

ROTMAN COMMERCE

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Toronto, Ontario

Specialist in Accounting, Class of 2019

Why did I choose Rotman Commerce? I wanted to study business since it provided a lot of flexibility in terms of career options and allowed me to apply what I learned in the classroom in unique and challenging ways at work. Being located in downtown Toronto, the financial hub of Canada, I chose to come to Rotman Commerce to immerse myself in an environment that was similar to the one I wanted to work in after graduating.

What do I do outside of class? I have been involved in a variety of student organizations such as the Rotman Commerce Accounting Society (RCAS). I have also been involved at various colleges on campus, including University College & Woodsworth College (Go Wolfpack!) Aside from extracurricular activities and studying, I love watching or playing sports and spending time with good friends!

What surprised me most about Rotman Commerce? The community at Rotman Commerce. One of my biggest concerns coming into a University with such a large student population was that I will not be able to fit in and make friends. However, Rotman Commerce, with its student organizations and various activities such as FLC, student events, and conferences has a very strong sense of community. Everyone around me was willing to help me with school, recruitment and anything else I was concerned about. This was a pleasant surprise and has allowed me to make the most of my time at university so far while meeting a lot of amazing new people.

What is my advice to incoming students? University can be scary at first but don't be intimidated! Always explore your options and be open to trying new things.

My highlight at Rotman is meeting amazing people from all across the globe and learning a lot about myself and the world around me not only in the classroom, but also from case competitions, clubs, and the friends I have made since joining the program!



My favourite non-Rotman Commerce course was LTE199: Human Biology and Evolution. The seminar course, with classes capped at 24 students and no final exam was a great way to meet new people and transition to university.

The best thing about Toronto is the diversity! I am always amazed by the things you can find in this city if you are willing to explore.



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