Memorial’s nationally accredited programs allow students to build a professional network and add value to their education through real-world work experience.

General Description of Institution
The Faculty of Engineering and Applied Science is one of five co-operative units at Memorial University. Started in 1969, and now celebrating its 50th anniversary, the Engineering Co-operative Education Program is one of the oldest and largest co-operative education programs in Canada.

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General Description of Co-op Program
The Faculty of Engineering and Applied Science has approximately 500 undergraduate students enrolled each year in a five-year, mandatory co-operative education degree program, which is fully accredited by the Canadian Co-operative Education and Work Integrated Learning Association (CEWIL). There are six major engineering disciplines available: civil, computer, electrical, mechanical, ocean and naval architectural and process. The ocean and naval architectural engineering co-operative program is the only one of its kind in the world and the process engineering program is unique in Canada. In 2018, over 1,200 engineering students gained meaningful work term experiences employed throughout Canada, the U.S. and overseas.

Top Employers
Cahill Group
Equinor
ExxonMobil Canada
Fortis
Husky Energy
J.D. Irving Ltd.
Nalcor Energy
Nokia
North Atlantic
PEL Construction
Seaspan
Suncor Energy
Syracuse
Tesla
Vale
Vard Marine

Current Institution Collaborations
Aalto University
University of Petroleum and Energy Studies

Top Countries Collaborations
Australia
Belize
China
Finland
Germany
India
Netherlands
United Kingdom
United States

“Our refinery has been benefitting from Memorial’s Engineering co-op program for years. This program is not only a value to students, it is a value to the organizations that welcome them.”

— Dan Harris
Refinery Manager
NARL Refining Limited Partnership