

Spotlight on College Research Activity 2016

RESEARCH Infosource shines the spotlight on five aspects of college research activity for FY2014-FY2015: Number of Research Partnerships, Number of Completed Research Projects, Number of Paid Student Researchers, Industry Research Income and Industry Research Intensity.

Number of Research Partnerships*

Rank	Large	#	Rank	Medium-	#	Rank	Small-	#
1	Sheridan College	298	1	Cégep de Trois-Rivières	134	1	Cégep de Thetford	99
2	Niagara College	149	2	Collège communautaire du Nouveau-Brunswick	81	2	Collège Shawinigan	98
3	George Brown College	130	3	Cégep Édouard-Montpetit	74	3	Cégep de La Pocatière	88

Number of Completed Research Projects*

Rank	Large	#	Rank	Medium-	#	Rank	Small-	#
1	Sheridan College	444	1	Cégep de Trois-Rivières	162	1	Cégep de La Pocatière	204
2	George Brown College	112	2	Cégep Édouard-Montpetit	80	2	Collège d'Alma	108
3	Niagara College	105	3	Cégep de Sainte-Foy	61	3	Cégep de Thetford	99

Number of Paid Student Researchers**

Rank	Large	#	Rank	Medium	#	Rank	Small	#
1	George Brown College	442	1	Lambton College	99	1	Cégep de la Gaspésie et des Îles	31
2	Centennial College	235	2	Cégep de Saint-Hyacinthe	72	2	Cégep de La Pocatière	23
3	Algonquin College	160	3	Cambrian College	48	3	Cégep de Thetford	21

Industry Research Income⁺

Rank	Large	\$000	Rank	Medium	\$000	Rank	Small	\$000
1	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	\$1,235	1	Cégep de Saint-Hyacinthe	\$5,615	1	Cégep de La Pocatière	\$3,225
2	British Columbia Institute of Technology	\$1,061	2	Cégep André-Laurendeau	\$4,107	2	Cégep de Lévis-Lauzon	\$1,512
3	SAIT Polytechnic	\$1,055	3	Cégep Édouard-Montpetit	\$2,118	3	Cégep de la Gaspésie et des Îles	\$1,501

**Industry Research Intensity
(Industry Research Income as a % of Total Research Income)**

Rank	Large	%	Rank	Medium	%	Rank	Small	%
1	Saskatchewan Polytechnic	32.5	1	Cégep André-Laurendeau	87.3	1	Cégep de Lévis-Lauzon	92.7
2	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	26.7	2	Cégep de Saint-Hyacinthe	54.6	2	Cégep de Sept-Îles	62.0
3	SAIT Polytechnic	24.3	3	Cégep de Sainte-Foy	40.9	3	Collège d'Alma	60.9

Notes:

1. Data were obtained through a survey of publicly-funded colleges and from financial statements.
2. Data are provided for the main college including affiliated research institutes/centres, where applicable.
3. Size is based on total college revenue: Large = more than \$100 million; Medium = \$50 million to \$100 million; Small = less than \$50 million.

*Research partnerships and completed research projects with external organizations governed by formal written agreements

**Students that were involved in applied research projects that were paid for their work

+Research income from industry sources in the form of grants or contracts; excludes in-kind contributions/donations