YOUR EXPERIENCE

In Windsor you will be one of 38 first-year students and develop a strong relationship with your 133 peers in London. Throughout your four years, you will receive support from faculty and resident educators. You will also have the opportunity to engage in research, international studies through electives, participate in dozens of clubs and teams and get involved in the community.

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– Dalia Kashash – Class of 2022

Your first-and second-year studies take place primarily in the Dr. Murray O’Neil Medical Education Centre at the University of Windsor.

- Lecture halls are equipped with video-conferencing capabilities to facilitate concurrent learning in Windsor and London
- Small group learning suites, a complete on-site clinical skills laboratory with 10 skills rooms and two observation rooms, and gross anatomy and virtual anatomy labs with high definition video systems to facilitate small group-learning

Your practical experience occurs at two hospitals - Windsor Regional Hospital and Hotel-Dieu Grace Healthcare.

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Your clinical placements occur throughout the City of Windsor and Essex County at hospital inpatient wards, outpatient clinics, community clinics and private offices encompassing various specialties. Research experiences are available with nationally and internationally acclaimed clinical, educational, basic science and quality improvement researchers at the University of Windsor. You can also apply to participate in the Schulich UWindsor Opportunities for Research Excellence Program which takes place in Windsor or spend time in London and work in labs at Western, including those at Robarts Research Institute and Lawson Health Research Institute, through summer research programs.

“‘The Windsor Campus offers incredible hands-on clinical learning, with smaller class sizes all backed by a supportive medical community and administrative team. Every preceptor I have had has been an amazing educator and offered their continuous mentorship.’”

– Vanessa Montemurri – Class of 2023

The faculty are incredibly supportive to your individual needs and make you feel like your success truly matters to them. This also applies to the medical community in the Windsor-Essex region as a whole. Even as pre-clerks, you often get to see and experience things that only upper years and residents would get to do at other locations and schools.”

– Kamran Ehsan – Class of 2023

CITY OF WINDSOR

Windsor is big enough to provide plenty of art, music, delicious food and natural beauty, but small and safe enough to make you feel instantly at home. Windsor residents enjoy some of Canada’s best weather. This means you can take advantage of scenic biking, running, and walking trails along the Detroit River and make day trips to the dozens of area parks and beaches.
YOUR EXPERIENCE

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“Studying medicine in London combines the complex clinical experience of a high-level tertiary care centre, with the feeling of living in a small community. Our London campus is made special by its people—here you’ll find a collection of staff, students, and faculty, all dedicated endlessly to each other’s success in life and academia.”

– Jacob Wihlidal – Class of 2022

“I’ve grown to love the city of London. The network of trails through the city and beautiful communities and landscapes nearby make for incredible weekend hikes and cycling. I’m grateful for the diversity in clinical experience that I’ve had - I feel like I’ve had exposure to so many areas in medicine already, and there are many dedicated faculty who are willing to offer mentorship and support.”

– Natalie Sloof – Class of 2021

Your first- and second-year learning takes place primarily in two environments at Western University including the:

• Medical Sciences Building: classrooms equipped with video-conferencing capabilities to facilitate concurrent learning in London and Windsor
• Clinical Skills Learning Building: 16 simulated examination rooms, discussion rooms, and observation rooms to facilitate small group learning in London

Your practical experience takes place at two main hospital sites located close to campus:

• London Health Sciences Centre comprised of University Hospital, Victoria Hospital, the Children’s Hospital and the London Regional Cancer Program
• St. Joseph’s Health Care London comprised of St. Joseph’s Hospital, Parkwood Institute and the Southwest Centre for Forensic Mental Health Care

Your clinical placements will take place in London and in more than 60 communities throughout Southwestern Ontario. During your clinical placements, you will have the opportunity to work in hospital inpatient wards and outpatient clinics, regional clinics and private physician offices encompassing various specialties.

“Schulich Medicine was my number one choice from the start. As a student, you will experience a cohesive and tight-knit culture. And you can be involved in every stage of your training, have access to optional clinical learning, non-credit pre-clerkship summer electives and experience the unique third-year clerkship.”

– Davis Dong – Class of 2023

Research experiences are available with nationally and internationally acclaimed clinical, educational, basic science and quality improvement researchers at Western, including labs at Robarts Research Institute and at Lawson Health Research Institute.

Two summer research training programs offered to students will provide you with numerous opportunities to explore your research interests.

CITY OF LONDON

Set in the heart of Southwestern Ontario, London is the region’s economic, entertainment and cultural hub. Big enough for the ‘big city’ experience, but still far more affordable in comparison with many other Canadian cities, London boasts vibrant arts, sports and entertainment scenes and has extensive educational and health care communities, while providing the safe and clean atmosphere of a small community.