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## PATHWAY TO MASTER OF MANAGEMENT (MMgt) PROGRAM

York University  
Faculty of Science  
and the  
Schulich School of  
Business

## Science + Business Pathway to Management (MMgt) Program Frequently Asked Questions:

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### What is the Pathway to Master of Management (MMgt) Program?

The Schulich School of Business has partnered with York University's Faculties of Science, Lassonde School of Engineering, Arts, Media, Performance & Design (AMPD) and Glendon to offer incoming students to those faculties the opportunity to join a pre-admission program that prepares students for the study of business in the Schulich School's one-year Master of Management (MMgt) program.

During their undergraduate degree, students in the Pathway stream participate in a variety of activities at Schulich and, at the end of their 3rd year, are able to apply, and receive early conditional offers of admission to the MMgt program. Successful candidates are eligible to begin the Master of Management (MMgt) program right after successfully completing their 4 year undergraduate program (120 credits) and achieving a B+ average in their last two years of study.

### Why enrol in the Pathway Program?

While in their Honours Bachelor of Science degree program, Pathway students gain access to Schulich School engagement activities. They're able to explore the benefits of combining a management degree with their science degree, thus helping them define potential career opportunities post-graduation. Other benefits:

- simplified early application process to the Schulich Master of Management (MMgt) Program prior to other, general applicants
- early offers of admission
- application fee is waived
- access to Schulich engagement events such as career information sessions, networking events, business master classes and guest speakers

At the end of the third year of their Honours Science program, students apply through a simplified application process to the Master of Management (MMgt) Program, for which the application fee will be waived. Students will receive an early conditional offer of admission to the program, prior to other candidates being considered for admission.

Whether you plan to start your career immediately after your science degree or plan on applying to a professional or graduate program, the Pathway to the Master of Management (MMgt) Program lets you explore the benefits of a management degree in an informed manner.

## Frequently Asked Questions (cont'd):

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### Who is Eligible to apply to the Pathway to Master of Management (MMgt) Program?

This program is designed for first year incoming students, with a final admission average of 85%, applying to York University's Faculties of Science, Lassonde School of Engineering, Arts, Media, Performance & Design (AMPD) and Glendon. Promising students in their second year of study will also be considered. Eligible incoming Faculty of Science students will be invited to join upon admission and must confirm their participation in the Pathway Program during their Faculty of Science enrolment advising appointment.

Because the MMgt program is designed for students from non-business backgrounds who enter immediately upon completion of their science degree, work experience is not required and applicants may not have more than two years of full-time work experience. Thus:

- Students interested in pursuing the program must have less than 2 years of full-time work experience to be eligible to participate.
- Eligible students may not pursue a minor, major, or certificate in business during their undergraduate studies.
- For direct entry into the Master of Management (MMgt) program, students must complete their Honours Science degree. Bachelor of Science three-year degree holders may apply separately to the MMgt program after acquiring a year of work experience, post-degree.

### Does participation in the Pathway to Master of Management (MMgt) Program, mean automatic admission to the Schulich School's Master of Management program?

No. Enrolment in the Pathway to Master of Management (MMgt) Program does not automatically admit a student into the Schulich Master of Management Program. The Pathway Program is a pre-admission program providing access to a fast-tracked application process. Students who opt in to the Pathway program must still have a formal application assessed for admission to the Master of Management Program. However, they benefit from a fast-tracked application process that provides early application and assessment prior to other general applicants.

They must submit a formal application at the end of their 3rd year of study and will be conditionally admitted to the Master of Management (MMgt) program in the summer before their 4th year. Students must achieve a B+ average in the last two years of their undergraduate program and attend select activities to meet the conditions of their admission.

Additionally, opting to participate in the Pathway Program provides students with four years of access to a variety of activities and resources at the Schulich School of Business as they pursue their Honours Science degree in the Faculty of Science.

### What is the fee for participating in the Pathway to Master of Management (MMgt) Program?

Students are not required to pay any fees beyond the tuition fees for their undergraduate degree and the tuition for the Master of Management (MMgt) program.

### Can I opt-in or out of the Pathway to Master of Management (MMgt) Program during my undergraduate degree?

Currently, the Pathway Program is only open to students starting in Fall 2019 who are entering their first year at York University. Students outside of the Pathway stream must apply separately for the MMgt program or other Masters program at Schulich.

Students may opt out of the Program at any time, simply by communicating in writing their intent to withdraw from the Pathway Program cohort (student group).

### Is it mandatory that I participate in all Schulich events in years 1 to 4 of my undergraduate degree?

Students are encouraged to participate in all Schulich Pathway Program events during their undergraduate studies. However, we recognize that students have many demands placed on their time and so, while we recommend that students attend all events,