

Applying to Ontario's Universities

Undergraduate Application Instructions for Ontario High School Students

www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide



Upcoming Events:

o **October 1, 2023** from 2-6 p.m. - *Study and Go Abroad Fair* -Metro Toronto Convention Centre

o **October 21 and 22, 2023** from 10:00 a.m. to 5 p.m. – *Ontario Universities Fair* - Metro Toronto Convention Centre

October 18, 2023 from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. and October 19,
 2023 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. – Ontario Colleges Fair - Enercare
 Centre

October 26, 2023 — Post-secondary Fair, Hodan Nalayeh
 Secondary School, 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

November 15 and 16, 2023 - Level Up Apprenticeship Fair,
 International Centre (Mississauga, ON)

• November 18, 2023 from 12:00-5:00 p.m. – Student Life

Expo - Metro Toronto Convention Centre

*other YRDSB events can be found here

Step 1: Research Your University Options

- Visit **OUInfo** (<u>www.ontariouniversitiesinfo.ca</u>) to find what each university has to offer.
- Read the **Undergraduate Application Guide** (available at <u>www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide</u>) for up-to-date information about universities and programs.
- Check out university publications and websites.
- Talk to counsellors, family, teachers and friends.
- Write down your program choices and codes and keep them handy.



Step 2: Get Your OEN

You will need your Ontario Education Number (OEN) to apply.

The OEN is a 9-digit, unique identification number assigned to elementary and high school students across the province.

You can find your OEN on your report card. Your high school guidance counsellor will also have it on record.



Step 3: Mark Your Calendar

- Late September 2023: The Undergraduate Application opens.
- January 15, 2024: Deadline to submit your completed application to the OUAC.
- May 29, 2024: Last day you can expect a response from an Ontario university if you applied by the January 15 deadline.
- June 3, 2024: The earliest day you may be required to respond to an offer and give a financial commitment (e.g., registration or residence deposit).



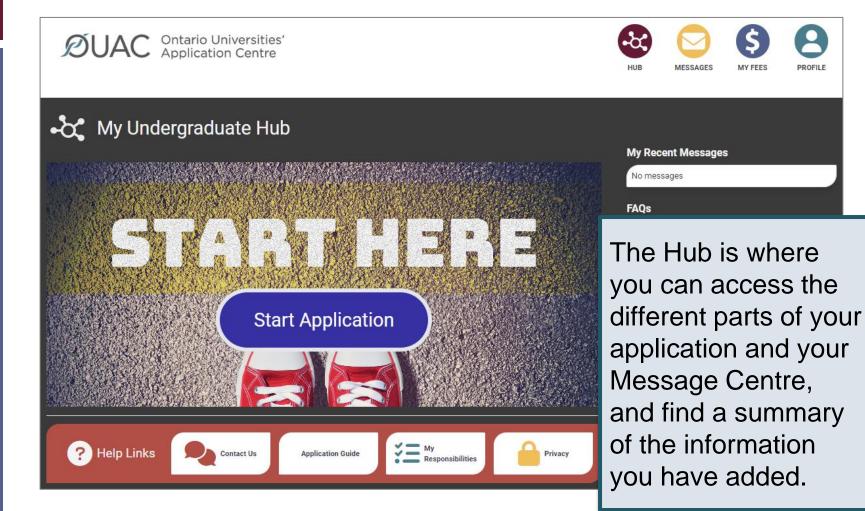
Step 4: Apply!



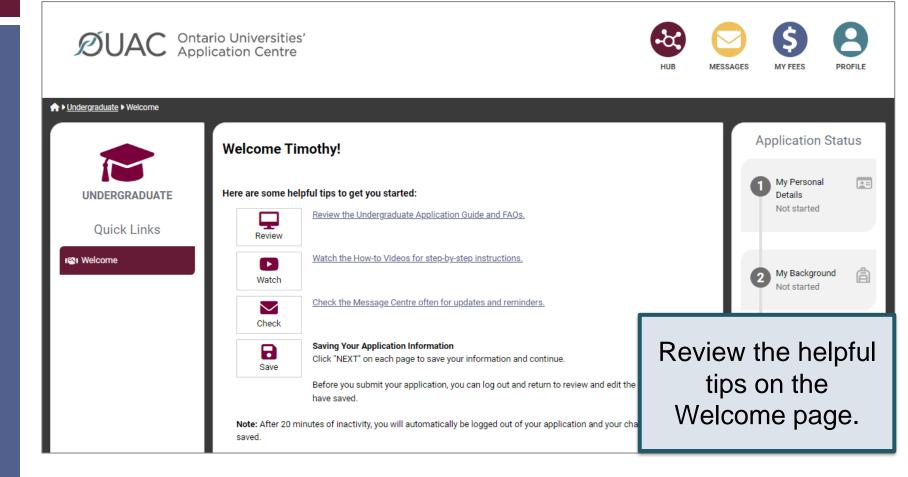
Creating an Account For the First Time

Log In	Create Account
Username (?) (required) Recover your username Password (required)	 Notes: You will use your username and password in all OUAC applications. Do not create more than 1 account. Do not use an account created by someone else.
The first time you log in, you will need to create an account.	Create My Account

The Hub



Welcome Page



Navigating the Application

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	Date of Birth (required) Year 20 Month July Day 16	Gender (required) Choose		My Supporting Documents Not started	ରୀ

My Personal Details

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Applicant Diversity	Telephone	
Census • Contact Details	Mobile YOU	are not able to submit your ication until you verify your
	+ Add Telephone	email address.
	Email Address	
	Email has not been verified	

My Background – Education

Education

Help

Provide information about **all** institutions where you have registered in 1 or m Institutions include, but are not limited to, regular day schools, private schools

Have you attended a postsecondary institution? (required)

O Yes

No

High School

You do not need to include institutions where your home high school registe dual credit, Specialist High Skills Major, e-learning through a consortium.

Bayside Secondary School Belleville Belleville - ON 2020-09 to 2024-06

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High School

Provide information about **ALL** institutions where you registered in 1 or more high school courses for grade 11 and 12 (name & start/end dates).

*Courses taken in night school/dual credit/SHSM through YRDSB do not need to be added to the list of institutions attended (it will be sent with your marks by us).

My Background – Tell Us More

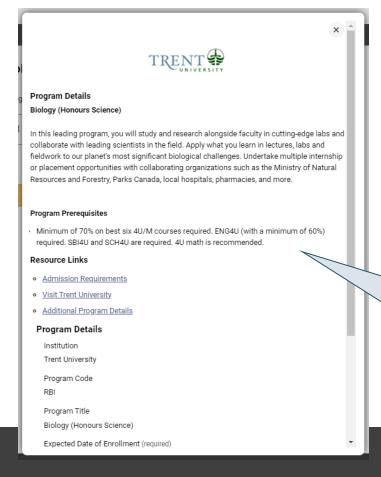
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Have you already achieved your Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD), or will you achi it by the end of the current school year? (required)	ieve
 Yes No Ontario Education Number (OEN) ? (required) Ontario Education Number (OEN): Required field. Your total number of years in an English-language school system outside of Canada (require If this question does not apply to you, choose "Not Applicable". Not Applicable In which country? 	Some fields are required. Select "Yes" to indicate you will achieve your OSSD, then add your OEN.
Do you intend to write (or have you already written) an Advanced Placeme	of
the current school year? 😨 This is w	where you indicate your intention to Advanced Placement (AP) exams
My International Baccalaureate (IB) program type (if applicable) Choose	-

My Choices

			By Geographic Area By Program Code
Algoma University	Brock University	Carleton University	University of Guelph-Humber
Lakehead University	LaurentianUniversity UniversitéLaurentienne Laurentian University Université de Hearst	McMa Universi progra McMaster geogra	an search for ams by university, aphic area or am code.
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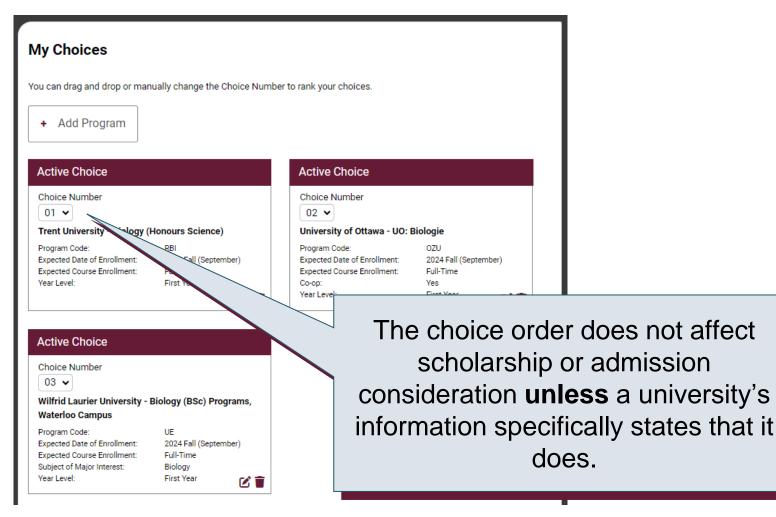
After You Have Selected a Program

Complete the program details for each program selected [i.e. Subject of Major Interest (if applicable), coop options (if available), expected date of enrolment (i.e. Sep 2024) and expected course enrollment (i.e. full-time).



View the admission requirements for the program.

Order Your Choices



Academic Information

Monitor and report errors to your guidance counsellor.

Academic Information		
You will see all academic information, including grades, sent by your high scho submitting your application.	Your high school provides us with your academic data thro • Review your academic information carefully and inform y required.	
Back Next	Only your Grade 11 and 12 courses are reported to the One of listed. My High School Inform MIDENT 893803	
Academic Information	School Name Bayside Secondary School Belleville	
Carefully review the academic information your high school has provided to the	Diploma Status Will achieve OSSD by end of current school year (OSS) OSSD Issue Date	This screen is
Academic Information Received Bayside Secondary School Belleville Status: Academic Information Received Date Received: Aug 14, 2023	Literacy Requirement N/A Community Involvement Not Reported	read-only.

Document Upload

Documents

Proof of Canadian Citizenship

Documents you can upload to confirm your status of Canadian citizen:

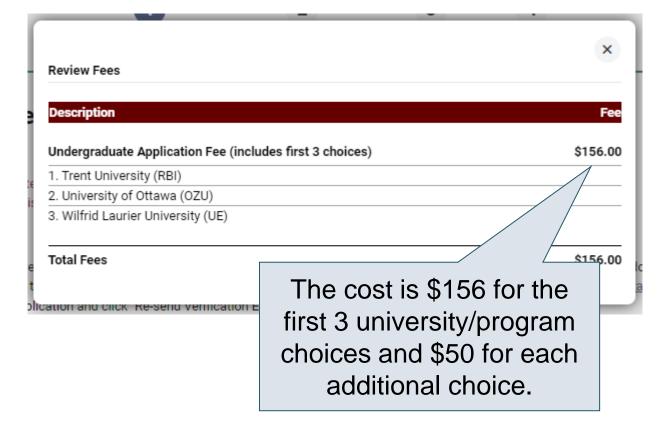
- Canadian passport OR
- Canadian birth certificate + government-issued photo identification

🗘 Upload a Document

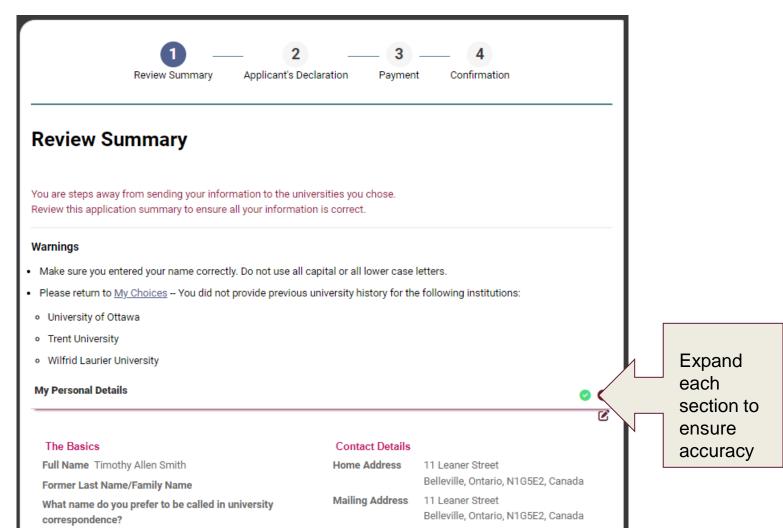
You can upload documents that support your application, as specified by your university choices.

This section is not mandatory - schools will let you know if they require additional documentation

Fees



Review and Payment



Paying for Your Application

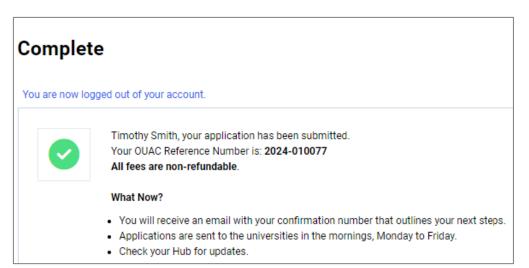
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Payment		
Review Fees		
Description		Fee
Undergraduate Application Fee (includes first 3 choices)		\$156.00
1. Trent University (RBI)		
2. University of Ottawa (OZU) 3. Wilfrid Laurier University (UE)		
o. Winte Eddici Oniversity (OE)		
Total Fees		\$156.00
Choose Payment Method		
Credit or Debit/Credit Card 😧 VISA	3	
○ Online Banking ❷		
International Banking (Flywire) International Banking (Flywire)		
Third-Party Voucher Code		
Back Pay Previous: Applicant's Declaration Next: Enter payment details	Total Owing	\$156.00

Once you choose your method of payment and click "Pay", you will receive your OUAC Reference Number.

The OUAC cannot process your application without the application fee.

Submitting Your Application

- On the Complete page, save/print the screen displaying your OUAC Reference Number (2024-XXXXX) and instructions. You will also receive an email.
- Record your OUAC Reference Number, as you will need to include it when communicating with the OUAC and the universities.





Reset Your Password (if necessary)

Log In	
Username 🕜 (required) Recover your username Password (required)	If you forget your password, click "Forgot your password?" on the
Forgot your password?	Log In page.



Need Help?

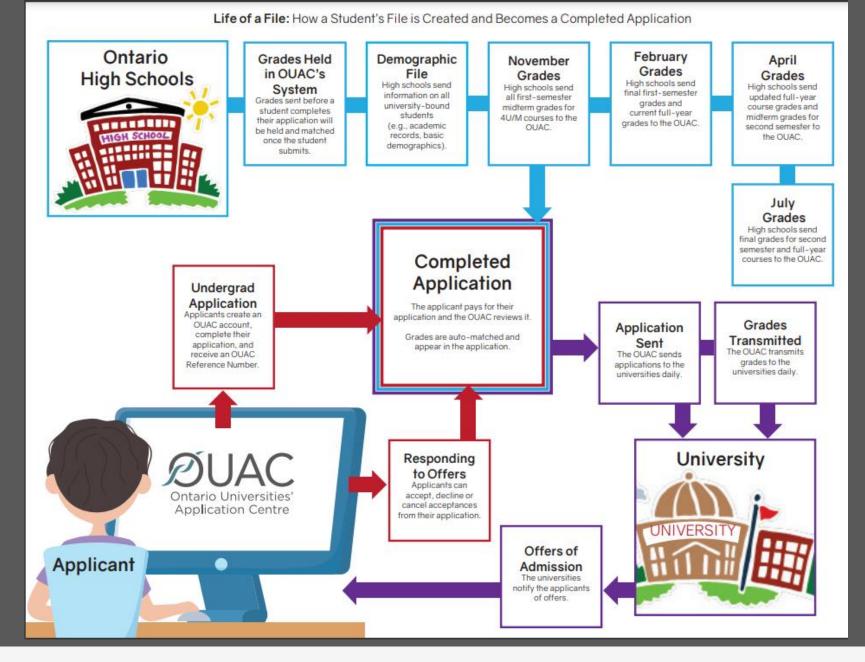
Read the FAQ section on our website at: <u>www.ouac.on.ca/faq</u>.

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Website: www.ouac.on.ca/undergrad-guide







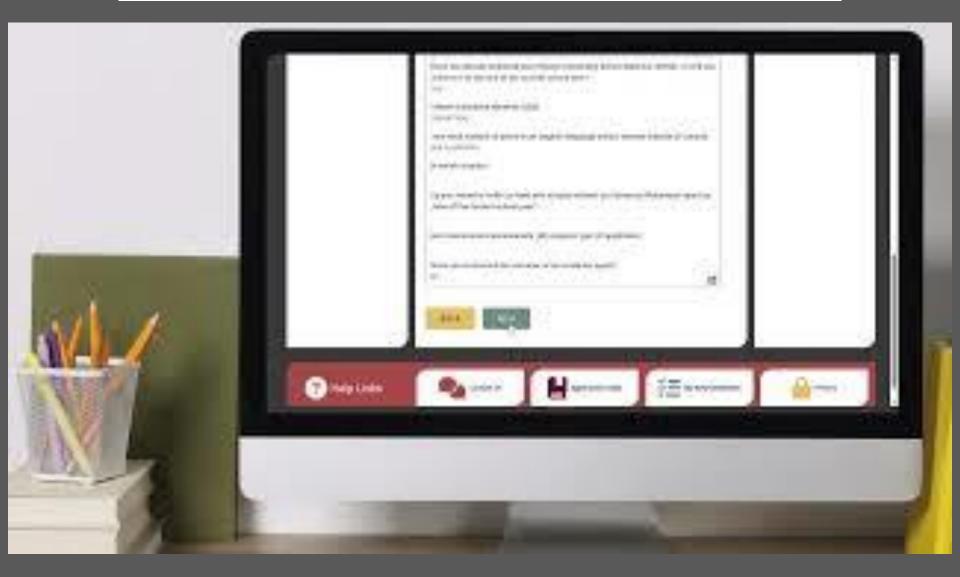
VIDEO: How to Create Your OUAC Account

The OUAC processes applications to undergraduate programs and professional programs, like law, medicine, rehabilitation sciences and teacher education.





VIDEO: How to Complete Your Undergraduate Application







Thank You...As always, please feel free to book a guidance appointment at bit.ly/HodanGuidance



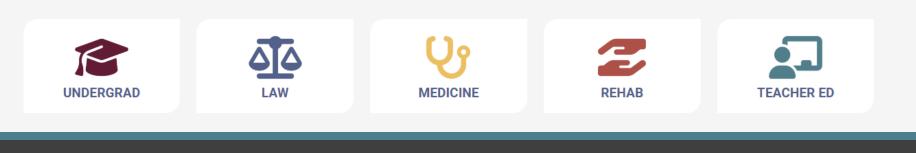




Editing Your Completed Application

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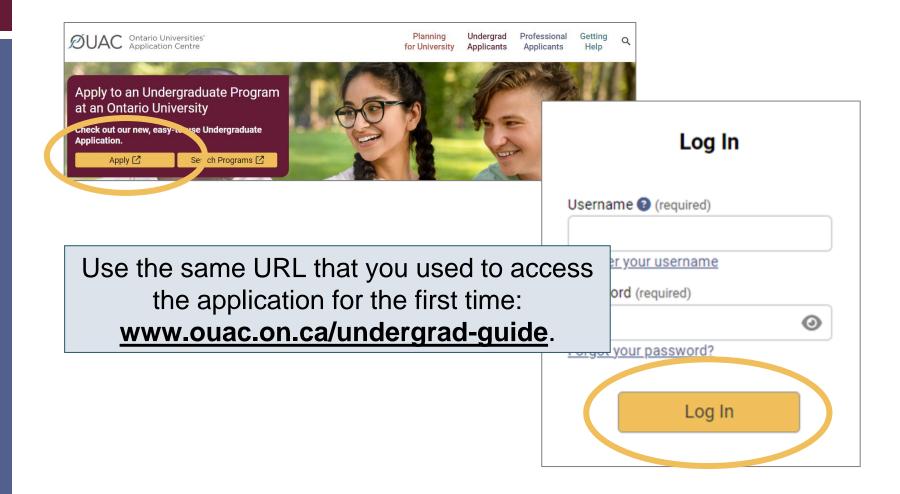
After You Have Applied

You can log back in to your application to:

- Pay your application fee, if you have not already done so.
- Review all the application information you provided to the OUAC.
- Make changes to your personal information and program choices (once your fees have been received and processed).
- Respond to university offers of admission.



Accessing Your Completed Application



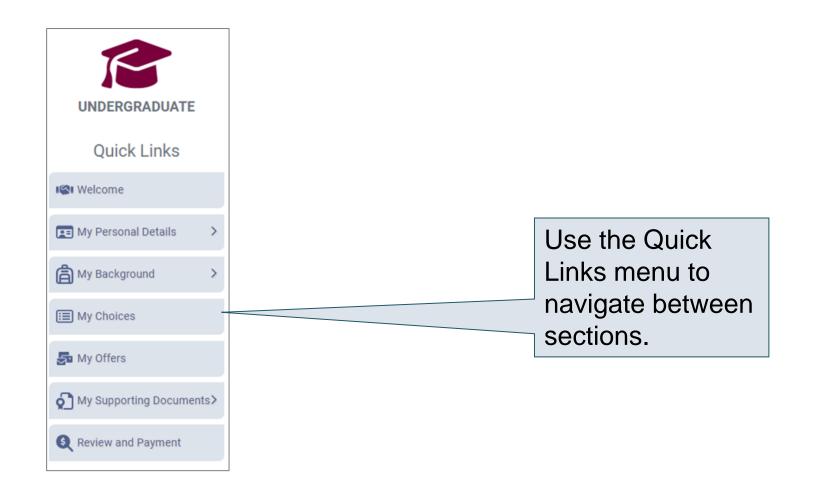
Changing Your Method of Payment

If you chose online banking as your method of payment, you can change to pay by credit or debit card after 1 business day.

Choose Payment Method			
O Credit or Debit/Credit Card 10	VISA	mastercard	AMERICAN EXPRESS
O International Banking (Flywire)	∂ f lywire		
Third-Party Voucher Code		ြမှု Ap	oly

Note: During peak times, it can take up to 1 week to process your application once you submit payment. After that time, you can log in to your application to review or make changes.

Modifying Your Application

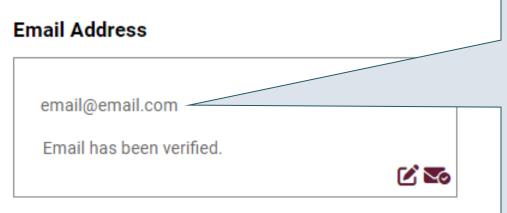




Change Personal and Contact Information (1 of 2)

Help		
Name Enter your name as it is written on your passport, health name or date of birth, <u>contact the OUAC</u> for assistance. First/Given Name (required) Timothy	card or other official docu Middle Name(s) Allen	You are not able to change your first name, last name or date of birth.
Last/Family Name (required) Smith What name do you prefer to be called in university correspondence? ?	Former Last Nam	If this information needs to be changed, contact us at: <u>undergrad@ouac.on.ca</u> .
Other Personal Information Date of Birth (Format: yyyy-mm-dd) (required) 2006-07-16 Have either of your parents/guardians attended a univers or college?	Gender (required) Cisgender Man	(Male)

Change Personal and Contact Information (2 of 2)





Verify that your email address is correct. Add your university choices to your email account's "contact" or "safe senders" list to ensure that all messages are delivered to your inbox.

As you make edits to your application information, be sure to submit all changes.

Adding New Programs

Click "My Choices", select the program you want and enter the program details.

Click "Save Program".

You will then be returned to the My Choices page.

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Withdrawing an Existing Choice

My Choices

You can drag and drop or manually change the Choice Number to rank your choices.

+ Add Program

Active Choice		Active Choice	
Choice Number 01 ✓ Trent University - Biology	(Honours Science)	Choice Number 02 V University of Ottawa - UO: H	Biologie
Program Code: Expected Date of Enrollment: Expected Course Enrollment: Year Level:	Click the tras can icon to withdraw you	gram Code: ected Date of Enrollment: ected Course Enrollment: op: r Level:	OZU 2024 Fall (September) Full-Time Yes First Year
	choice.		

Making Changes to Your Existing Choices

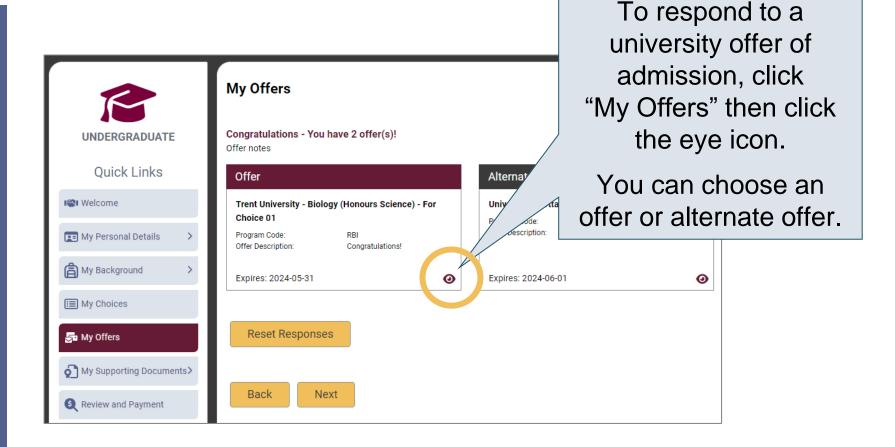
Active Choice	
Choice Number 03 V Wilfrid Laurier University - I Waterloo Campus	Biology (BSc) Programs,
Program Code: Expected Date of Enrollment: Expected Course Enrollment: Subject of Major Interest: Year Level:	UE 2024 Fall (September) Full-Time Biology First Year

To change details of an existing choice, click the edit icon.

Note: If you have an active offer or have accepted a university offer of admission, you will not be able to change the program details.

For a university or program choice that is already on your application, you may change only the details that you specified initially.

Responding to a University Offer of Admission



Accept or Decline the Offer

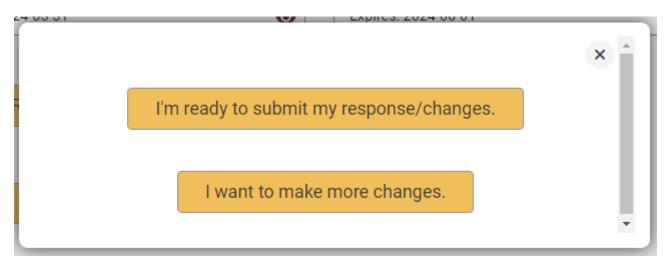
Reset Response	Ottawa	
Offer Information		e
Program Title	Program Code	To respond to an offer, click
University of Ottawa - UO: Biochimie	OZT	
Offer Description	Со-ор	"Accept" or "Decline".
Félicitations !	Yes	
Year Level	Date of Enrollment	
First Year	2024 Fall (September)	
Date of Offer	Expires	
2023-08-14	2024-06-01	
Offer Response		
I would like to accept the offer, and agree t conditions outlined in the offer of admissio		Accept
I wish to <u>decline</u> the offer and understand t invalidate the offer.	hat this will	Decline

Cancelling an Offer of Admission

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Program Title	Program Code			
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Offer Description			ocont	ad affar af
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Congratulations!	-	•	-	
Congratulations! Year Level	admissic	•	-	
Congratulations! Year Level First Year	admissic 2024 Fall (September)	•	-	



Submitting Responses



You will have 2 options to proceed. Click "I'm ready to submit my response/changes" to proceed to the Review and Payment page or click "I want to make more changes" to make more changes.

Complete the Review and Payment Process

UNDERGRADUATE	Review Summary Applica	2 — 3 ant's Declaration Confirmation
Quick Links	Review Summary	
I Welcome	Please review your information and correct any errors or warn	• •
My Personal Details >	Once you submit your changes, you will receive a confirmation Warnings	Click "Review and
I My Choices	 Make sure you entered your name correctly. Do not use all c Please return to <u>My Choices</u> You did not provide previous University of Ottawa 	Payment".
S My Offers	 Trent University Wilfrid Laurier University 	You must complete this step for the OUAC and
€ Review and Payment -	Amendment o You added in Response me Offer - Accepted	the universities to receive your changes and/or responses.

Finalizing Your Changes

Review your Summary of Changes carefully.

Click "I Verify and Agree" to do the following:

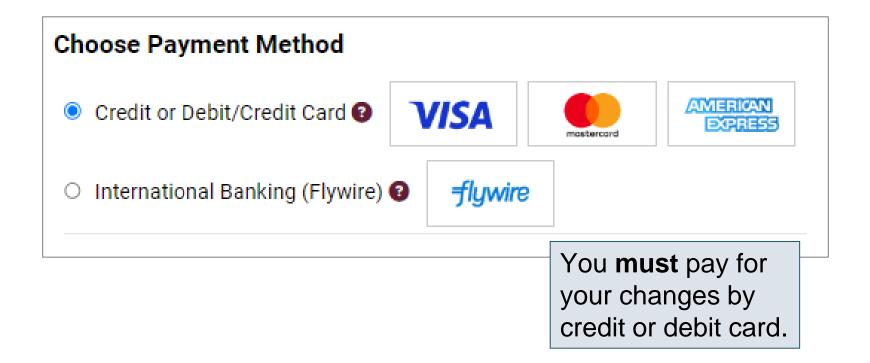
- Verify this information is correct and complete.
- Agree to the conditions in the "Notice of Collection, Use and Disclosure of Your Personal Information Provided as Part of Your Ontario University Undergraduate Application" statement.

Back I Verify and Agree view Summary Next: Payment

Previous: Review Summary

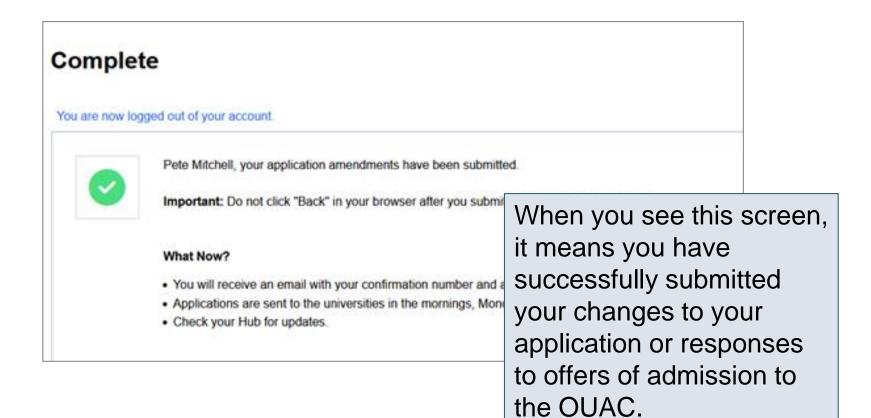
Satisfied with your changes? Click "I Verify and Agree" to continue.

Payment





Confirmation of Changes





Responses

Date: Aug 15, 2023 2:02:54 PM Confirmation Number: 569150 OUAC ID: 00000286030		
Timothy Smith,		
The following application changes were processed:		
Amendment Summary	Log back into your account after 1	
Response Information - Trent University - Biology (Honours Science) - RBI	business day to verify your	
Accepted	responses and check your email	
	inbox for confirmation of your	
	submitted response.	
Reminders:		
- All fees are non-refundable.		
- Changes to your program choices could affect your OSAP application. Visit ontario.ca/OSA	AP to review your account.	

Note: You will receive only 1 confirmation number by email for all changes or responses to offers made within the same session.

Need Help?

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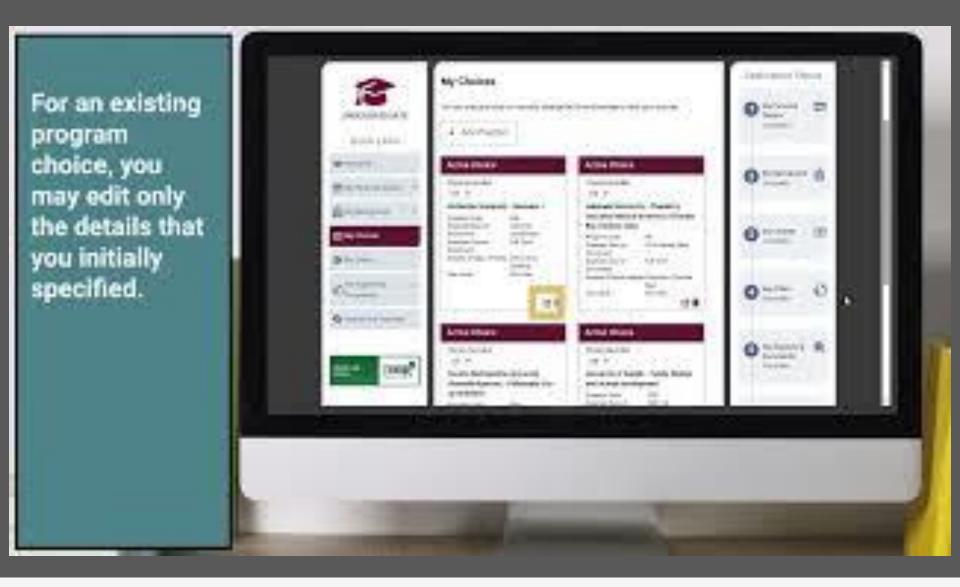
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Review your response and any other updates you made.

Continue to the Declaration to confirm your application Information Is accurate.



