





**Dr Robert Gordon**President and

Vice-Chancellor

### **OUR COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE**

The University Windsor has everything that you would expect from one of the country's top comprehensive universities – it's student-focused with a broad range of faculties including Engineering, Law, Nursing, Education, Business, Human Kinetics, Science, Graduate Studies and Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

Whether it's addressing challenges related to the Great Lakes or to our national borders; helping ensure safe, vibrant and healthy communities, or promoting the environment and sustainable manufacturing, we are making a difference.

We also believe our graduates must leave here "workforce ready" with an immediate capacity to contribute to the growth and liveability of their communities. This is a role we take very seriously. It ensures our innovative and relevant programs, as well as our important research, translate into impactful opportunities for our region, our province, our country and beyond.

We also offer a unique perspective on life in Canada. The University overlooks the Detroit River on one of Canada's most beautiful waterfronts, and is minutes away from North America's busiest international border crossing. Our location speaks to the University's strength as an internationally oriented, multi-disciplined institution that actively enables a broad diversity among our students, faculty and staff. And our student experience is second to none.

The University of Windsor is a place where we take pride in a commitment to excellence that exists throughout our incredible institution.

Sincerely,

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Dr. Robert Gordon

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# CANADA'S #1 RISING STAR UNIVERSITY

Huffington Post, 2017

# \$330+ million

invested in new world-class buildings and facilities since 2011

159

ments full time facu

faculty appointments in critical and cutting-edge fields since 2016 full-time faculty members

\$75+ million

invested in new downtown campus since 2015; awarded the Ontario Heritage Award for Excellence in Conservation in 2018

## TWO OF OUR 136,000\* GRADUATES WHO ARE CHANGING THE WORLD



Emilie Cushman BComm, 2012 2019 Forbes Top 30 Under 30, Education

Founder, Kira Talent; developing paradigm-shifting university admissions platforms used at Yale, INSEAD, and 150 other institutions



Phil De Luna BSc Chemistry, 2013 2019 Forbes Top 30 Under 30, Energy

Founder, CERT Technologies; one of 10 global finalists for the \$20 million Carbon XPrize



# \$4.4 million

in external funding for technologyenabled learning from eCampus Ontario (top 3 in province since 2014)

45%

full-time undergraduates enrolled in accredited professional programs

260+

programs at the graduate and professional levels

13,000+

enrolments in eCampus Ontario award-winning online and technology-enabled programming

## MADE IN WINDSOR: EXTRAORDINARY LEADERS, EXCEPTIONAL TEAMS

**Computer Science:** Top 3 finish in the national 2018 Thales Student Innovation Championship in Artificial Intelligence

Enactus Windsor strategic philanthropy team: First in every category, Enactus Canada Regional Exposition in 2016, 2017, and 2019

**Engineering:** Inaugural Rocketry team medalled at the international 2017 Spaceport America Cup

Hyperloop Team: One of two Canadian universities represented in the final round of Elon Musk's 2019 Hyperloop Pod Competition

**Lancers Track and Field:** 25 CIS national and 46 provincial championships

**Law:** Three championships in 2019 in national and provincial moot competitions

**Nursing Team:** Golden Stethoscope Award, 2017 Nursing Games

Windsor International Film Festival: Powered by students, led by faculty; Canada's second largest volunteer-run





# 1.25 million

hours of service contributed to Windsor-Essex communities

400,000+

hours invested in on-the-job learning

1,700 student co-op and

workplace partnerships

increase in co-op enrolment over the last five years

### **WORLD-CLASS FACULTY**

University of Windsor faculty have won more OCUFA teaching awards since 2007 than their peers at any Canadian postsecondary institution besides the University of Toronto. Under their wings, students are soaring.

#### **GROUNDBREAKERS**

World-changing UWindsor researchers were awarded an annual average of \$8.9 million in Tri-Council Research Funding in 2014-17, supporting:

- Industrial partnerships
- Industrial innovation
- Community engagement
- Knowledge creation
- Student opportunities
- Ecological innovation
- Social change







Canada Research Chair in Changing Great Lakes Ecosystems

Director, Real-time Aquatic Ecosystems Observation Network



Jennifer Willet

Art, Science and Ecology

Director, INCUBATOR: Hybrid Laboratory at the Intersection of Art. Science, and Technology



Narayan Kar

Electrified Transportation Sexual Violence

Director, Centre for Hybrid Automotive Research and Green Energy (CHARGE) Labs



#### Charlene Senn

Canada Research Chair in Canada Research Chair in Canada Research Chair in Ontario Research

President, Sexual Assault Resistance Education Training Centre

#### **Bill Anderson**

Chair in Cross-Border Transportation Policy

Director, Cross-Border Institute

### **RISING STARS:** THE NEXT GENERATION OF RESEARCH LEADERSHIP

Four of our 159 new high-flying faculty:



Arezoo Emadi Electrical and Computer Engineering

Electrical nano devices and smart sensor systems



Kristen Thomasen Law

Drones, robotic technologies, artificial intelligence, and the law



Anthony Bain Human Kinetics

Sleep deprivation and human physiology



Nick Hector Film Production

MoMA, TIFF, HotDocs, Gemini

# \$16.5+ million

internal and external funds for teaching innovation since 2010

# \$30+ million

in research funding, annually

new Indigenous scholars since 2016

research centres and collaborations

### **SINCE 2017, UWINDSOR FACULTY HAVE WON:**

- The Brightspace Innovation Award in Teaching and Learning
- The Christopher Knapper Lifetime Achievement Award
- Nine OCUFA Teaching Awards
- Four 3M National Teaching Fellowships

Gordie Howe International Bridge, courtesy of the Windsor-Detroit Bridge Authority, 2019

# THE UNIVERSITY OF WINDSOR BY THE NUMBERS

16,321

current full- and part-time students (2018 graduate and undergraduate)

26:1 student-faculty ratio

\$100,000

in scholarships for Indigenous students (established 2019–20)

100

first-year students awarded paid four-year research-based internships each year through Outstanding Scholars program



\$480,000+

invested in new mental health initiatives

2,300 external experiential learning partners

\$350,000+

saved by students from open-textbook adoption (a province-leading number)

18% international students (from 85 countries)

## WINDSOR/DETROIT: AN INTERNATIONAL REGION UNIQUE IN THE WORLD

Windsor-Detroit is North America's most populous cross-border conurbation, and the second largest in the world.

#### Windsor is:

- Canada's most ethnically diverse city outside Toronto, Montreal, and Vancouver
- North America's most business-friendly small city (FDi American Cities of the Future 2017/18)

5,700,000 people live in Windsor-Detroit

**25**%

of Canada-U.S. bilateral trade crosses the Windsor-Detroit border

Fortune 500 companies

2,621

hours of sunshine per year

