



U of S boilerplates

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With the option to study at locations across Saskatchewan, more than 23,000 people from around the world, including more than 2,600 self-declared Aboriginal students, study at the U of S, and our more than 150,000 alumni are spread across the globe. Our graduates, recognized for their work ethic, resourceful nature and determination, will continue to build on our history of success to address the world's challenges now and in the future.

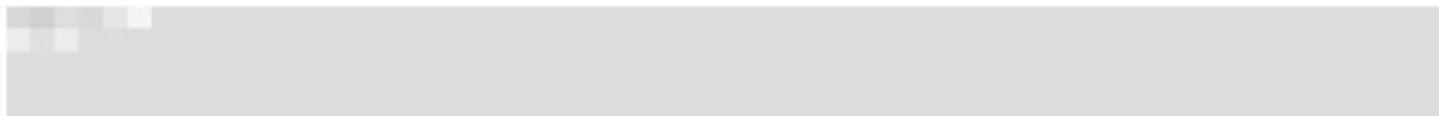
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The University of Saskatchewan (U of S) is a major research-intensive university and a member of the U15, a group of the top research universities in Canada. Our main campus, well known for its beauty, is located in the heart of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada, a growing city of about 260,000 people. Saskatoon is the largest city in the province and makes its home on the banks of the South Saskatchewan River. The river valley's parks, trails, festivals and attractions bring together people from all over the city.

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The U of S also offers a wide variety of undergraduate and graduate degrees and certificates across more than 200 fields of study. Support for students is one of our top priorities, and students can seek the support they need through the Student Health and Counseling Centre, Aboriginal Students' Centre, International Student and Study Abroad Centre, learning communities and transition programs for first-year students, and much more. Students also have the opportunity to live on campus in one of our residences, just steps away from classrooms and services, or they can study at the U of S closer to home, joining a U of S program at locations across the province.

Our diverse community of students, staff and faculty creates an environment where all can feel welcome, and a culture of learning, growth and deeper understanding that extends beyond the classroom.

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If students choose the convenience of living on campus, we have many residence options. First-year students enjoy the ease of built-in meal plans and dorm-style rooms of Voyageur Place, while upper-year students may opt for apartment-style residences with kitchens and shared social spaces. The recently completed Graduate House is intended specifically for our graduate students, where they can enjoy more private suites complemented with common work areas to work, study, discuss and socialize. All of our residence options help create a fulfilling university experience and lasting memories.

Students may also choose to learn where they live. At locations throughout the province, our students can get a U of S education at or closer to home. From nursing and medicine to agriculture and arts and science, our students have the opportunity to form the experience that works best for them.

Our diverse community of students, staff and faculty create an environment where all can feel welcome, and a culture of learning, growth and deeper understanding that extends beyond the classroom. More than 2,600 of our students have self-declared as Aboriginal and we welcome growing numbers of international students each year.

The Gordon Oakes Red Bear Student Centre helps provide space for this intercultural learning to take place. The centre, which opened its doors in late 2015, celebrates Aboriginal culture and supports our growing First Nations, Métis and Inuit student population through services, programs and events. People from across all cultures can come together to meet and learn in this welcoming place at the heart of campus.

After students' time on campus is complete, they join an illustrious group of more than 150,000 alumni who are spread across the globe. Our alumni include over 280 Order of Canada recipients, 71 Rhodes Scholars, 10 former and current provincial and territorial premiers of Canada, seven Olympic gold medalists, three justices of the Supreme Court of Canada, one former prime minister of Canada, one Oscar winner and one Nobel Prize recipient. Our graduates, recognized for their work ethic, resourceful nature and determination, will continue to build on our history of success to address the world's challenges now and in the future.