Attending the University of Waterloo was a transformational experience for me, taking me from a naive undergraduate to the leading edge of computing research, and providing the basis for my career.

I am delighted to be in a position to give back to Waterloo and am excited by what my gift may enable, building on Waterloo’s strong faculty, students and reputation. Education is the best investment one can make, as I thankfully figured out early on.

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WATERLOO MATHEMATICS
Math 3 Naming Opportunities

The University of Waterloo has completed construction of Math 3 as part of our math capital expansion and renewal campaign. Our signature new space is a 90,000-square foot light-infused learning and research centre. This attractive and functional new building offers you, our alumni, friends and industry partners, an opportunity to showcase your commitment to mathematics education and research. By naming a space within the building, you will make a high-profile statement about the importance of Waterloo mathematics while supporting Canada’s next generation of global business, finance and mathematics leaders. Each day, thousands of students and faculty will see your named space, which will reflect your vision and generosity to the faculty and the university.

By naming a space in the Math 3 building, you will:

- receive high profile within the Waterloo community, including our impressive researchers and bright students and graduates
- have a customized recognition plan created
- receive invitations to faculty and campus events of interest
- become a valued member of the 1957 Society which offers priority communications and events hosted by the university
- be updated on areas of identified interests, such as research developments and visiting lectures
- leave a lasting legacy for the future generation of scholars
- help build the next chapter in our history, to offer modern facilities reflective of the high-calibre of our talented researchers, faculty and students.

Every major gift to Waterloo Mathematics will help us cultivate the best learning environment for our students, facilitate innovative and important research, and elevate our position as the preeminent destination for mathematics and computer science study and research.
Naming opportunities

There are several prestigious naming opportunities available to individuals or corporations who would like to become an enduring part of Waterloo Mathematics.

MATH 3 BUILDING » $10 million
This beautifully designed, four-storey building houses Waterloo’s Department of Statistics and Actuarial Science, the highly respected Math and Business programs and a new professional master’s program in actuarial science. It serves 5,000 students each day and is an inspiring, professional environment reflective of the quality of our faculty and students.

LECTURE THEATRE » $2 million
This 392-seat, super-powered classroom is available to the entire campus. The lecture theatre has three large screens at the front, with four auxiliary screens throughout, to ensure excellent visibility. This is the largest lecture theatre on campus and each seat is hardwired with power and data plugs.

BRIDGE » $1 million
This 50.5 metre glass bridge connects Math 3 to the Davis Centre and the Math and Computer building, keeping all three Waterloo Mathematics facilities accessible indoors. The third-floor bridge facilitates interdisciplinary collaboration between researchers and students in different departments. It is also a main entry point for many of the 5,000 students who access the building each day.

FINANCE LAB » $500,000*
The Waterloo Finance Lab will be an interactive learning centre offering access to real-time data and industry tools that will elevate training from facts and figures to hands-on, experiential learning. With state-of-the-art computer hardware, software, terminals and stock tickers, this lab will be the lively hub of our dynamic learning environment. With state-of-the-art computer hardware, software, terminals and stock tickers, this lab will be the lively hub of our dynamic learning environment.

STUDENT STUDY SPACE » $500,000
This 1,200 square-foot study space with large, north-facing windows provides comfortable seating and tables for individual and collaborative study. It is the home base for our ambitious, career-focused students and is open 24-hours a day to accommodate all student study schedules.

PATIO TERRACE » $500,000
This outdoor space faces the Student Life Centre, and offers a pleasant seating area surrounded by natural landscaping and native plants. It is an appealing gathering place for all of Waterloo’s faculty, staff and students.

PROFESSIONAL PROGRAM CLASSROOMS » $300,000
Three, fully-interactive classrooms, two with 30 seats and one with 40, provide our students with a dynamic learning environment. One classroom is for the exclusive use of the Master’s of Actuarial Science students who will take every class in this room. There are two professional classrooms on the second floor and one on the third floor.

SEMINAR ROOM » $200,000
This 1,250 square-foot room is used for intensive discussions and learning, including seminars and thesis defences. It is fully equipped with video-conferencing equipment to allow for global research collaboration and to provide our graduate students with a top-quality learning environment.

QUIET STUDY SPACE » $150,000
This 400 square-foot, enclosed study space is designed for quiet and reflective individual study. With our rigorous and competitive curriculum, quiet study space is vital for students to concentrate on projects and prepare for exams, including those to qualify for professional designations, such as the Society of Actuaries.

CONFERENCE ROOM » $100,000
Fully equipped conference rooms have the latest in communication technology and are used as meeting space for students and their advisors, and for interactive meetings and presentations. These three conference rooms host meetings and video-conferencing seminars, and give students the space to share ideas, ask questions and foster collaboration.

STUDENT CLUB OFFICES » $100,000
These six student club offices, at 120 square feet each, are dedicated to student-led initiatives. They provide a home base for affiliated student groups, acting as a meeting space and resource for members. Student clubs build important networks amongst themselves and are very active in the life of the faculty.

Math 3 is designed to become an incubator of ideas. It offers attractive and functional space for our dynamic students and leading researchers, supporting enterprising partnerships in learning, research and discovery. By naming a space within Math 3, or naming the building itself, you will make a direct investment in Canada’s future innovation.

*This represents a 10-year naming opportunity