

Canadian Association of Graduate Studies (CAGS) Position Paper Regarding Agency Placement of International Students in Canadian Graduate Schools

1. Canadian graduate schools require that applications for admission be routed case by case via graduate deans or their designated representatives.
2. Original documents are required for decision regarding admission.
3. A TOEFL score meeting the normal minimum standard for the institution is required for admission unless a specific substitute (MELAB, IELTS) has been approved in advance.
4. Fees, if any, for processing of application should be directed to the graduate school.
5. CAGS/ACDEA considers streaming of blocks of applications to particular universities that have been pre-elected by agencies as inimical to its interests.

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