

### Degree Certificates/Parchments – ARUCC survey results

Institution	Watermark/security	Acceptance of degree outside NA	Use of Baccalaureate	Changes as a result of rebranding	Inclusion of majors/minors
Acadia	no	no	Bachelor	Changes being considered	Majors included
Alberta	Seal is embossed in gold foil	no		n/a	Majors/minors/ areas of concentration at request of the Faculty (3 of 15 have requested)
U British Columbia	Watermark on the back; microprint on reverse; watermark on front visible under black/UV light	no	Bachelor, Master	Rebrand yes, no change to certificate	varies
Brock	No but under consideration	no	Bachelor	no	Include majors and concentrations
Douglas	College seal and credentials are numbered on the back	no	Bachelor	n/a	no
Guelph	no	no	both	no	Majors for honours only; done after the fact on an enhanced parchment (fee)

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Kings	no	no	Bachelor	no	Majors only
Kwantlen	No; goal seal	no	yes	Rebrand yes; changes to parchment no	yes
Lakehead	no	no	No -Bachelor	Recently rebranded but no change to certificate	Major on 4 year degrees only
Laurentian	No; special order paper	no	Bachelor	Rebranded yes; no changes to parchment	Yes
McMaster	No; special security seal is available	no	Bachelor	Rebranded no; changes: format, size, font, position of signatures and location of crest; removed McMaster tartan	no
Mt. Saint Vincent	no	No but will add seal on request	Bachelor	no	No, but increasing pressure to do so
Moncton	no	no	Yes Bachelor	Under consideration	Majors only
New Brunswick	No; attach a specially embossed foil seal	No; use a certified (signed and embossed) copy	Text is in Latin; do provide English translation and use Bachelor	Rebranded yes; changes to parchment no	No
Nipissing	No; has an embossed seal	no	Bachelor	Revised paper to reduce number of colours	Majors
Ottawa	no	no	Baccalaureate as well as Bachelor	no	Yes as of 2006 FA

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Regina	bo	no	yes	Rebrand yes; changes to parchment no	Majors and areas of concentration; not minors
SIAST	no	no	n/a	Format approved by marketing dept	Yes
St. Francis Xavier	No; has a gold embossed seal	Latin text; has caused some problems	Bachelor, Masters	no	No
Simon Fraser	no	No; have a full colour crest and colored embossed seal	Bachelor	Not yet; parchment would be one of the last things to be considered	No
Trent	no	Complaints from international students	Bachelor, Masters	Under consideration	no
UC Fraser Valley	no	no	Bachelor	Rebranded yes, but no charges to parchment	Majors
Waterloo	No; embossed seal	no	Bachelor	n/a	yes
Western	no	no	yes	no	Majors, areas of concentration
Wilfrid Laurier	No				
Windsor	no	none	Bachelor	no	Majors only
Winnipeg	No; does have a gold seal	no	Bachelor	n/a	No except joint degrees which indicate major

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York	No; seals are embossed directly onto the paper	No; 'certified copies' of the diploma are available upon request	Bachelor; grad students have the choice of Magisteriate or master and Doctorate or Doctor	Changed from Old English typeface to modern one; name and degree printed in red ink; print on white paper instead of beige	Never

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