-style residence consists of two bedrooms (each is a private bedroom furnished with a double bed, desk, chair, your own key lock access, private washroom) and a shared kitchenette (microwave, refrigerator, sink). The kitchenette has a full-size fridge for storing groceries, but there are no cooking appliances or equipment.

The rooms will include linens and towels; extra towels and linens are available at the Reception Desk upon request. Suites are air-conditioned and smoke free; each floor has shared television lounges and free wireless internet is available (see below). A housekeeping service will be arranged for one day for during the week for your stay.



WI-FI

Wi-Fi is available in the residence building and across the campus. The internet can be accessed either through Eduroam, for which you will need to use your home institution credentials (check how to log on with your home university before arrival), or through the Carleton University guest Wi-Fi. To access the campus Wi-Fi on the guest network, use the following details:

Network: CU-Wireless
Domain: net.carleton.ca
Username: CarletonGuests
Password: RavensCU23!

DRESS CODE

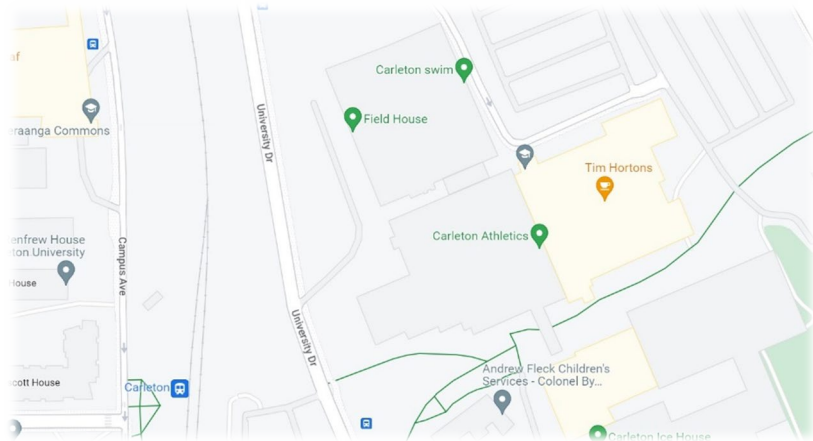
Although there is not a strict dress code for the summer school, some consideration should be given to the location and context of the experience. For the visit to the EU Delegation to Canada, business casual attire is expected, and appropriate clothing for the class sessions is required. Absolutely no beach wear.

FITNESS

As a guest, you are welcome to use the Carleton Athletics fitness facility and the swimming pool during recreational or public swimming for an additional fee. Fees are paid at the Welcome Centre in Alumni Hall at time of use.

Fitness Centre: 6:00 – 11:00
(Mon – Fri)
8:00 – 20:00
(Sat – Sun)

Pool: 6:00 – 22.30
(Mon – Thu)
6:00 – 21.30
(Fri)
6:00 – 21:00
(Sat)
7:00 – 22.30
(Sun)



MEALS

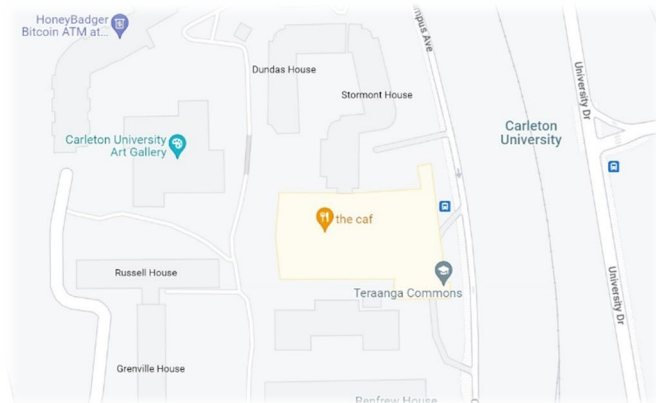
The campus dining hall, *The Caf*, is located in the Residence Commons building close to the accommodation residence. Buffet style meals are available with a rotating menu. The daily menus will offer additional options for specialized dietary considerations. Please note you may not bring outside food into the cafeteria.

Breakfast: 6:30 – 9:00

Lunch: 11:00 – 14:00

Dinner: 16:30 – 19:00

Menu: <https://carleton.campusdish.com/LocationsAndMenus/TheCaf>



In addition to *The Caf*, the University Centre (Nideyinàn) building has a number of meal options, such as pubs, a food court, and coffee shops, including Starbucks and Tim Hortons. Bridgehead, another coffee shop, is located in Nicol Building, next to the main bus stop.

Lunch will be provided to all students for the days where class will take place on campus, including Ottawa-based students. Lunch will be taken together in the residence building and provides an opportunity to socialize with students from other institutions.

On Tuesday, July 11, the university will host a barbecue dinner for all participants and professors.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

THURSDAY, JULY 6, 2023: INTRODUCTION: EUROPEAN AND NORTH AMERICAN TRADE POLITICS

Guest speaker: Laura Macdonald, Carleton University

Room: 3224 Richcraft Hall

9:00 – 10:15 Opening discussion: Researching transatlantic relations in the 21st century –
Scott Hamilton & Achim Hurrelmann

10:45 – 12:00 EU trade policy and politics: State of play – Achim Hurrelmann

13:30 – 14:45 North American trade policy and politics: State of play – Laura Macdonald

15:15 – 16:00 Discussion: Current challenges for the transatlantic trade relationship

18:00 – 20:00 Visit to the National Gallery of Canada (380 Sussex Drive; optional)

To access required readings, please go to <https://carleton.ca/tradenetwork/summer-school-reading-list/>. The password is **Ottawa2023!** (case sensitive).

Required readings:

- Gabaccia, Donna. 2004. "A Long Atlantic in a Wider World". *Atlantic Studies* 1(1): 1-27.
- Rosén, Guri. 2023. "Trade Policy". In: Samuel B. H. Faure and Christian Levesque, eds., *The Elgar Companion to the European Union*. Cheltenham: Edward Elgar, pp. 297-308.
- Macdonald, Laura. 2020. "Canada in the North American Region: Implications of Trump and the NAFTA Re-negotiations". *Canadian Journal of Political Science* 53(2): 505-520.

Additional readings:

- Green Cowles, Maria, and Michelle Egan. 2016. "The Historical Evolution of the Transatlantic Partnership". In *The West and the Global Power Shift: Transatlantic Relations and Global Governance*, edited by Riccardo Alcaro, John Peterson, and Ettore Greco, pp. 75-98. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan.
- Leblond, Patrick, and Crina Viju-Miljusevic. 2019. "EU Trade Policy in the Twenty-first Century: Change, Continuity and Challenges." *Journal of European Public Policy*, 26(12): 1836-1846.

FRIDAY, JULY 7, 2023: POLITICAL ECONOMY OF TRANSATLANTIC RELATIONS

Guest speakers: Crina Viju-Miljusevic, Carleton University, and André von Walter, EU Delegation to Canada

Room: 3224 Richcraft Hall

9:00 – 10:15 Comprehensive Economic and Trade Agreement (CETA): Economic analysis –
Crina Viju-Miljusevic (via Zoom)

10:45 – 12:00 Transatlantic trade agreements: Political debates – Achim Hurrelmann

14:00 – 16:00 Visit to the EU Delegation to Canada (150 Metcalfe Street, Suite 1900) – Discussion with André von Walter, Head of Trade and Economic Section

We will travel to the EU Delegation as a group, using public transit. Logistical information will be provided in class.

Required readings:

- Leblond, Patrick, and Crina Viju-Miljusevic. 2022. "CETA as the First EU Third-generation Trade Agreement: Does It Act Like One?" *Perspectivas. Journal of Political Science* 27: 41-55, <https://doi.org/10.21814/perspectivas.4496>.
- Hurrelmann, Achim, and Frank Wendler. 2023. "How Does Politicisation Affect the Ratification of Mixed EU Trade Agreements? The Case of CETA." *Journal of European Public Policy*, Early View, DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1080/13501763.2023.2202196>.

Additional readings:

- De Bièvre, Dirk. 2018. "The Paradox of Weakness in European Trade Policy: Contestation and Resilience in CETA and TTIP Negotiations". *The International Spectator*, 53(3): 70-85.
- De Ville, Ferdi, and Gabriel Siles-Brügge. 2017. "Why TTIP is a Gamechanger and its Critics Have a Point". *Journal of European Public Policy*, 24(10): 1491-1505.
- Hübner, Kurt, Anne-Sophie Deman, and Tugce Balik. 2017. "EU and Trade Policymaking: The Contentious Case of CETA". *Journal of European Integration*, 39:7, 843-857.

SATURDAY, JULY 8, 2023

Free time in Ottawa

SUNDAY, JULY 9, 2023

Free time in Ottawa

MONDAY, JULY 10, 2023: TRANSATLANTIC RELATIONS IN A GLOBAL CONTEXT: GEOSTRATEGIC PERSPECTIVES

Guest speakers: Elvire Fabry, Jacques Delors Institute, and Michelle Egan, American University
Room: 3224 Richcraft Hall

9:00 – 10:15 Transatlantic trade and investment in a time of "decoupling" – Elvire Fabry (via Zoom)

10:45 – 12:00 Transatlantic trade and national security – Michelle Egan

13:30 – 16.00 Activity/simulation – Scott Hamilton

Required readings:

- Fabry, Elvire. 2023. "Europe's Response to the Sino-American Rivalry". Policy Paper No. 288. https://institutdelors.eu/wp-content/uploads/dlm_uploads/2020/11/PP288_Comment-IEurope-repond-a-la-rivalite-sino-americaire_EN_Fabry-1.pdf,
- De Ville, Ferdi, Simon Happersberger, and Harri Kalimo. 2023. "The Unilateral Turn in EU Trade Policy? The Origins and Characteristics of the EU's New Trade Instruments." *European Foreign Affairs Review*, forthcoming.

Additional readings:

- Brooks, Risa A. 2002. "Sanctions and Regime Type: What Works, and When?" *Security Studies*, 11(4): 1-50.
- Drezner, Daniel W. 2000. "Bargaining, Enforcement, and Multilateral Sanctions: When Is Cooperation Counterproductive?" *International Organization*, 54(1): 73-102.
- Portela, Clara, Paulina Pospieszna, Joanna Skrzypczyńska, and Dawid Walentek. 2021. "Consensus against All Odds: Explaining the Persistence of EU Sanctions on Russia". *Journal of European Integration*, 43(6): 683-699.

TUESDAY JULY 11, 2023: POLITICIZATION OF TRANSATLANTIC TRADE

Guest speakers: Andreas Dür, University of Salzburg and Francesco Duina, Bates College
Room: 3224 Richcraft Hall

9:00 – 10:15 Interest groups and the contestation of trade agreements – Andreas Dür (via Zoom)

10:45 – 12:00 Values and identities and the contestation of trade agreements – Francesco Duina

13:30 – 14:45 Political mobilization and coalition building – Scott Hamilton

15:15 – 16:00 Discussion

17:00 – 19:00 Summer School BBQ – Informal get-together on the Carleton Campus (location TBA)

Required readings:

- Dür, Andreas, and Gemma Mateo. 2014. "Public Opinion and Interest Group Influence: How Citizen Groups Derailed the Anti-Counterfeiting Trade Agreement". *Journal of European Public Policy* 21(8): 1199–1217.
- Duina, Francesco. 2019. "Why the Excitement? Values, Identities, and the Politicization of EU Trade Policy with North America". *Journal of European Public Policy* 26(12), 1866-1882.
- Bartolini, Stefano. 2018. *The Political*. London: ECPR Press. [Chapter 4, pp 91-115]

Additional readings:

- De Bièvre, Dirk, and Arlo Poletti. 2020. "Towards Explaining Varying Degrees of Politicization of EU Trade Agreement Negotiations". *Politics & Governance*, 8(1): 243-253.
- Meunier, Sophie, and Rozalie Czesana. 2019. "From the Back Rooms to the Street? A Research Agenda for Explaining Variation in the Public Salience of Trade Policy-making in Europe". *Journal of European Public Policy*, 26(12): 1847-1865.

WEDNESDAY JULY 12, 2023: RETHINKING THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF TRANSATLANTIC RELATIONS
Guest speakers: Özlem Atikcan, University of Warwick; Francesco Duina, Bates College; and
Patricia Goff, Wilfrid Laurier University
Room: 3224 Richcraft Hall

9:00 – 10:15 Trade, space, and identity – Özlem Atikcan (via Zoom)

10:45 – 12:00 Regulatory standardization – Francesco Duina

13:30 – 14:45 Inclusive trade – Patricia Goff

15:15 – 16:00 Concluding discussion

Required readings:

- Adler-Nissen, Rebecca, Charlotte Galpin, and Ben Rosamond. 2017. "Performing Brexit: How a Post-Brexit World is Imagined outside the United Kingdom". *British Journal of Politics and International Relations* 19(3), 573–591.
- Duina, Francesco, and Crina Viju-Miljusevic, eds. 2023. *Standardizing the World: EU Trade Policy and the Road to Convergence*. Oxford University Press. [Introduction and Conclusion]
- Goff, Patricia. 2021. "Inclusive Trade: Justice, Innovation, or More of the Same?" *Ethics & International Affairs* 35(2): 273-301.

Additional readings:

- Hannah, Erin, Adrienne Roberts, and Silke Trommer. 2022. "Gender in Global Trade: Transforming or Reproducing Trade Orthodoxy?" *Review of International Political Economy* 29(4): 1368-1393.
- Velut, Jean-Baptiste, Gabriel Siles-Brügge, and Louise Dalingwater. 2022. "Rethinking the Dynamics of Inclusion and Exclusion in Trade Politics". *New Political Economy* 27(4): 547-552.

BIOGRAPHIES OF THE PRESENTERS

Ece Özlem Atikcan is Professor of Politics and International Studies at the University of Warwick and a Visiting Senior Research Fellow at the European Institute of the University College London. Her research focuses on framing theory, global diffusion of norms, referendum politics, direct democracy, migration and border studies, and the politicization of trade agreements. She is the Principal Investigator of the FRAMENET project. [Website.](#)

Andreas Dür is Professor of International Politics at the University of Salzburg (Austria) and a fellow at the Salzburg Centre of European Union Studies. His research interests are in the areas of International Political Economy, International Relations, interest groups and European Union politics. More specifically, most of his research has focused on trade policy, interest groups, international negotiations and public opinion. [Website.](#)

Francesco Duina is Charles A. Dana Professor of Sociology at Bates College. His work lies at the intersections of economic sociology, political sociology, and international political economy. He is

especially interested in globalization, international organizations, and the continuing relevance of nation states. He has written on a variety of themes, such as international trade, competition, consumer policy, nationalism, democracy, law, and regional integration. Much of his work is comparative (Europe, the Americas, Asia, and beyond) and in theoretical terms adopts an institutionalist perspective. [Website.](#)

Michelle Egan is Professor in the School of International Service at American University. Her research focuses on comparative politics and political economy. She works on Europe and the United States, with a focus on issues of federalism, trade, governance and law. Professor Egan is co-director of the Transatlantic Policy Center. [Website.](#)

Elvire Fabry is Senior Research Fellow at the Jacques Delors Institute, in charge of geopolitics of trade. She is rapporteur of the working group on EU-China relations. Her areas of expertise include EU bilateral trade negotiations, EU-US relations, EU-China relations, investment, global governance, WTO reform, Brexit and perceptions of globalization. [Website.](#)

Patricia Goff is Professor of Political Science at Wilfrid Laurier University. Her research interests include international political economy, international relations theory, and international organizations. Within international political economy, she focuses on the politics of trade. Conceptually, she researches the intersection of cultural claims with the economic mandates of governments and international organizations. [Website.](#)

Scott Hamilton is a PhD researcher at the University of Antwerp, currently writing a thesis about the politicisation of EU trade agreement negotiations. His research interests include the diffusion of political ideas, coalition formation, and networks. [Website.](#)

Achim Hurrelmann is Professor of Political Science at Carleton University. He is Co-Director of Carleton's Centre for European Studies and coordinates the Jean Monnet Network on Transatlantic Trade Politics. His research focuses on the politics of the European Union, especially political discourses about European integration, the democratization of the EU, as well as Canada-EU relations. [Website.](#)

Laura Macdonald is Professor in the Department of Political Science and the Institute of Political Economy at Carleton University. She has published on the role of non-governmental organizations in development, global civil society, citizenship struggles in Latin America, Canadian development assistance and the political impact of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA). Her recent work looks at Canada's role in Latin America, policies to reduce crime and violence in Mexico City, and transnational activism around human rights in North America. [Website.](#)

Crina Viju-Miljusevic is Associate Professor in the Institute of European, Russian and Eurasian Studies (EURUS) at Carleton University. She serves as Associate Director of the Centre for European Studies (CES). Her research interests include the economic effects of trade policies applied within the EU, the US and Canada, as well as European economic integration and EU enlargement. [Website.](#)

André von Walter is the Head of the Trade and Economic Section at the European Union Delegation to Canada.

TOURIST ATTRACTIONS

BYWARD MARKET

Located in the downtown core, the Byward Market is the centre of Ottawa's food and nightlife culture. It is also a shopping hub, with specialist stores, souvenir shops, and market stalls.

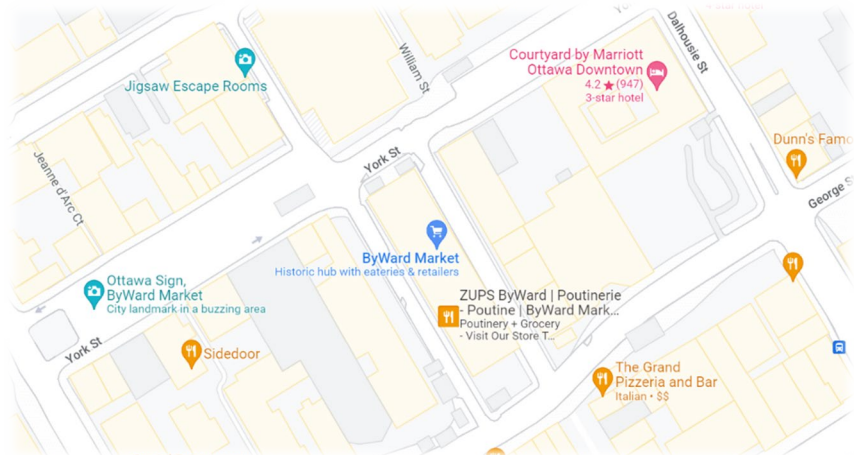
Recommended Eateries:

Planet Coffee: 24a York St.

BeaverTails: 69 George St.

Casa di Moni: 51 York St.

**Le Moulin de
Provence:** 55 Byward
Market Square



PARLIAMENT HILL

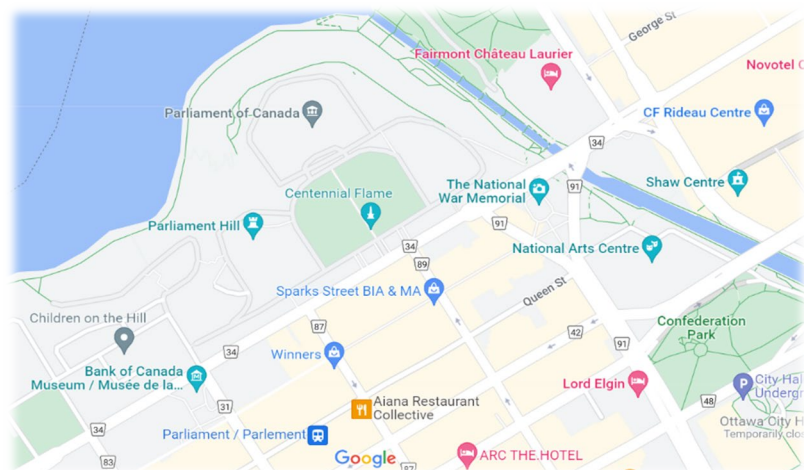
Designated a National Historic Site of Canada, Parliament Hill is the seat of Canada's government. Although the interior of Centre Block, the main site of the parliament, is currently closed to the public for renovation, free tours of the temporary House of Commons and the Senate of Canada are available.

Parliament Hill is accessible via the Parliament O-Train station. The area is also home to the Senate of Canada building and the Chateau Laurier Hotel, which are both well-known local landmarks. It is also located next to the Rideau Canal, which is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and is close to Canada's National War Memorial.

Parliament Hill
111 Wellington St
Ottawa, ON K1A 0A4

Tours: visit.parl.ca

Hours: 8.30 – 17:00



NATIONAL GALLERY OF CANADA

The National Gallery of Canada is Canada's premier art gallery. The collection includes Canadian Settler and Indigenous artists, European works, and a modern art gallery.

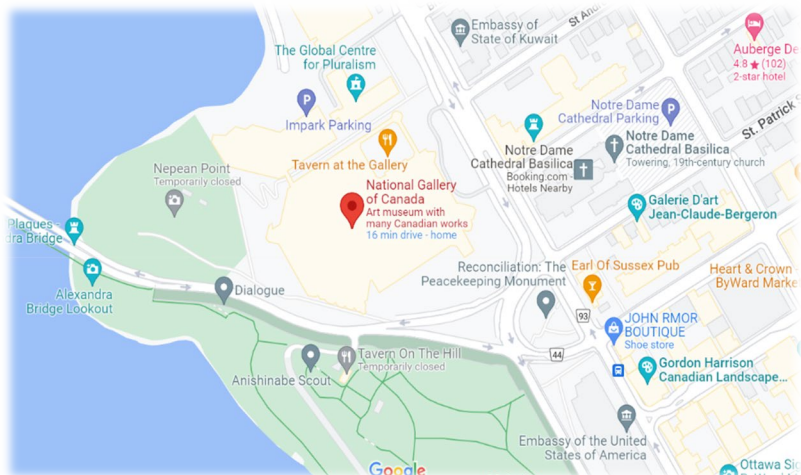
National Gallery of Canada

380 Sussex Dr
Ottawa, ON K1N 9N4
(1) 613-990-1985
<https://www.gallery.ca/>

Hours: 10:00 – 17:00
10:00 – 20:00 (Thu)

Tickets: \$20 + tax

Free admission: Thu 17:00 – 20:00



CANADIAN MUSEUM OF HISTORY

The Canadian Museum of History is Canada's national history museum. Located across the river in Gatineau, Quebec, the Canadian Museum of History boasts a large collection of galleries, special exhibition spaces, an IMAX screen, and a children's museum.

The Canadian Museum of History can be accessed by walking across the Alexandra Bridge. It is also reachable by taxi or by taking the number 10 bus from Carleton University to Lyon (stand B) and then the number 15 from Lyon (stand C) to Laurier/Élisabeth-Bruyère.

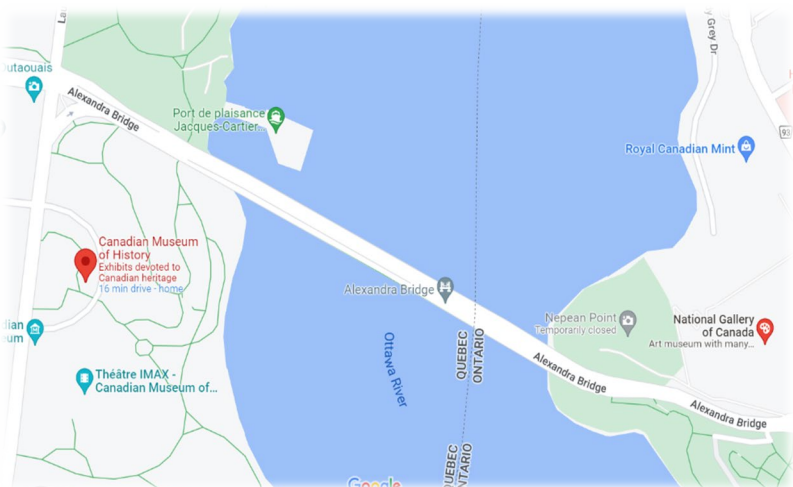
Canadian Museum of History

100 Laurier Street
Gatineau, QC K1A 0M8
(1) 800-555-5621
www.historymuseum.ca

Hours: 9:00 – 16:00
9:00 – 19:00 (Thu)

Tickets: \$16 + tax (with student ID)

Free admission: Thu 17:00 – 19:00



CANADIAN WAR MUSEUM

The Canadian War Museum is one of Ottawa's most well-known sites, hosting a vast collection charting Canada's military contributions and peacekeeping efforts. Exhibits cover early Canadian wars, the First and Second World Wars, the Cold War, and Canada's more recent conflicts. The Royal Canadian Legion Hall of Honour and the Memorial Hall offer spaces for reflection and remembrance, while the LeBreton Gallery showcases a variety of military vehicles.

War Museum can be reached from Pimisi LRT Station, or from Carleton University via the #2 bus (Bayview) and changing for the #85 at Preston/Carling. The stop for the museum is Booth/Vimy Place.

Canadian War Museum

1 Vimy Place
Ottawa, ON K1A 0M8
(1) 800-555-5621
<https://www.warmuseum.ca/>

Hours: 10:00 – 17:00
10:00 – 19:00 (Thu)

Tickets: \$14 + tax (with student ID)

Free admission: Thu 17:00 – 19:00



ROYAL CANADIAN MINT

The Royal Canadian Mint houses a collection of Canada's coins. Guided tours cover coin making process, and how new coins are designed. Tours must be arranged in advance through the website.

Royal Canadian Mint

320 Sussex Dr
Ottawa, ON K1A 0G8
(1) 613-993-5259
<https://mint.ca/>

Hours: 10:00 – 17:00
Closed Mondays

Tickets: \$12 + tax



BANK OF CANADA MUSEUM

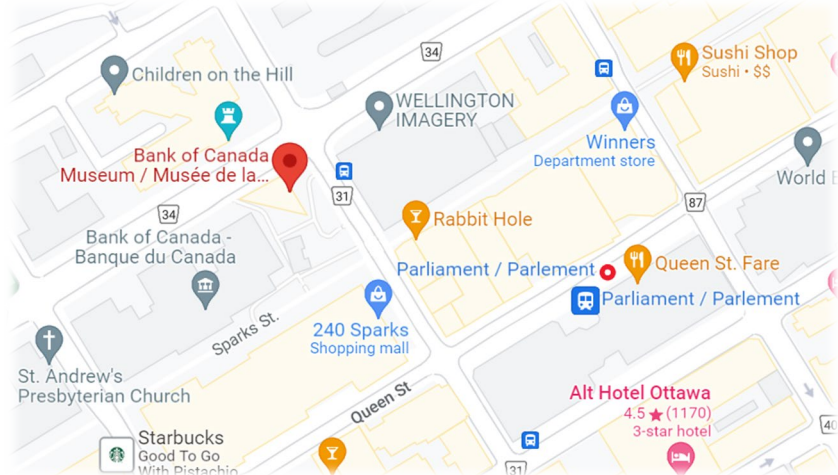
Similar to the Royal Canadian Mint, the Bank of Canada Museum contains a collection of Canada's banknotes. The Museum can be reached easily on foot from the Parliament LRT Station.

Bank of Canada Museum

30 Bank St
Ottawa, ON K1A 0G9
(1) 613-782-8914
<https://www.bankofcanada.com/museum.ca/>

Hours: 10:00 – 17:00

Tickets: Free



CENTRAL EXPERIMENTAL FARM

The Central Experimental Farm is located in the southwestern part of the city within walking distance of Carleton University. The farm is extensive and offers relaxing walking paths that are open to the public. Highlights include the Dominion Arboretum, the Ornamental Gardens, the Fletcher Wildlife Garden, and the Tropical Greenhouse, all of which are free of charge and open from dawn until dusk.

For those interested in farming, the Central Experimental Farm is also home to the Canada Agriculture and Food Museum, situated on the eastern edge of the grounds. The museum contains rotating exhibitions, live animals, and a variety of demonstrations related to food production.

Canada Agriculture and Food Museum

901 Prince of Wales Dr
Ottawa, ON K2C 3K1
(1) 613-991-3044
<https://ingeniumcanada.org/agriculture>

Hours: 9:00 – 17:00
Closed Mon & Tue

Tickets: \$13.50 + tax

Free admission: 16:00 – 17:00



OTTAWA ART GALLERY

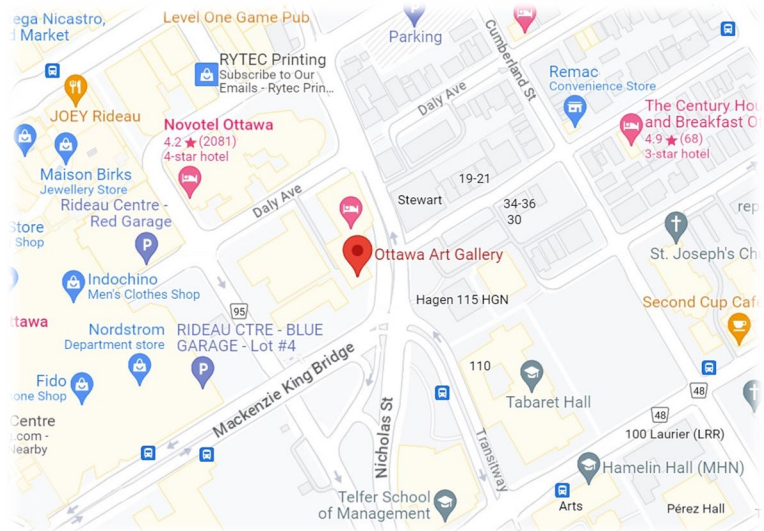
The Ottawa Art Gallery, while much smaller than the National Gallery, contains an impressive collection of contemporary art with a focus on local talent from the National Capital Region.

Ottawa Art Gallery

50 Mackenzie King Bridge
Ottawa, ON K1N 0C5
(1) 613-233-8699
<https://oaggao.ca/>

Hours: 10:00 – 18:00
(Tue, Wed, Sun)
10:00 – 21:00
(Thu-Sat)
Closed Mondays

Tickets: Free



FARMER'S MARKETS

Ottawa has a number of farmer's markets around the city that sell a variety of products, including food, crafts, and gifts. The closest farmer's market to Carleton University is located at Lansdowne Park and is easily accessible via the #7 bus route (direction St-Laurent), with the stop at Lansdowne TD Place.

Location	Day	Times
Lansdowne	Sunday	9:00 – 15:00
Westboro	Saturday	9:00 – 15:00
Orléans	Thursday	11:00 – 16:00
Barrhaven	Sunday	10:00 – 14:00

NORTHERN LIGHTS LIGHT SHOW

During the summer months, Centre Block of Parliament Hill is lit up from Thursday to Monday with the Northern Lights show. Projected images and sound use the Parliament as a backdrop to tell the story of Canada's history and achievements. The show this year begins on July 7 and last around 30 minutes, beginning at 22:00. This year is Northern Lights' last and features two new segments highlighting the anniversaries of milestones in Canada's development. For more information, see <https://www.canada.ca/en/canadian-heritage/campaigns/sound-light-show.html>.

OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

BRITANNIA BEACH

In the west part of the city, located on the Ottawa River, Britannia Beach offers a variety of outdoor activities in the summer. Options include swimming, picnicking, and watching the boats sail by. The beach offers amenities such as picnic tables, washrooms, volleyball net rentals, a canteen, and changerooms.

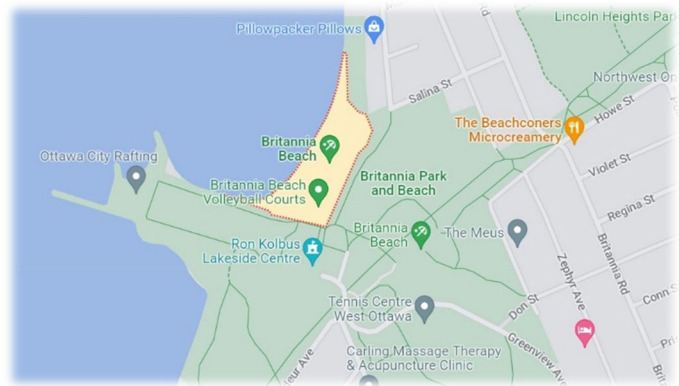
Britannia Beach

Britannia Bay

<https://www.theswimguide.org/beach/1092>

Volleyball net rentals: \$14.50/hour

Bus: #2 (direction Bayview), change at Preston/Carling for the #85 (direction Bayshore) to Carling/Greenview.



MOONEY'S BAY BEACH

Not far south of Carleton University is Mooney's Bay, which features a variety of gardens, parks, and a beach. Amenities include washrooms, picnic tables, change rooms, and barbecue pits. Volleyball nets and paddleboards can be rented by the hour.

Mooney's Bay

2926 Riverside Dr

Ottawa, ON K1V 6M8

(1) 613-248-0863

Bus: #2 (direction South Keys) or #111 (direction Baseline), change at Heron Station for the #90 (direction Greenboro) to Riverside/Ridgewood.



DOW'S LAKE

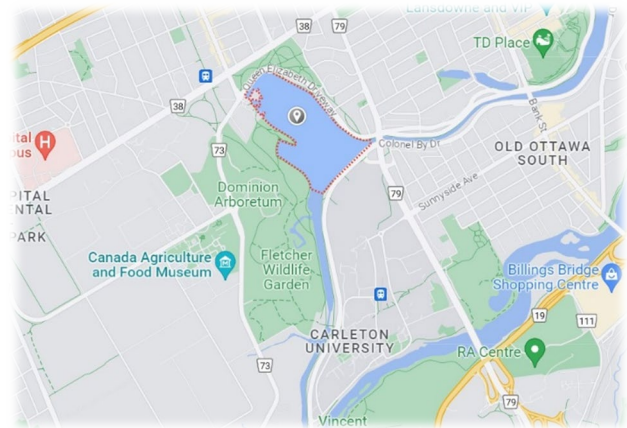
Only a short walk to the north of Carleton University, Dow's Lake can be found on the Rideau Canal and is a popular location for water sports. As with Britannia Beach and Mooney's Bay, there are a number of activities available in this area, including the rental of canoes, kayaks, stand up paddle boards, and paddleboats. The Dow's Lake Pavilion offers rentals, as well as restaurants and other facilities. Equipment is available by the hour and includes all required safety equipment.

Dow's Lake Pavilion

1001 Queen Elizabeth Drive

Ottawa, ON K1S 5K7

https://www.dowlake.com/summer_rentals.php



OTHER ACTIVITIES

FREE EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

In addition to the many paid activities and events in Ottawa during the summer, there are also many free activities. Information about free activities can be found here on the Ottawa Tourism website:

<https://ottawatourism.ca/en/ottawa-insider/free-or-nearly-free-ottawa-spring-summer-and-fall>

BICYCLE RENTALS

Bicycle rentals are available from RentABike Ottawa, which offers a range of bikes and equipment, as well as escorted tour routes. The office can be easily accessed by taking bus #7 (direction St-Laurent) to Rideau B and walking towards the Senate of Canada building.

RentABike

2 Rideau Street

Ottawa, ON K1N 8X5

(1) 613-241-4140

<https://www.rentabike.ca/>

DAY TRIPS

GATINEAU PARK

A short journey away from Ottawa is Gatineau Park, the second-most visited park in Canada. Covering an impressive 361 square kilometres, Gatineau Park offers a diverse range of activities, including swimming, hiking, horseback riding, boating, cycling, and rock climbing. Due to its size, the park is divided into a number of sectors, some of which are accessible from Ottawa by bus.

Although the park is accessible by public transport via Gatineau STO bus routes, the easiest way to access the area is through the Gatineau Shuttle service. This service is available on Saturdays and Sundays and departs in Ottawa from a stop near to Lyon O-Train station.

Gatineau Park Visitor Centre

33 Chemin Scott

Chelsea, QC J9B 1R5

(1) 819-827-2020

<https://ncc-ccn.gc.ca/places/gatineau-park#>

Hours: Open 24 hours/day

Admission: Free (park)



Shuttle Information: <https://ncc-ccn.gc.ca/places/gatineau-park-shuttle>

KINGSTON

Kingston is a popular day-trip destination from Ottawa. This small city is located close to the border with the United States and is situated where the St Lawrence River meets Lake Ontario. Kingston is a historic city and Canada's first capital, with many activities and museums to cater to all tastes.

Kingston can easily be accessed by public transport from Ottawa and is a two-hour journey away.

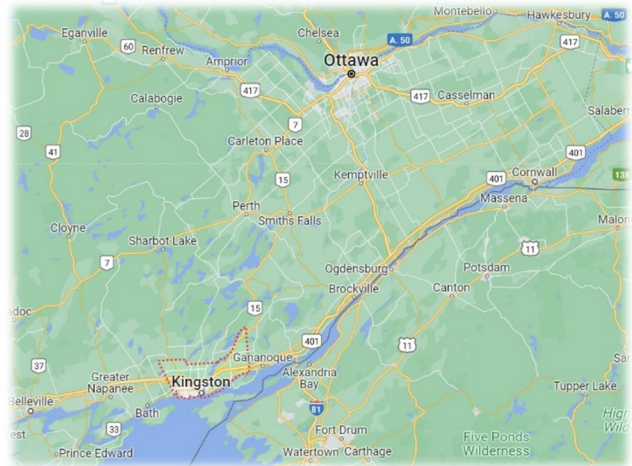
Transport options include:

VIA Rail: Approx. \$110 return
<https://www.viarail.ca/en>

Flix Bus: Approx. \$52 return
<https://www.flixbus.ca/>

Mega Bus: Approx. \$80 return
<https://ca.megabus.com/>

Red Arrow: Approx. \$110 return
<https://www.redarrow.ca/>



Visitor Highlights

Fort Henry National Historic Site	https://www.forthenry.com/
Canada's Penitentiary Museum	https://www.penitentiarymuseum.ca/
Kingston Penitentiary Tours	https://www.kingstonpentour.com/
1000 Islands Cruises	https://www.1000islandscruises.ca/
Kingston Waterfront Pathway	https://www.cityofkingston.ca/residents/recreation/parks-trails/waterfront-pathway
Wolfe Island	https://www.wolfeisland.com/
Bellevue House National Historic Site	https://parks.canada.ca/lhn-nhs/on/bellevue
Military Communications and Electronics Museum	https://www.candemuseum.org/
Royal Military College Museum	https://www.rmc-cmr.ca/en/museum/rmc-museum
Kingston Trolley Tours	https://www.kingstontrolley.ca/

WEEKEND TRIPS

MONTREAL

Montreal, Canada's second-biggest city, is easily accessible from Ottawa. Although it is close enough to visit in a day, the number of activities in Montreal make it worth staying for a full weekend. Montreal is a city of blended cultures with a strong French identity, and it is famous for its gastronomy and historic downtown core.

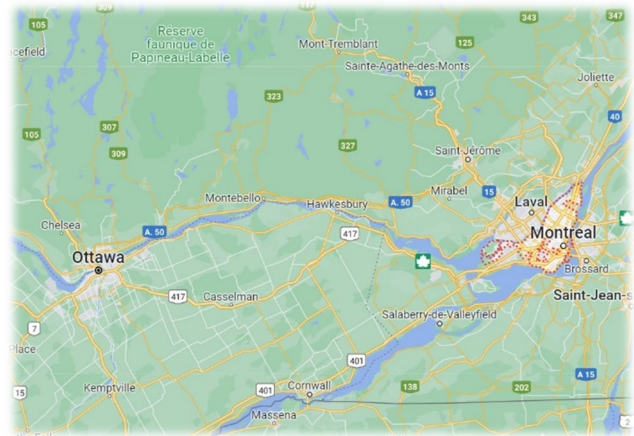
Montreal can easily be accessed by public transport from Ottawa and is a two-hour journey away.

Transport options include:

VIA Rail: Approx. \$140 return
<https://www.viarail.ca/en>

Orléans Express: Approx. \$128 return
www.oleansexpress.com/

Tour Express: Approx. \$95 return
<https://tourexpess.ca/>



Visitor Highlights

Old Montreal	https://www.vieux.montreal.qc.ca/
Notre-Dame Basilica	https://www.basiliquenotredame.ca/en
Mount Royal Park	https://www.lemontroyal.qc.ca/en
Montreal Botanical Garden	https://espacepouurlavie.ca/jardin-botanique
Musée des beaux-arts de Montréal	https://www.mbam.qc.ca/en/
Old Port of Montreal	https://www.vieuxportdemontreal.com/
Biodome de Montreal	https://espacepouurlavie.ca/en/biodome
Barbie Expo	https://expobarbie.ca/
Saint Joseph's Oratory of Mount Royal	https://www.saint-joseph.org/en/

TORONTO

Canada's largest city has a wealth of fun activities and sites that are worth seeing in a weekend trip. There is something for everyone, including typical tourist traps, museums, and outdoor spaces. Toronto also has a vibrant theatre scene, with a range of home-grown shows and touring Broadway hits. In addition, Niagara Falls is accessible from Toronto by public transport or on organised tours.

Toronto can easily be accessed by public transport from Ottawa and is a five-hour journey away.

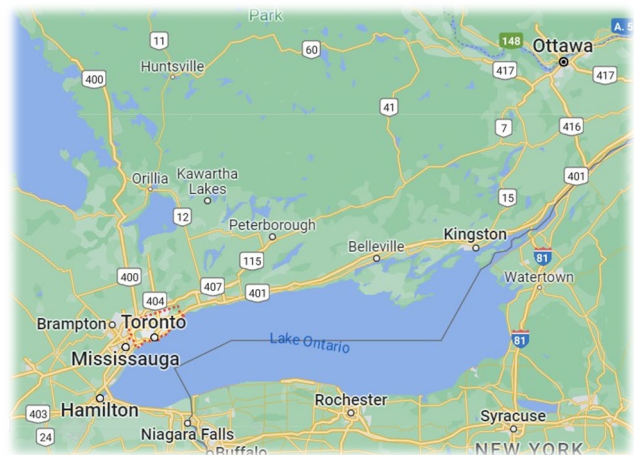
Transport options include:

VIA Rail: Approx. \$122 return
<https://www.viarail.ca/en>

Flix Bus: Approx. \$80 return
<https://www.flixbus.ca/>

Mega Bus: Approx. \$27 return
<https://ca.megabus.com/>

Red Arrow: Approx. \$160 return
<https://www.redarrow.ca/>



Visitor Highlights

CN Tower	https://www.cntower.ca/
Royal Ontario Museum	https://www.rom.on.ca/en
Hockey Hall of Fame	https://www.hhof.com/
Bata Shoe Museum	https://batashoemuseum.ca/
Casa Loma	https://casaloma.ca/
Toronto Island Park	https://www.toronto.ca/explore-enjoy/parks-gardens-beaches/toronto-island-park/
Distillery Historic District	https://www.thedistillerydistrict.com/
Art Gallery of Ontario	https://ago.ca/
Black Creek Pioneer Village	https://blackcreek.ca/
Mirvish Theatre Productions	https://www.mirvish.com/

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