

European Integration Studies



The Graduate Diploma in European Integration Studies provides a supplementary qualification to another Carleton graduate degree. It focuses on the European Union (EU), its institutions and policy processes, as well as Canada-EU relations. Courses in the diploma are taught by the award-winning faculty of the Institute of European, Russian and Eurasian Studies (EURUS), as well as visiting scholars from Europe.

Our location in Ottawa affords close contact with and special access to the Delegation of the European Union in Canada and to the embassies of EU member states; interaction with nongovernmental organizations and think-tanks interested in Europe; and co-operation

with relevant government departments, such as Global Affairs Canada.

This program is supported by the Centre for European Studies (CES), a Carleton research unit that hosts a Jean Monnet Centre of Excellence and a Jean Monnet Network on EU-Canada Relations; these activities are co-funded by the Erasmus+ Programme of the European Union. They provide support for a wide variety of guest lectures and international conferences on EU-related matters and provide funding to bring visiting professors from Europe to Carleton. Diploma students are eligible to apply for grants for research travel and other study opportunities in Europe. EURUS faculty members maintain a broad network of

international research contacts in the EU, which also benefit students in the diploma program.

Our students also benefit from an international research network, the Canada-Europe Transatlantic Dialogue, housed at CES.

The Carleton University library is a documentation centre for the European Commission where many public documents published by the European Union are deposited. Additional materials are available in the library of the Delegation of the European Union in downtown Ottawa.

Career Options

The program provides preparation for professional work or further study in the field.

Application Deadline

Applications for the Graduate Diploma in European Integration Studies are accepted throughout the year.

Admission Requirements

The Graduate Diploma in European Integration Studies is intended to provide an additional qualification to the student's main degree. Students who enrol in the program must already be registered in a graduate degree program at Carleton University.