



# 2018–2019 Calendar

**For CMU's Undergraduate Programs  
at Shaftesbury Campus**

# Canadian Mennonite University

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## 2018-2019 Undergraduate Academic Calendar For Shaftesbury Campus Programs

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# Academic Schedule 2018-2019

## Schedule at Shaftesbury Campus

### *Fall Semester 2018*

September 4	Orientation and Close of registration
September 5	First day of classes for fall semester
September 14	Last day to make registration changes for fall courses
October 8	Thanksgiving Day – university closed
November 8-9	Fall Reading Days – no classes
November 12	Remembrance Day – no classes
November 13	Last day to voluntarily withdraw from fall courses
November 28 (Wednesday)	Classes will be held according to a Monday timetable
December 3	Last day of regularly scheduled fall semester courses
December 4-5	Reading days
December 6-18	Fall semester exams (including Saturdays December 8 & 15)
December 18	Fall semester ends
December 24 – January 1	University is closed

### *Winter Semester 2019*

January 2	University opens
January 7	First day of classes for winter semester
January 16	Last day to make registration changes for winter courses
February 18	Louis Riel Day – university closed
February 19-22	Mid-term break
March 16	Last day to voluntarily withdraw from winter & full-year courses
April 5	Last day of regularly scheduled winter semester classes
April 8-9	Reading days
April 10-24	Winter semester exams (including Saturday April 13)
April 19	Good Friday – no exams
April 24	Winter semester ends
April 27	Convocation

### *Spring/Summer Semester 2019*

May 1	Spring/Summer semester begins
Aug 24	Spring/Summer semester ends

## Schedule for Outtatown

### *Fall Semester 2018*

September 9	First day of fall semester. Registration for all programs
December 1	Last day of fall semester

### *Winter Semester 2019*

January 7	First day of winter semester
April 6	Last day of winter semester
April 6 & 7	Graduation weekend for Guatemala & South Africa programs

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# The University

Canadian Mennonite University (CMU) is an innovative Christian university, located in Winnipeg, Manitoba. Chartered by the Province of Manitoba in 1998, CMU builds on a foundation of over fifty years of Mennonite higher education in the province, combining the resources of three colleges: Canadian Mennonite Bible College, Concord College, and Menno Simons College.

CMU offers a variety of academic programs and a choice of educational settings, which include CMU (Shaftesbury Campus), Menno Simons College (on the campus of The University of Winnipeg), and a study, service, and travel program called Outtatown Discipleship School.

Menno Simons College (MSC) operates as a college of CMU, in affiliation with The University of Winnipeg, on the campus of the latter. MSC offers two majors that are fully integrated into the Bachelor of Arts curriculum at The University of Winnipeg: Conflict Resolution Studies, and International Development Studies. Students can choose a four-year or a three-year major in either field, or an Honours major in International Development Studies.

The Outtatown Discipleship School provides intensive, experiential, cross-cultural, off-campus programming in a four-month program and an eight-month program. In its four-month program, students spend time in various Canadian settings including the St. Boniface neighbourhood in Winnipeg, canoeing in the wilderness, and Montreal. They then go to Burkina Faso in West Africa and finally to Paris. In its eight-month program, students spend the fall semester at various wilderness and inner-city locations within Canada. During winter semester, students are located either in Guatemala or in South Africa.

CMU's Shaftesbury Campus is situated in a residential setting on about forty-four acres in the southwestern part of Winnipeg. It serves a growing student body of over 600 students of diverse backgrounds from across Canada and around the world.

CMU (Shaftesbury Campus) offers five baccalaureate programs: Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Business Administration, Bachelor of Music, Bachelor of Music Therapy, and Bachelor of Science. All baccalaureate programs are designed to give students solid grounding in their chosen areas of specialization, significant depth in biblical and theological studies, and contexts for working at integrating faith with all areas of learning.

Through its Graduate School of Theology and Ministry (at Shaftesbury Campus), CMU offers a Graduate Certificate in Christian Studies and the Master of Arts, either in Theological Studies or in Christian Ministry and a Master of Divinity. CMU has two additional graduate programs: (1) a Master of Arts in Peace and Collaborative Development and (2) a Master of Business Administration offered in collaboration with Eastern Mennonite University, Bluffton College, and Goshen College. For detailed information about these programs, see CMU's website and its Graduate Studies Academic Calendar.

In its pursuit of knowledge and in all its educational activities, CMU strives for open inquiry on the one hand, and for commitment to the Christian faith on the other. It is CMU's hope that its faculty, staff, and students will become people whose capacity to articulate the truth and whose passion for peace and justice will be instrumental in creating a better society.

In Fall of 2008 CMU became a member of Universities Canada (formerly AUCC). This association establishes principles for quality assurance of academic programs. CMU's membership in it provides greater access for its faculty to research funding, and for students it facilitates transfer of credit to other member institutions and admission to professional and graduate schools.

## **CMU's Mission Statement**

Canadian Mennonite University is an innovative Christian University, rooted in the Anabaptist faith tradition, moved and transformed by the life and teachings of Jesus Christ. Through research, teaching, and service, CMU inspires and equips women and men for lives of service, leadership, and reconciliation in church and society.