

Sheridan

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Applied Creativity and Innovation

Ontario College Graduate Certificate | 1 year



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Gain creative confidence and make a lasting impact in your field.

This 8-month graduate certificate is designed for:

- Entrepreneurial thinkers interested in launching a new venture.
- Intrapreneurs leading innovative projects within a company.
- Social impact-makers leading change for their community or the planet.
- Professionals looking to enhance their skill set or transition to new careers focused on creativity and innovation.
- Job seekers preparing for creative career opportunities or roles within innovative

Gain the future-ready skills that employers are looking for

With this unique credential, you'll develop expertise in creativity, complex problem-solving, creative leadership and more — skills that have been identified on the "Top 10 skills of 2025" list by the World Economic Forum. Regardless of your industry, mastering these skills will set you apart and position you as a leader. Graduate with the confidence to apply your creativity and make meaningful contributions in your career.

Develop an entrepreneurial mindset

Pursue your passion and develop the skills you need to plan and drive innovative projects. Learn how to identify opportunities, generate creative ideas, conduct thorough research, and implement new solutions. Whether you're interested in entrepreneurship, social impact, creative endeavours or leading strategic projects for your employer, our expert faculty can equip you with the tools and support you need to transform ideas into reality.

Career opportunities

This program is designed to complement any career with skills that make you more valuable and versatile. As a graduate, you could pursue employment as a creativity consultant or change management consultant. You could also become more qualified for executive and leadership roles in such fields as:

- Advertising, Marketing and Public Relations
- Business Management
- Creative Industries
- Education
- Engineering
- Health Sciences
- Not-for-Profit Organizations
- Public Services and Government

Courses

Some of the courses you can expect to take in your program

- Becoming an Innovator
- Problem-Solving Methodologies
- Strategic Storytelling for Influence and Impact
- Global Innovation in the 21st Century
- The Science of Human Behaviour and Innovation
- Creative Management and Leadership

Admission requirements

Program eligibility

- Postsecondary diploma, advanced diploma or degree.

or

- Demonstrated competence through related work and/or educational experience.

Supplemental requirement

Applicants applying without a postsecondary diploma or degree are required to complete a supplemental requirement. The Office of the Registrar will update your application in the Sheridan Application Portal to notify you if a portfolio is required.

Applicant selection

Candidates to the program are selected on the basis of academic achievement.

Applicants who do not meet the admission requirements for this program may be advised individually regarding other related programs.

English language proficiency

All applicants whose first language is not English must meet Sheridan's English Proficiency Requirements.

Refer to the website for full admission requirements.

How to apply:

5 easy steps

- 1 Find your program
- 2 Check the admission requirements
- 3 Apply online
- 4 Submit your documentation
- 5 Accept your offer

Ready to get started?

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International students

Find out more about...

- Post-graduation work permit (PGWP) eligibility
- Admission requirements
- English language proficiency requirements
- Fees and financial aid
- Provincial Attestation Letters (PALs)

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