

### University Quick Facts

Ranked 'A' in the following areas (Canadian University Report, 2015) Quality education

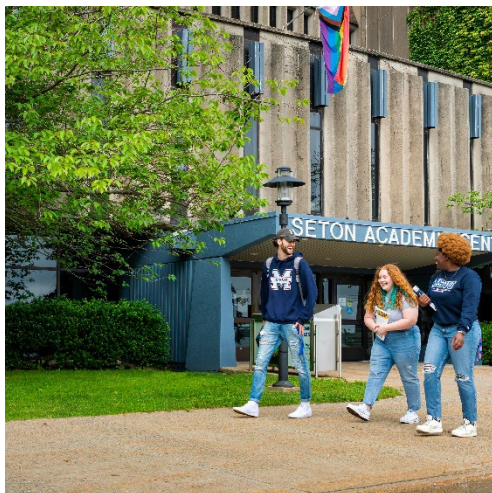
- Hands-on learning
- Small class sizes
- Safety and security
- Exceptional international support

### Important Dates:

- **Nomination Deadlines:**  
May 20<sup>th</sup> for Fall Semester (September - December)  
Sep 20<sup>th</sup> for Winter Semester (January - April)
- **Application Deadlines:**  
Jun 20<sup>th</sup> for Fall Semester (September - December)  
Oct 20<sup>th</sup> for Winter Semester (January - April)
- **University's Calendar** (click the icon)



**Viewbook for Incoming Exchange** (click the picture):



### Brief Intro to MSVU

From our beginning in 1873, Mount Saint Vincent University has been committed to nurturing socially responsible global citizens, at home and abroad. Recognized for its small class sizes and personalized approach to learning, MSVU is home to a diverse mix of 4,000 students from across Canada and more than 60 countries.

### Popular Programs:

#### Arts and Science

- Biology
- Canadian Studies
- Chemistry
- Communication Studies
- Computer Science
- Cultural Studies
- Economics
- English
- Family Studies
- French
- Gerontology
- History
- Mathematics
- Philosophy
- Physics
- Political Studies
- Psychology
- Public Policy
- Religious Studies
- Sociology/ Anthropology
- Statistics
- Women's Studies
- Writing

#### Professional Studies

- Applied Human Nutrition
- Business Administration
- Child and Youth Study
- Information Technology
- Public Relations
- Tourism and Hospitality

Course Descriptions: [www.msvu.ca/programs](http://www.msvu.ca/programs)

Current Offerings: <https://colssprod.msvu.ca/Student/Courses/>

International Education Centre (Seton Annex 101)

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### Services for Students

#### International Education Centre

- International Student Orientation
- On-and-off-campus Social Activities

#### Athletics and Recreation

- Soccer Varsity
- Basketball Varsity
- Volleyball Varsity
- Cross Country Running Team
- Free Gym Centre

#### Accessibility Services

The University is committed to services for students with physical and mental challenges. For details, please click the icon:



#### Other Services include:

- Library
- Writing Resource Centre
- Student Societies
- IT

#### Residence

Please click the icon for details.



#### The Cost of Mandatory Medical Insurance

- CAD\$654 for a full academic year (2022-2023)
- prorated for students participating in a one-semester exchange

### Admission Requirements

- Average 73% on the numerical scale, or
  - Minimum GPA of 3.0 on a 4.3 scale
- \* If English is not your first language or the instruction language in your institution, please submit proof of English proficiency:*
- TOEFL iBT: 86 with no score below 21, or
  - IELTS 6.5 with no score below 6.0, or
  - CAEL 70 with no score below 60, or
  - other official documents may be considered upon request

### Admission Procedure:

#### Nomination by your home institution before deadlines:

Email the following information to [global@msvu.ca](mailto:global@msvu.ca):

- Given Name and Family Name
- Date of Birth
- Email address
- Program at home institution
- Intended term (s) of study

#### Application:

Applicants need to take the following steps:

- Download the *Incoming Exchange Application Form* (fillable PDF)
- Open and fill it out on your computer by using Adobe Acrobat Reader DC
- Ask your coordinator to email the following documents to us at [global@msvu.ca](mailto:global@msvu.ca):
  1. the completed Application Form
  2. a scanned copy of your passport identification page
  3. a professional headshot (such as an ID photo)
  4. original transcript (in English)
  5. proof of English proficiency
  6. course descriptions (in English) of all the courses you will have completed in your home institution before your exchange at MSVU

### Additional Requirements for studies at MSVU:

All exchange students must register in a full-time course load. Students can choose to register in 3-5 courses.

- \* Note that 5 courses would be the number of courses that a student would complete per semester if they plan to complete their degree on time. This means that 5 courses can be seen as equivalent to 30 ECTS.
- \* All course requests submitted are pending approval based on the following criteria:
  - Space in the class
  - Completion of any necessary pre-requisites as evaluated by the course professor considering the request

### Study Permit Needed or Not:

If a student intends to study for more than one academic term (i.e. a full academic year exchange), a study permit is required.

For more details: [www.cic.gc.ca](http://www.cic.gc.ca).

### Visa (or eTA) Needed or Not:

Please check if you need a visa or an eTA to enter Canada: <http://www.cic.gc.ca/english/visit/visas.asp>.

### Connect with us

Questions regarding exchange agreements and policies, please contact the Manager of the International Education Centre:

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Seton Annex (101B)

Other questions, please contact the International Partnerships Coordinator:

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