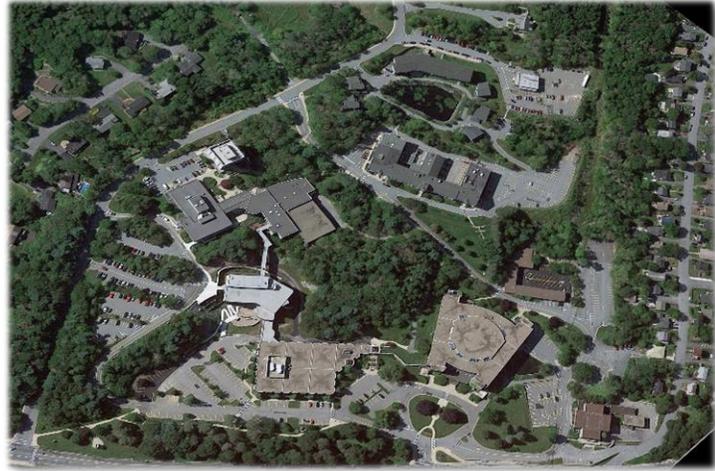


## **MOUNT SAINT VINCENT UNIVERSITY**

The campus is nestled atop one of the most beautiful and lush areas of the city, overlooking the picturesque Bedford Basin (the innermost part of Halifax Harbour, the world's second largest natural harbour). The campus boasts walking trails and duck ponds, and is only minutes away from downtown Halifax, the region's most exciting city. It's the best of both worlds – a park-like setting within a bustling capital city.



The University sits on a 38.5 acre site and comprises 20 campus buildings. A brief description of the primary structures is included below:

### **Evaristus Hall - (Civic-145 College Road) 120,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

The years 1944 through 1954 saw many significant changes in the college, particularly in its physical plant. A fire in January of 1951 completely destroyed the original Mount: Motherhouse, novitiate, academy and college. Fortunately, a new building had been started in 1949 and was ready by the fall of 1951. This building, now called Evaristus Hall, constructed of blue stone masonry, served as the only residence, administrative and academic building until 1966. In 2010 the center wing was totally renovated to provide state of the art laboratories and new student spaces.

Currently, the building houses the offices of the President, Vice-President (Administration), Vice-President (Academic), Financial Services, Registrar, Admissions, Public Affairs, Research, International, Enrolment Management, and Student Affairs. In addition, there are academic departments, faculty offices, research labs and classrooms.

### **Assisi Hall - (Civic-85 Seton Road) 43,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 1966, Assisi Hall, a pre-cast concrete, 12 storey, 144 student residence, was built. The Health and Security offices were later moved into this building.

### **Rosaria Hall - (Civic-131 Lumpkin Road) 31,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

Also, in 1966, Rosaria Hall, constructed of blue stone masonry, was opened with various academic and administrative units, and included the Students' Union, cafeteria and student lounge/pub.

### **Rosaria Student Center - (Civic-131 Lumpkin Road) 60,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 1980, Rosaria Student Centre, a pre-cast concrete building with embedded blue chipped stone, was added and housed Athletics, Conference, Bookstore and, subsequently, Facilities Management. Both Rosaria Hall and Rosaria Student Centre had major renovations in 1990 and 1995, during which the cafeteria was modernized. A major renovation was completed to the dining hall in August 2011.

### **Seton Academic Centre - (Civic-166 Bedford Highway) 145,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

Seton Academic Centre, constructed of cast-in-place concrete, was built in 1971, housing faculty offices, classrooms, IT&S and language labs, auditorium, Art Gallery, and Seton Café. This is the largest Academic Building on the campus.

### **The Birches (5) - (Civic-7, 9, 33, 39, 45 Residence Walk) 24,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 1972, the five Birches, wood-frame construction, 100 student residence, were built in a wooded area around St. Joseph's Pond, and a major renovation to these buildings completed in 2005.

### **Seton Annex - (Civic-95 College Road) 16,500 ft<sup>2</sup>**

Seton Annex, a building built in 1974, with additions in 1976 and 1982, housing the Maintenance Shop, Child Study Centre, and in 2016 a renovation to include the International Education Centre was completed.

### **The Meadows - (Civic-175 Seton Road) 7,200 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 1987, "The Meadows" was built to serve both as the President's residence and as a facility for hosting university functions.

### **E. Margaret Fulton Communications Centre - (Civic-15 Lumpkin Road) 65,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 1989, the E. Margaret Fulton Communications Centre, pre-cast concrete, was completed, linking Seton Academic Centre by a wide, enclosed walkway, lined with windows, seating and tables. This "link" is a multi-purpose space, equally suited to social gathering, reading and studying. The building was designed to integrate learning and technology through the Library, Information Technology & Services centre, Distance Learning & Continuing Education facility, and Media/Audio Visual Services.

### **The Art Landry Central Heating Plant – (Civic-163 Seton Road) 3,700 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 1995, the Art Landry Central Heating Plant, poured-in-place concrete, was built. On February 27, 1996, J. James Kinley, Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia, awarded Sperry & Partners Architects and Mount Saint Vincent University the Lieutenant Governor's Award for Architecture.

### **Westwood – (Civic-161 Seton Road) 53,100 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 2003, the five-storey Westwood residence, a concrete and stone building, housing 158 students was added to the residence complex surrounding St. Joseph's Pond.

### **#46 Melody Drive – (Civic-46 Melody Drive) 2,752 ft<sup>2</sup>**

The University purchased this property in 2005. The space was renovated and is currently occupied by researchers.

### **Advancement House - (Civic- 8 Melody Drive) 5,006 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 2008, the University acquired this property on Melody Drive. The property was renovated in 2008 and is now the location of the department of University Advancement.

### **47 College Road - (Civic-47 College Road) 18,283 ft<sup>2</sup>**

In 2008, the University acquired this property on College Road. The property had two major renovations during its lifespan on campus. In 2009 the lower level was renovated to create research space for Applied Human Nutrition department. In 2018 a further major renovation converted the upper level into a shared level 2 containment space with Applied Human Nutrition and Chemistry.

### **McCain Centre – (Civic-51 Lumpkin Road) 49,000 ft<sup>2</sup>**

The first new academic building in 40 years, the McCain Centre will provide Mount students with a learning environment that is contemporary and interactive. Designed for collaboration and the use of technology, it is equipped with learning and instructional spaces to enable Mount faculty to adapt instructional methods to suit students and disciplines, and not be confined by the limitations of traditional classrooms.

An exciting feature of the McCain Centre is the connection it provides between the upper and lower campuses of the University. The West Link connects the McCain Centre with the E. Margaret Fulton Communication Centre. The Student Legacy Lane links from the fourth floor of the McCain Centre and allows for direct access to the Rosaria Student Centre.