

Spotlight on College Research Activity

Research Infosource shines the spotlight on two aspects of college research activity that reflect how successful colleges are in addressing and meeting their customers' and collaborators' needs: partnerships and completed projects.

Top Research Colleges by Number of Partnerships*

		Partnerships			Partnerships			Partnerships
Rank	Large Colleges	#	Rank	Mid-sized Colleges	#	Rank	Small Colleges	#
1	Algonquin College	120	1	Olds College	55	1	Collège d'Alma	109
2	George Brown College	101	2	Cégep Édouard-Montpetit (a)	53	2	Cégep de Thetford	83
3	British Columbia Institute	100	3	Bow Valley College	45	3	Collège Shawinigan	27
	of Technology		3	La Cité collégiale	45			

Top Research Colleges by Number of Completed Projects*

		Completed Projects			Completed Projects			Completed Projects
Rank	Large Colleges	#	Rank	Mid-sized Colleges	#	Rank	Small Colleges	#
1	Algonquin College	180	1	La Cité collégiale	62	1	Collège d'Alma	147
2	George Brown College	91	2	Cégep Édouard-Montpetit (a)	58	2	Cégep de Thetford	81
2	Sheridan College	91	3	Cégep de Trois-Rivières	41		Cégep de la Gaspésie et des Îles	61
3	NAIT - Northern Alberta	67	3	Collège communautaire du	41	3		
	Institute of Technology			Nouveau-Brunswick	41			

Notes:

- 1. Data were obtained through a survey of publicly-funded colleges and from financial statements.
- 2. Data are provided for the main college including affiliated research institutes/centres, where applicable.
- 3. Large college = total income (received from all sources in FY2012-2013) of \$100 million or more; Mid-sized = total income between \$50 million and \$100 million; Small = total income of \$50 million or less.

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^{*}Research partnerships and completed projects with external organizations in FY2012-2013 that were governed by formal written agreements. Includes research contracts and collaborative research agreements. Does not include research grants.

⁽a) Formerly named Collège Édouard-Montpetit.