

**Spotlight on College Research Activity FY2021  
Large Colleges**

FY2021								
Active Research Partnerships*			Completed Research Projects*			Paid Students Researchers**		
Rank	College	#	Rank	College	#	Rank	College	#
1	Sheridan College	257	1	Saskatchewan Polytechnic	350	1	Centennial College	515
2	Saskatchewan Polytechnic	208	2	Algonquin College	155	2	Sheridan College	339
3	Algonquin College	168	3	George Brown College	80	3	Humber College	194
4	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	130	4	Sheridan College	54	4	Seneca College	133
5	Humber College	125	5	Centennial College	52	5	Algonquin College	113
6	George Brown College	109	6	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	48	6	Conestoga College	92
7	Centennial College	104	7	Seneca College	40	7	George Brown College	67
8	Seneca College	80	8	Conestoga College	33	8	Saskatchewan Polytechnic	64
9	Conestoga College	62	9	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)	22	9	Fanshawe College	54
10	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)	60	10	Fanshawe College	15	10	British Columbia Institute of Technology	40
11	Fanshawe College	58	11	Humber College	13	10	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)	40
						12	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	27

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Industry Research Income <sup>+</sup>			Industry Research Income <sup>+</sup> as % of Total College Research Income		
Rank	College	\$000	Rank	College	%
1	Sheridan College	\$3,399	1	Centennial College	48.9
2	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)	\$3,051	2	Saskatchewan Polytechnic	37.6
3	British Columbia Institute of Technology	\$2,900	3	Seneca College	33.9
4	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	\$2,848	4	Sheridan College	32.9
5	Centennial College	\$2,723	5	Conestoga College	30.9
6	Saskatchewan Polytechnic	\$2,215	6	NAIT - Northern Alberta Institute of Technology	29.4
7	Conestoga College	\$2,192	7	Southern Alberta Institute of Technology (SAIT)	23.5
8	Seneca College	\$1,826	8	British Columbia Institute of Technology	21.8
9	Humber College	\$849	9	Humber College	16.7
10	George Brown College	\$720	10	Algonquin College	13.1
11	Algonquin College	\$229	11	Fanshawe College	11.6
12	Fanshawe College	\$145	12	George Brown College	8.5

Notes:

1. Data were obtained through a survey of publicly-funded colleges and from financial statements.
2. College size tiers are based on Fiscal 2021 total college income: Large = \$250 million or more; Medium = \$75 million to less than \$250 million; Small = less than \$75 million.

\* Research partnerships and completed research projects with external organizations governed by formal written agreements. Excludes technical services agreements.

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

+ Includes industry research income in the form of research grants, contracts and contributions (cash and in-kind). Excludes all funds from technical service agreements and entrepreneurship operations/activities.

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