

New Student Action Items

Your step-by-step checklist for joining the MScAC program

STARTING MAY

Official Transcripts

Submit by **August 31, 2026**:

- ✓ Have all post-secondary transcripts (undergraduate onwards) sent directly from your previous institution(s).

Note: Official transcripts are not required for undergraduate/graduate studies completed at the University of Toronto.

- ✓ If your degree has not yet been conferred, wait for the conferral to appear on your academic record before ordering your transcript.
- ✓ We may require copies of degree certificates or diplomas if degree conferral is not noted on your official transcript.
- ✓ Where applicable, provide documents in both their original language and with English translations.

Official paper transcripts — send by mail or courier to:

MSc in Applied Computing Program, Department of Computer Science

700 University Avenue – 9th Floor

Toronto, ON M5G 1Z5 Canada

Official e-transcripts — send to admissions@mscac.utoronto.ca directly from your institution, or via an authorized third-party service (e.g. MyCreds, Parchment, National Student Clearinghouse, etc)

If you encounter difficulties obtaining documents or meeting the deadline, contact the MScAC Program Office at admissions@mscac.utoronto.ca.

- ✓ International students: Apply for your study permit. Visit the [Centre for International Experience \(CIE\)](#) for assistance.
- ✓ [Activate your UTORid, U of T email account, and TCard.](#)
- ✓ [Update ACORN](#) with your new contact information.
- ✓ Apply for [Graduate Student Housing](#) or arrange [Off-Campus Housing](#).
- ✓ Attend MScAC cohort meetings and sign up for the cohort networking platform.

JUNE

- ✓ Download and read the MScAC [2026–27 Student Handbook](#).
- ✓ Compile and submit your study plan.
- ✓ Attend MScAC cohort meetings and networking activities.
- ✓ Optional: Prepare your Teaching Assistantship (TAship) application.

JULY

- ✓ Registration opens — pay or defer your tuition fees on [ACORN](#).
- ✓ Course Enrolment (more details to come).
- ✓ Attend MScAC cohort meetings and networking activities.
- ✓ Refresher Training.

AUGUST

- ✓ Course Enrolment (more details to come).
 - ✓ [Update ACORN](#) with your new contact information.
 - ✓ Orientation.
 - ✓ CSC2701H Communication for Computer Scientists begins.
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