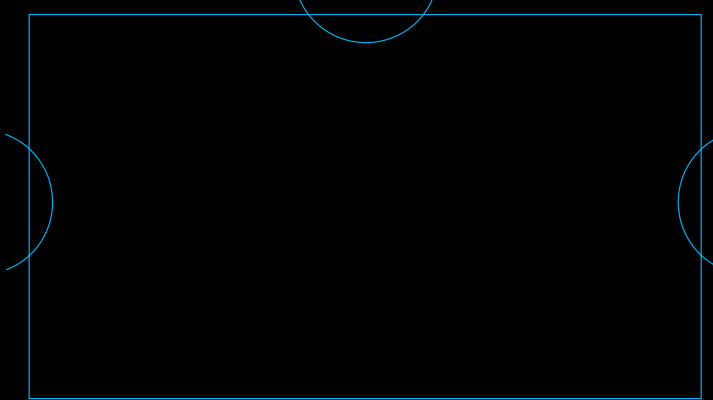


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Institute for Quantum Computing builds the world's largest quantum computing device

Ranked No. 1 in reputation for innovation, leaders of tomorrow, and best overall university in Canada (*Maclean's*)

"Creator owns it" intellectual property policy

Building the future of digital technology: the Stratford Institute and Canada 3.0

Student-built Midnight Sun VII holds Guinness World Record for longest journey by a solar vehicle

Leader in water research: Home to the Canadian Water Network

Created the Online Oxford English Dictionary

Waterloo is home to Canada's only English-language optometry school.

## Founding university, Engineers Without Borders

No. 1 comprehensive research university in Canada (*Research Infosome* rankings, Canada's top research universities)

Canada's only co-op pharmacy school

Waterloo student Mike Lazaridis invents BlackBerry, founds RIM

Gates donation expands the Centre for Excellence in Mathematics and Computing into developing countries

Pioneers in computing technology: the WATFOR compiler

Created world's first multi-point theatre performance

Top-ranked business program (environment and business) in Canada for sustainability (Corporate Knights)

Engineering life-saving solutions: the Waterloo Pump

Propel Centre leads collaborative research into preventing disease

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