

UNB Office of Experiential Education

Applied Research

Applied research opportunities involve research conducted by a student with guidance from faculty in an academic, industry or community setting. Research may be conducted independently or as a course project.

Course-based experiential learning allows students to apply their learning to real world problems and situations. Since 2018, over 9000 UNB students have participated in course-based experiential learning opportunities.

Exceptional learning experiences offer more than just a degree

Experiential education opportunities, like applied research, help students to create knowledge while reflecting on experiences.

Applied research success stories:

- Mackenzie Smith was a part of a group of students in The Nature of History (HIST5901), taught by Dr. Cindy Brown, who completed an oral history project gathering testimony looking into the challenges and impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Aya Benotmane, an engineering student working through Pathways to Professions, completed an examination of tourism expansion in New Brunswick as part of the BoostNB initiative to measure whether the province is on its way to reaching its economic goals.

Applied research is available through:

- Faculty of Arts (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Arts (Saint John)
- Faculty of Business (Saint John)
- Faculty of Computer Science (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Education (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Engineering (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Forestry & Environmental Management (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Kinesiology (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Management (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Nursing (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Science (Fredericton)
- Faculty of Science (Saint John)
- Faculty of Science, Applied Science, & Engineering (Saint John)
- Renaissance College (Fredericton)

Funding is available to help you engage one of UNB's talented students in an internship. Contact us to learn more: <u>experiential@unb.ca</u>

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