

University of Toronto

Strategic Mandate Agreement Annual Report 2017-18

Part 1. Overview

Introduction

The 2017-20 Strategic Mandate Agreements (SMAs) between individual universities and the Ministry of Training, Colleges and Universities outline the role universities perform in Ontario's postsecondary education system and how they will build on institutional strengths to fulfil their mandate and help support system-wide objectives and government priorities.

Each priority area in 2017-20 SMAs includes system-wide and institution-specific metrics and targets.

The SMA Annual Report is used by the ministry to track progress on metric performance on an annual basis. The SMA Annual Report is also an opportunity for institutions to provide contextual information and a narrative associated with performance in the shared priority areas. **Part 1. Overview** introduces the institutional context for metrics performance, overall and by priority area. **Part 2. Data Workbook** includes historical data and most recently available values for both system-wide and institution-specific metrics.

For more information on the Strategic Mandate Agreements, please visit the Ontario Government webpage.

Institutional Narrative

Provide a brief description of the overall institutional context for the 2017-18 m66(t)(78 x600 words)

The University of Toronto is a global leader in research and teaching, and our graduates are among the most sought after in the world. Every day our faculty, students and alumni make an impact by addressing some of the most pressing problems of the day.

U of T offers undergraduate, graduate and professional programs of the highest quality, supported by world-class academic resources and a unique college system that enriches the learning experience for our students. Underpinning this pursuit of excellence is our unwavering commitment to access: financial circumstances should not stand in the way of qualified students earning a degree here.

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Top Rankings, Top Funding

The University continues to climb in global university rankings and is consistently

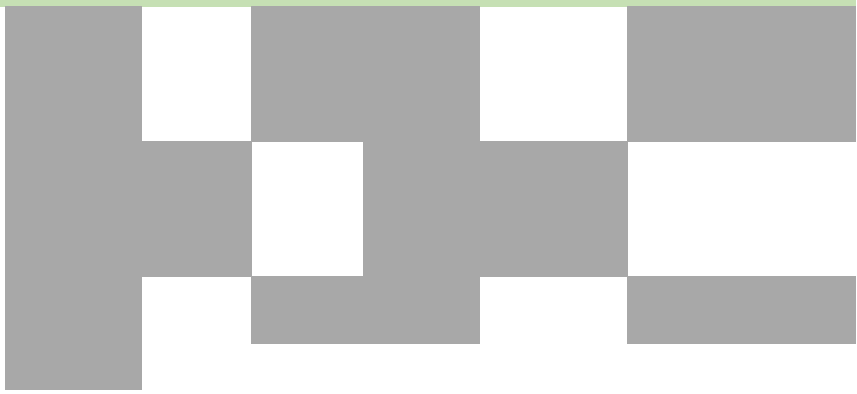
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Metric ID	Metric Name	Data inputs - for calculating metrics	2016-17	2017-18
		Total OSAP Award Recipients	32,928	34,730
		Total Eligible Student Headcount	61,661	61,309
		Total operating expenses (000s) (Cell L36)	\$1,985,191	\$2,192,996
		Student service expenses (000s) (Cell G36)	\$243,459	\$273,970
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8	Year 1 to Year 2 retention rate	Percentage of first-time, full-time undergraduate university students who commenced their study in a given Fall term and have continued study at the same institution in the next Fall term	Consortium for Student Retention Data Exchange (CSRDE)	Academic year, returning cohort. E.g., the 2017 data value reflects students who enrolled in universities through SMA Annual Reports. Compatible with Fall 2015 and returned to the institution in Fall 2016	Based on cohort analysis by CSRDE and reported by CSRDE graduation rate
34	Proportion of fourth year students with two or more High-Impact Practices (HIPs) (1)	Percentage of students who participated in two or more of the six High Impact Practices (HIPs) as identified in NSSE - service learning, learning community, research with a faculty member, internship or field experience, study abroad and culminating senior experience	National Report on "Customizable Items Selector", National		

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94	Tri-Council funding share to total Ontario universities	Tri-Council funding received by university (including affiliates) and percentage in total Tri-Council funding received by all Ontario universities in a given fiscal year	Research Support Program, The Tri-agency Institutional Programs Secretariat (TIPS)	Fiscal Year, 3-year rolling average, one-year average The 2017-18 metric value is based on the average for the period 2014-15 to 2016-17	Funding includes research grants received by universities and their affiliates from the three federal research granting agencies and funds spent by the Network of Centres of Excellence (NCE) administrative centers hosted by universities, and excludes funding for research chairs, fellowships, scholarships, awards and prizes. Full list of exclusions is available at http://www.rsfr.gc.ca/apply-demande/calculations-eng.aspx
95	NSERC funding - share to total Ontario universities	Natural Science and Engineering Research Council (NSERC) funding received by university (including affiliates) and percentage in total NSERC funding received by all Ontario universities in a given fiscal year	Research Support Fund, The Tri-agency Institutional Programs Secretariat (TIPS)	Fiscal Year, 3-year rolling average, one-year average The 2017-18 metric value is based on the average for the period 2014-15 to 2016-17	Funding includes NSERC research grants received by universities and their affiliates and funds spent by the Network of Centres of Excellence (NCE) administrative centers hosted by universities, and excludes funding for research chairs, fellowships, scholarships, awards and prizes. Full list of exclusions is available at http://www.rsfr.gc.ca/apply-demande/calculations-eng.aspx
87	Of those graduates who are working full-time, what proportion are working in related jobs	Percentage of university graduates in the labour force employed full-time in a job related to skills developed at university, two years after graduation	Ontario University Graduate Survey (OUGS)	Academic year when the Ontario University Graduate Survey (OUGS) is administered, e.g. 2017-18 data value reflects graduates from bachelor or first professional degree programs who graduated in calendar year 2015 and responded to the 2017-18 OUGS	Metric is based on the number of respondents employed in full-time jobs closely related or somewhat related to skills developed at university, and the total number of OUGS respondents employed in full-time jobs. The labour force includes persons who were employed or unemployed but looking for work
1	Graduate employment rates	Percentage of university graduates in the labour force employed six months and two years after graduation	Ontario University Graduate Survey (OUGS)	Academic year, when Ontario University Graduate Survey (OUGS) is administered, e.g. 2017-18 data value reflects graduates from bachelor or first professional degree programs who graduated in calendar year 2015 and responded to the 2017-18 OUGS	Graduate employment rates are based on the number of respondents in the labour force who were employed part-time, full-time or were offered a job, and the total number of OUGS respondents in the labour force. The labour force includes persons who were employed or unemployed but looking for work