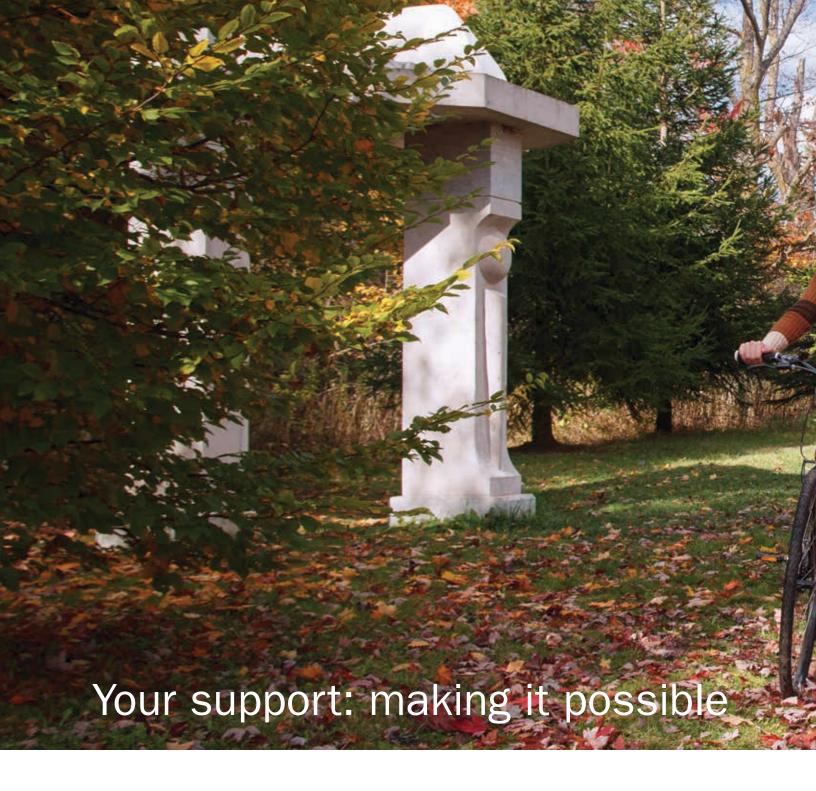
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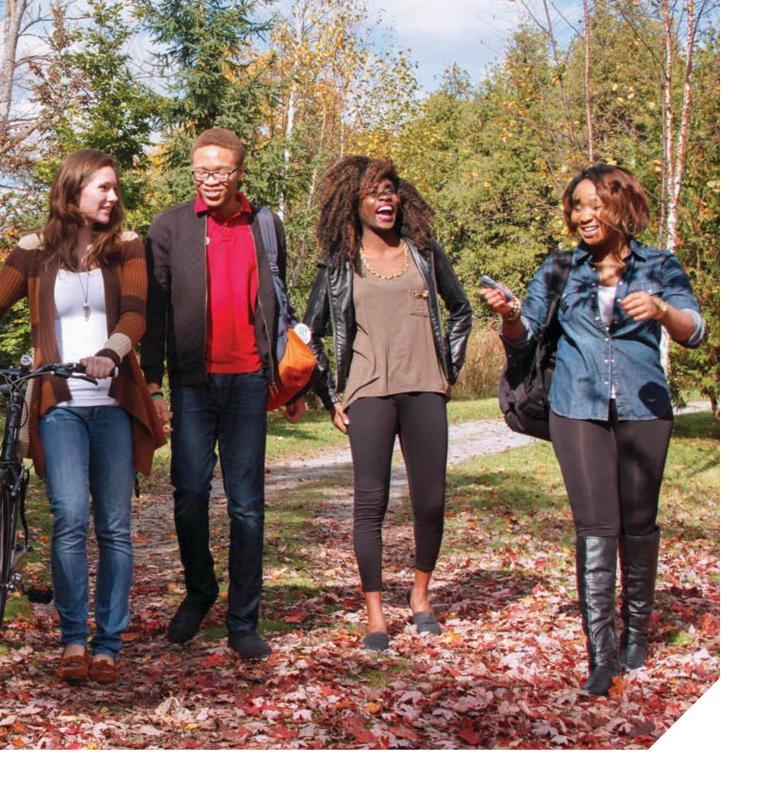
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## Fostering

student passion and purpose

Donor support of the Student Success Fund has nearly quadrupled the number of scholarships, bursaries and international learning opportunities awarded to UOIT students. This fund enables students to pursue their dreams and achieve excellence.

As part of the university's commitment to helping students reach their greatest potential, the Board of Governors established a matching fund in 2013. Under this initiative, UOIT will match up to \$1 million in eligible new gifts to the Student Success Fund through the end of 2014. Donations now go further, providing more students with access to financial assistance.



Read the full story at uoit.ca/fostering

UOIT is dedicated to pursuing – and rewarding – excellence.



# Honouring

## the heritage and culture of our indigenous students

Durham Region is home to the highest percentage of people of Aboriginal ancestry in the GTA. Now, thanks to a generous \$450,000 donation from the Baagwating Community Association, as well as support from the federal government and other donors, indigenous students will have a dedicated space to gather and grow together while attending UOIT.

Under the guidance of honorary elder Cliff Standingready, the new Indigenous Student Centre will welcome, value and celebrate our students. These funds will also facilitate collaboration with local Aboriginal agencies and Band councils, cultural teachings, hosting visiting elders and supplying other needed services.



This new building will provide students with a home away from home where they can gather, learn and grow."

 GARY EDGAR, CHAIR, BAAGWATING COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION





Our university has been able to evolve thanks to the generous support from donors, our local community, government and industry partners. Through this generosity, in the span of a decade the University of Ontario Institute of Technology has grown into an impressive campus enjoyed by nearly 10,000 students."

TIM McTIERNAN, PhD,
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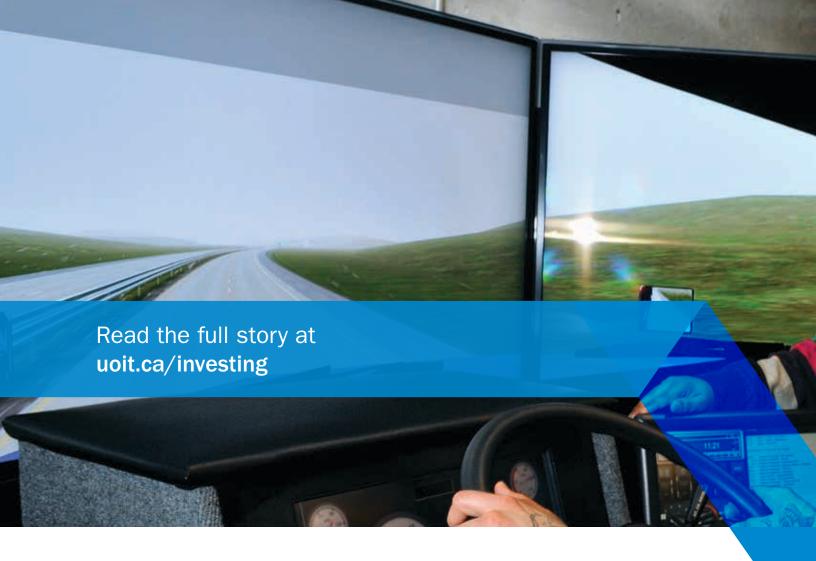
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# Celebrating

## 10 years and nearly 10,000 students

On September 4, 2003, 947 students arrived on the UOIT campus for the first time. They were pioneers in a new forward-looking, market-driven, research-intensive university education.

As a result of the success of our graduates and the support of our donors and partners, UOIT enrolment has since multiplied tenfold. Our undergraduate and graduate students now attend 70 programs representing diverse, influential fields of study. These are tomorrow's leaders, researchers and entrepreneurs who will shape our world.



# Investing

### in engineering innovation

Thanks to the vision and generosity of four local families, students enrolled in the Faculty of Engineering and Applied Science now have access to four new technology-enriched laboratories in the Integrated Research and Training Facility within UOIT's Automotive Centre of Excellence.

Together, the families of Glenyce MacDonald, Dick McLaughlin, the Mothersills and Jason Rinaldi contributed funds to advance the university's leading-edge engineering research. This gift opens exciting new opportunities for student exploration and innovation.



UOIT thanks these families for being so committed to our students.

The laboratories they helped to establish will enable our students to collaborate with local and global organizations and better prepare them for the workplace."

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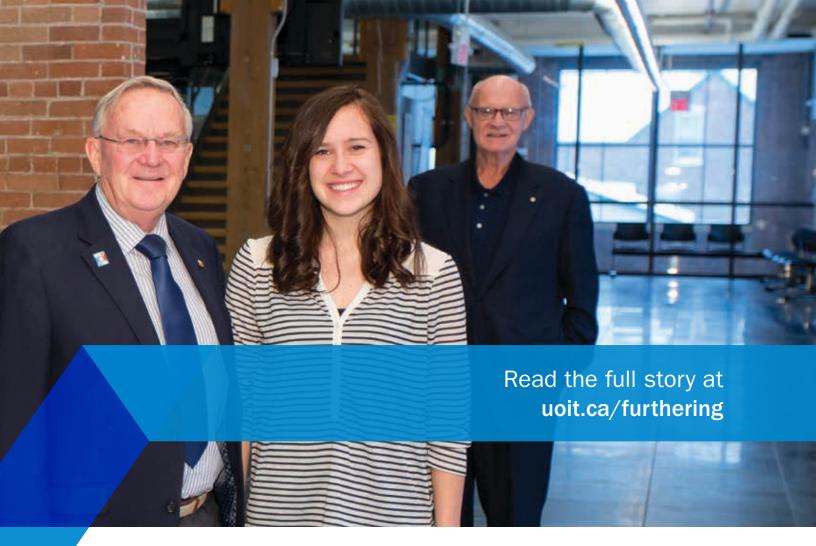
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Many UOIT students struggle with tuition costs. All of the funds raised at this event will help students achieve their academic goals. Moreover, we're pleased that funds raised at the scholarship dinner will be doubled through UOIT's \$1 million matching gift program."

WILLIAM R. PATCHETT,
 UOIT DONOR AND COBOURG ROTARIAN





# Furthering

### possibilities for fellow students

Fewer UOIT students will be struggling to pay tuition and expenses this year, thanks to \$68,000 in donations and pledges raised by fellow students who organized a successful scholarship dinner.

Under the guidance of UOIT donor and Cobourg Rotarian William R. Patchett, UOIT students and members of the Rotaract Club of Durham College-UOIT Haley MacNamara (President) and Christine Dabrowski (Past-President) co-ordinated the evening. More than 200 Rotary club members from across southern Ontario attended.





For more details visit campusmasterplan.ca

# Building

### for the future

As part of our commitment to supporting the learning of future students, faculty and researchers, UOIT intends to make productive use of our 190 acres of real estate north of the campus. We're envisioning new infrastructure, collaborative student spaces and labs, a Centre for Learning and Innovation, a Health Sciences and Community Health Centre, a Centre for Applied Research and Innovation, as well as Innovation Park, a powerful cluster of industrial and academic expertise.

With the continuing support of our donors and partners, we will advance knowledge that accelerates economic growth, regional development and social innovation and inspires graduates who will change the world.



## Facilitating

access to a university degree

To meet the demands of today's competitive marketplace, UOIT strives to enhance students' access to education and to expand their career options.



### Read the full story at uoit.ca/facilitating

The university has agreements with more than half of Ontario's colleges in order to provide multiple pathways to degree completion. By applying credits earned at college toward a university degree, students can earn a UOIT degree in as little as two years without having to repeat courses. UOIT students graduate career-ready and are realizing some of the highest employment rates.

Diploma-to-degree program students now comprise 30 per cent of our enrolment. By supporting scholarships and bursaries for these UOIT students, donors are facilitating seamless educational transitions, lifelong learning – and career success.

Donor support is making access to a university degree a reality.



# Reconnecting

## for friendship, celebration and inspiration

Homecoming 2013 at UOIT was a homecoming like no other.

Alumni, students, faculty and staff gathered on September 20 and 21 for an epic weekend of fun and reconnecting. From barbecues to dodgeball competitions and movies under the stars to inspiring stories by alumni and legendary former Toronto Maple Leaf captain Doug Gilmour, Homecoming brought everyone back to UOIT to catch up and to celebrate our first 10 years.

Thanks to our supportive sponsors, Homecoming convened all who are part of UOIT's young legacy and promising future.

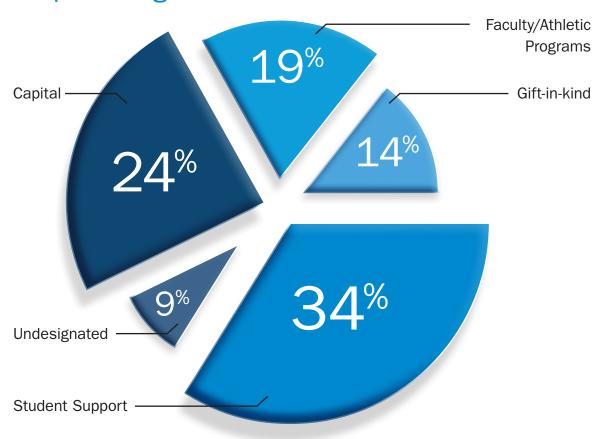


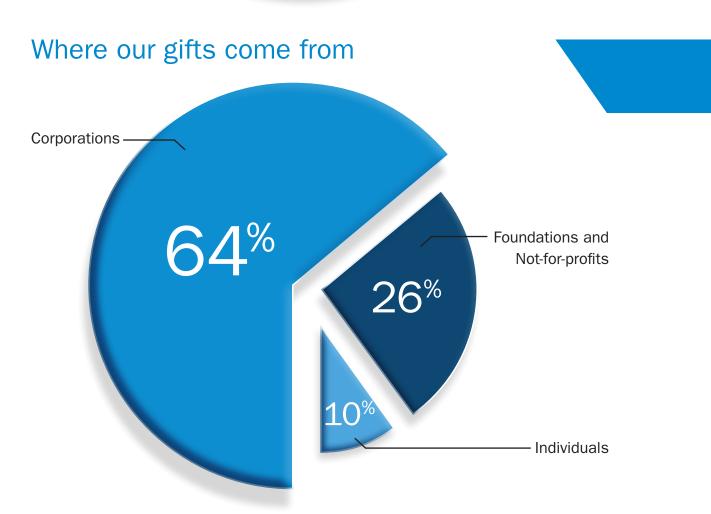
Homecoming recognizes the ambition, commitment, perseverance, enthusiasm, creativity, energy and leadership students have invested in UOIT."

 JACLYN SAN ANTONIO, HOMECOMING 2013 ALUMNI CO-CHAIR, BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND JUSTICE (2007), MASTER OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY (2011)



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