

U of S College of Medicine Statistics Summary

Admission Criteria for entry 2023

Admissions Criteria for all applicants - including for Indigenous Admissions Pathway (IAP) and Diversity and Social Accountability Admissions Program (DSAAP)

Academic Requirements:

- 4-year baccalaureate degree must be completed prior to entering Medicine (or 120 credit units in a professional degree)
- 80% minimum university academic average (UAA)
- Medical College Admission Test (MCAT) required of all applicants – Best MCAT score considered; January 2019 earliest writing considered; minimum total score of ≥ 492 with section score minimums of BBFL 123; CARS 123; CPBS 123; PSBB 123, however one section may be 122 as long as the total score of all four sections is at least 492.

Non-Academic Requirements

- CASPer - pass cutoff for interview invitation set by the Admissions Committee (AC)
- Multiple Mini Interview (MMI) presented through a virtual format - pass cutoff set by the Admissions Committee
- Panel Interview/Conversation Circle presented in a hybrid (in-person or virtual) format – pass cutoff set by the Admissions Committee
- Reference Check
 - 3 References - must have supervised applicant in a research, volunteer or employment role
 - Reference checks done via phone calls – rule out only
- Academic/Non-Academic Misconduct Check

Criteria for Selection

- Prior to MMI: 50% UAA and 50% MCAT
- Prior to Panel Interview: 25% UAA; 25% MCAT; 50% MMI
- Final Admission Rank Number (ARN) 20% UAA; 20% MMI; 30% MMI; 30% Panel Interview/Conversation Circle
- Saskatchewan Connectedness index and the DSAAP index applied at each stage of the application cycle.

Recent Changes to admission (year noted is the year of entry) criteria

2012 – Class size increase to 100

2013 – Non-Saskatchewan resident requirement change to 4-year baccalaureate degree required prior to entry into Medicine (minimum GPA of 83.0%) and a MCAT minimum of 30N for application. MCAT sum used to determine interview offers

2014 - MCAT minimum score remained the same for Saskatchewan residents and Non-Saskatchewan residents of 26 and 30, respectively, with writing sample score removed

2015 – Saskatchewan resident requirement changed to 4-year baccalaureate degree required prior to entry into Medicine

2016 – Saskatchewan resident requirements changed to a minimum University Academic Average (UAA) of 75% (reduced from 78%), with MCAT required of all applicants (prerequisite courses not required). Weight given to academic:non-academic is 30% UAA: 20% MCAT: 50% MMI = Admission rank number (ARN) determines rank for offer of admission

2018 – Saskatchewan resident applicant pool inaugural year of DSAAP – 6 seats; ONLY most recent MCAT 2015 considered for all applicants; Non-Saskatchewan resident applicant pool reduced from 10 to 5 seats

2019 – Non-Saskatchewan resident requirements increased to a minimum 85% UAA and a minimum MCAT score of the 80th percentile for the test total score and for each of the four section scores

2020 – Non-Saskatchewan residents required to have a minimum MCAT score of 510 and 127 in each of the four sections

2021 - CASPer test required for all applicants

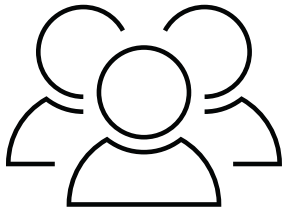
2023 – Inaugural year of changes related to Admissions Renewal and introduction of Saskatchewan Connectedness Index
Removal of Saskatchewan and Non-Saskatchewan resident application pools
Seat increase to 104 with up to 20 seats designated for Indigenous applicants
Introduction of personal statements, Panel Interview, Indigenous Admissions Circle and Conversation Circle, Diversity and Social Accountability Admissions Program changed to an opt-out survey, deybweWIN | taapwaywin | tapewin:
Indigenous Truth policy introduced

APPLICANT COHORT

Application Cycle 2022/2023



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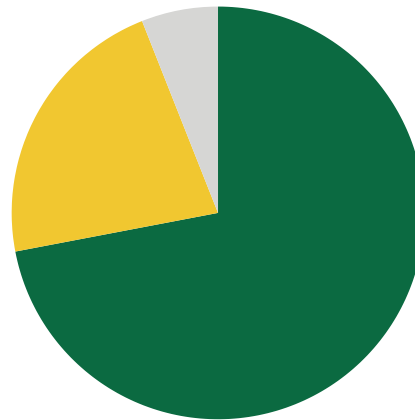


24%

Applicants
aged 25 - 29

6%

Applicants
age over 29



70%

Applicants
aged 20 - 24

1,048

Applicant Cohort

836

First Time
Applicants



35%

Cohort from West of SK



31%

Cohort from SK & Territories



34%

Cohort from East of SK

Based on the location of High School Graduation

Diversity of the Applicant Pool



13%

Applicants from
Rural Backgrounds

Populations less than 20,000



58%

Identify as
female

4%

Self-Declared
Indigenous
Applicants

61%

Identify as a
Visible Minority/
Racialized Person

Based on voluntary
applicant responses (83%)

Applicant Numbers - Each Application Stage

Application

1,048

Pre-Multiple Mini
Interview

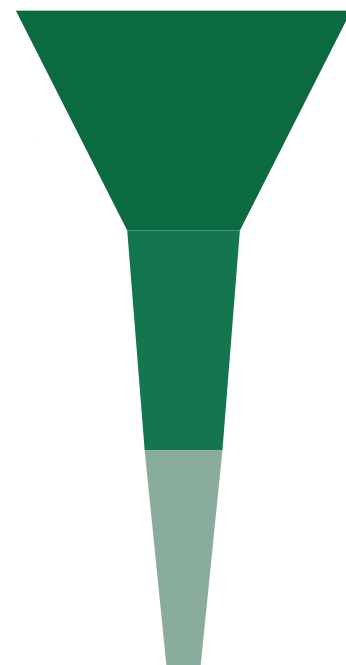
352

Pre - Panel Interview/
Conversation Circle

246

Accepted

104



MULTIPLE MINI INTERVIEW

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352

Cohort - Pre Multiple
Mini Interview

217

First Time
Applicants



22%

Applicants
aged 25 - 29

71%

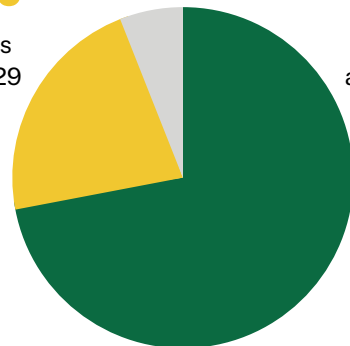
Applicants
aged 20 - 24

56%

Identify as
female

20%

Applicants from
Rural Backgrounds
Populations less than 20,000



7%

Applicants
age over 29



19%

Cohort from West of SK



61%

Cohort from SK & Territories

Based on the location of High School Graduation

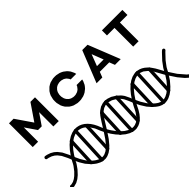


20%

Cohort from East of SK

492 - 525

MCAT Total Range



507

Median MCAT Total

80 - 98%

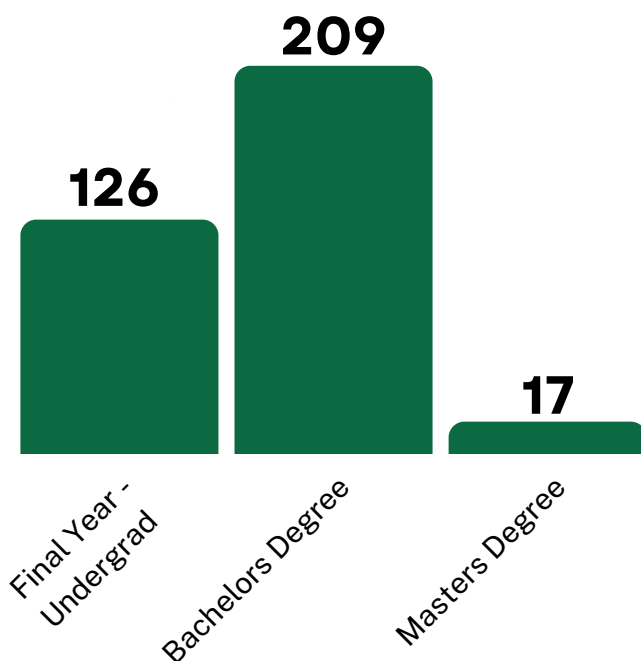
Undergrad Academic Average
(UAA) Range



87.8%

Median UAA

Highest Level of Education Completed
At the time of application



PANEL INTERVIEW/ CONVERSATION CIRCLES

Application Cycle 2022/2023



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243

Cohort - Pre
Panel Interview

18

Cohort - Conversation
Circle



22%

Applicants
aged 25 - 29

72%

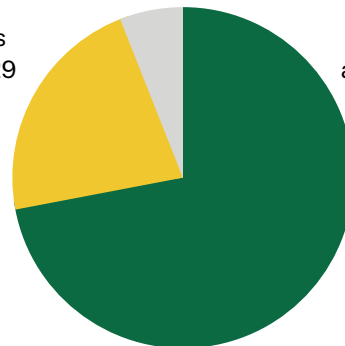
Applicants
aged 20 - 24

56%

Identify as
female

21%

Applicants from
Rural Backgrounds
Populations less than 20,000



6%

Applicants
age over 29



14%

Cohort from West of SK



72%

Cohort from SK & Territories

Based on the location of High School Graduation

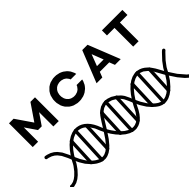


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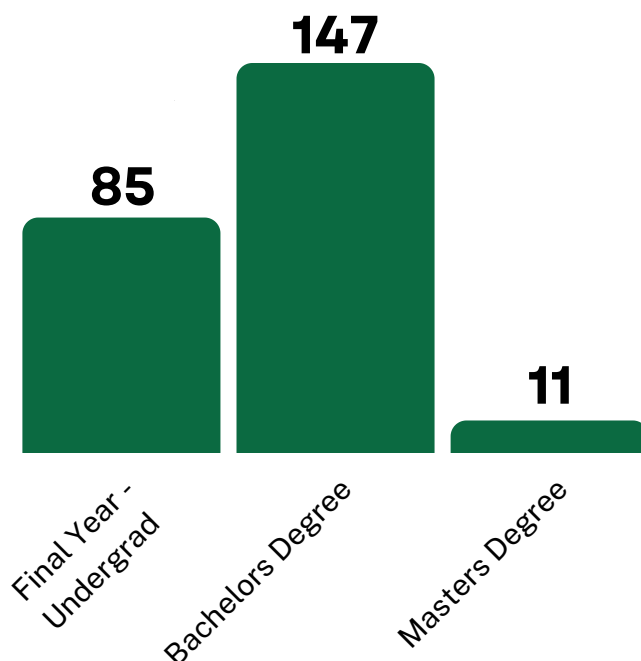
Undergrad Academic Average
(UAA) Range



87.8%

Median UAA

Highest Level of Education Completed
At the time of application



MEET OUR CLASS

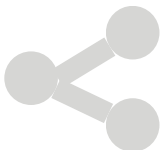
Class of 2027



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104

Class Size



64
Saskatoon

40
Regina



21 - 36

Age Range

53%

Identify as female



11

Self-Declared
Indigenous Students

24

Average Age of Class

13%

Students from Lower
Socio-Economic Backgrounds

M

492 - 523

MCAT Total Range

C

82 - 97%

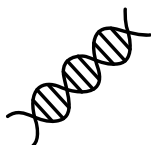
Undergrad Academic Average
(UAA) Range

A

508

Median
MCAT Total

T



90.3%

Median UAA across Class



18

Students Accepted
with Master's Degree
At the time of offers

Where Our Class is From

based on location of High School Graduation



87%

Graduates from
Saskatchewan



1%

Gained Permanent
Residency in Canada

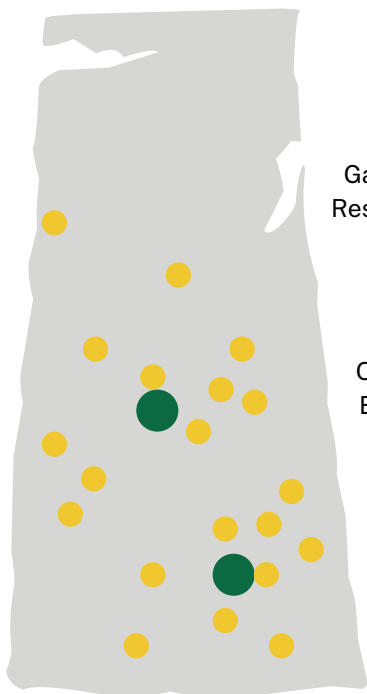


11%

Outside SK from
Western Canada

29%

of accepted
class comes
from rural
roots

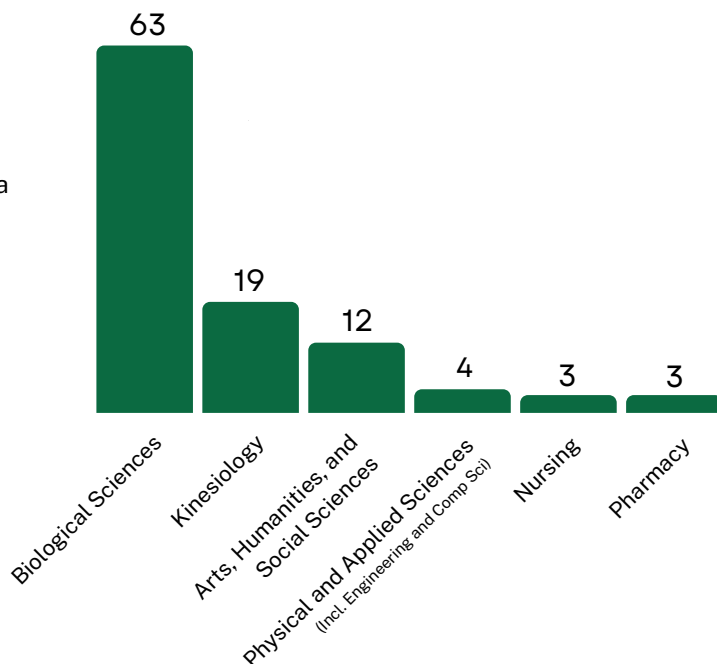


2%

Outside SK from
Eastern Canada

Academic Background

based on Undergraduate major



MEET OUR CLASS

Class of 2027 - Regina



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21 - 33

Age Range



3

Self-Declared
Indigenous Students



23

Average Age of
Class

53%

Identify as
female

48%

Identify as a Visible Minority/ Racialized Person
Based on voluntary applicant responses (76%) for accepted class

Where Our Class is From

based on location of High School Graduation



88%

Students from
Saskatchewan



3%

Gained Permanent
Residency in Canada



8%

Outside SK from
Western Canada

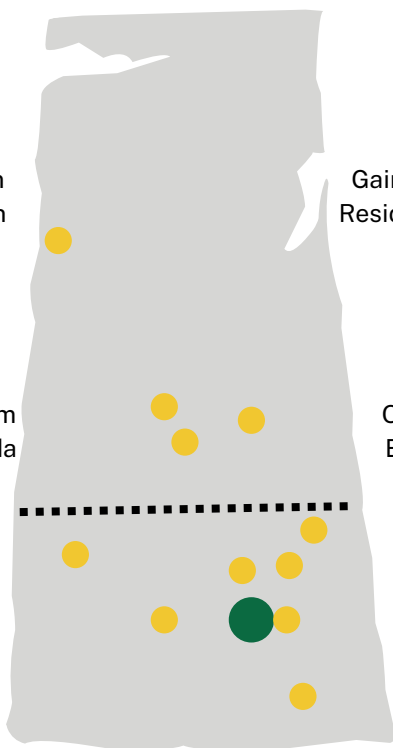


3%

Outside SK from
Eastern Canada

63%

Students from
Southern SK
(South of
Davidson)



82 - 97%

Range of Undergraduate
Academic Average

492 - 521

MCAT Total Range

88.9%

Median UAA of Class

507

Median MCAT Total

35

Bachelors

5

Masters

Academic Background

based on Undergraduate major

Biological Sciences

25

Kinesiology

9

Arts, Humanities, and
Social Sciences

4

Pharmacy

1

Nursing

1

78%

Attended a SK
Post Secondary
Institution

28%

Attended the
University of
Regina

48%

Attended
high school
in Regina

MEET OUR CLASS

Class of 2027 - Saskatoon



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21 - 36

Age Range



8

Self-Declared
Indigenous Students



24

Average Age of
Class

53%

Identify as female

48%

Identify as a Visible Minority/ Racialized Person
Based on voluntary applicant responses (76%) for accepted class

Where Our Class is From

based on location of High School Graduation



86%

Students from
Saskatchewan

56%

Students from
Northern SK
(North of
Davidson)

13%

Outside SK from
Western Canada

2%

Outside SK from
Eastern Canada



83 - 96% **494 - 523**

Range of Undergraduate
Academic Average

MCAT Total Range

90.6%

Median UAA of Class

508

Median MCAT Total

51

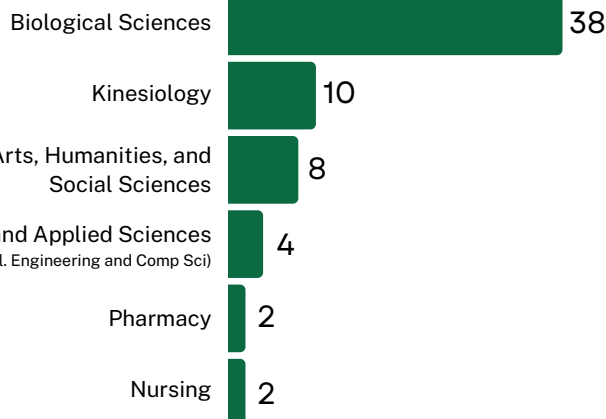
Bachelors

13

Masters

Academic Background

based on Undergraduate major



72%

Attended a SK
Post Secondary
Institution

63%

Attended the
University of
Saskatchewan

42%

Attended
high school
in Saskatoon