Community & Civic Engagement

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Our Programs



Short Term

Alternative

Reading

Week

Community Day Events

9 COMMUNITY EVENTS

50 DIFFERENT PROJECTS

Global Experience

4 UNIQUE EXPERIENCES

Long Term

Community Innovation Projects

8 DIFFERENT PROJECTS

Community
Action Projects

21 COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Community Day Events



During Community Day Events, students spend 1-2 days in the Peel Community working at various organizations.



Community Action Projects



Community Action projects at UTM connect students to long-term (4 to 8 month) projects with community partners in the Region of Peel.

Peel District
School Board

Visions of
Science

Neighbourhood
Watch

of Canada

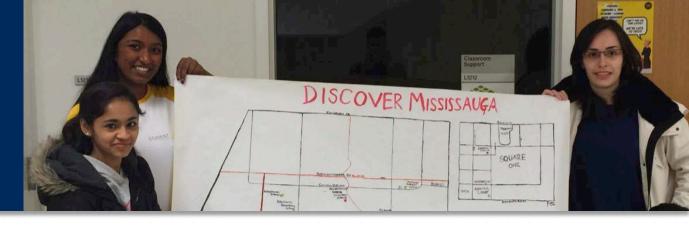
Frontier
College

Aspire
Tutoring

Big Brother's
Big Sisters

62 VOLUNTEERS

Community Innovation Projects



The Community Innovation Project program is a student-led set of projects that partner community organizations with students looking to apply and develop their skills in a hands-on setting. Student staff facilitate teams in the completion of tasks set out by the community partners.



59 VOLUNTEERS

Alternative Reading Week



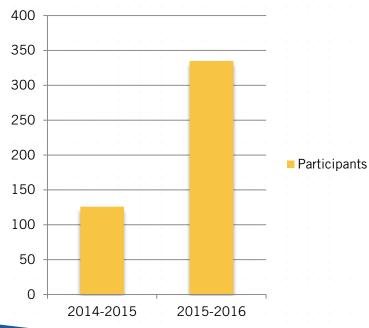
Alternative Reading Week (ARW) is a 3-day initiative where students make a difference through their participation in community projects. Volunteer groups ranged from 3 people to 32 people depending on the community partners needs and the projects they were working on for the 3 day period.

26 COMMUNITY PARTNERS

335 VOLUNTEERS

"The best part of my community engagement experience was knowing that I devoted my week off to a good cause."

ARW Participants



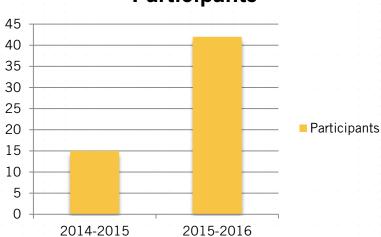
Global Experience



UTM's Global Experience program is a co-curricular activity abroad which involves community partners working directly with students on projects of interest to the community; the program is designed to enhance students' experiences with community engagement, leadership, social change and community development.



Global Experience Participants



2015/2016 Highlights



>550 TOTAL VOLUNTEERS

97 STUDENT LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

81 UNIQUE PROGRAMS

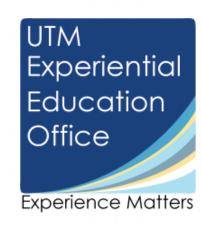
46 UNIQUE PARTNERS

>30,000
STUDENT VOLUNTEER HOURS
IN OUR COMMUNITY

STUDENTLIFE
Connecting Learning to Life

UTM EXPERIENTIAL EDUCATION OFFICE (EEO)

#ExperienceMatters



ABOUT THE EEO

The Experiential Education Office actively engages faculty and students in the community, by promoting strong relationships between community partners, faculty, students, academic studies, career exploration and community involvement through academic and outreach experiences to broaden the scope of what it means to study at UTM.

We work with:

- Undergraduate Academic Departments
- Faculty
- Staff
- Students
- Community
- Non-Academic Units





ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Academic Internships



400 Level

Community Engaged Service Learning



300-400 Level

- ENV331H
- ENV495H

ROP



iROP Global Experience

Experience Preparation: EXP101

OUTREACH

To build strong, responsive and distinct programming to work with and ultimately help benefit the people within our community.







Current Activities:

- Café Scientifique
- Youth Indigenous Awareness Program (YIAP)
- Lecture Me!
- Experiential Learning Showcase March 2017
- Departmental Level

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