

# HUB INSIGHTS

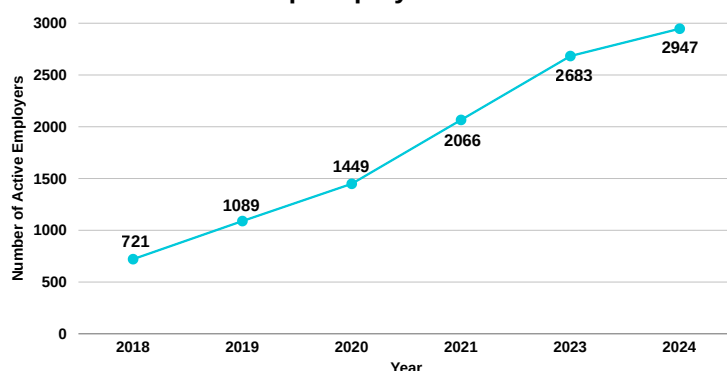
## For Ted Rogers Faculty & Staff

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### Celebrating Our Top Co-op Employers

As student participation in the Co-op program has grown, our network of employer partners has expanded alongside it. Since 2018, the number of active employer partners has increased fourfold, with nearly 3,000 organizations posting co-op opportunities for students.

#### Growth of Active Co-op Employers






With growth in employer engagement comes a responsibility to recognize the important role they play in supporting and mentoring students while on work term. This marks the 2nd year of our *Top Co-op Employer Awards*, in which we celebrate employers who have demonstrated exemplary commitment to our students' success. In 2025, we are excited to recognize 36 employer partners.

#### What Makes a Top Co-op Employer?



This year's [Top Co-op Employers](#) were recognized across three award categories, reflecting diverse ways in which organizations support and empower our students.

-  **Top Employer by Industry:** Recognizes the leading employer for each industry sector, based on the number of students hired.
-  **Highest-Rated:** Recognizes employers who are among the highest rated by students.
-  **Emerging Employer:** Recognizes new organizations that are hiring our students and their overall engagement on campus.

## Our Employer Partners Are Changing Student Lives

The following stories showcase how this year's winning organizations created impactful, confidence-building Co-op experiences for our students.



**SYMCOR**



**"SYMCOR INC. OFFERS A HIGHLY WELCOMING AND INCLUSIVE ENVIRONMENT THAT ENCOURAGES STUDENTS TO DEMONSTRATE THEIR STRENGTHS."**

Muizz, Business Technology Management Co-op Student



**KPMG**



**"LEARNING FROM THESE PASSIONATE INDIVIDUALS HAS PROFOUNDLY INSPIRED ME TO CONTINUE MY CPA JOURNEY."**

Jeline, Accounting Co-op Student



**Celestica™**



**"CELESTICA PROVIDED AN ENVIRONMENT WHERE I COULD TAKE OWNERSHIP."**

Lena, Economics & Management Science Co-op Student



**BCG**



**"THEY HELPED ME BUILD CLARITY AND CONFIDENCE IN MY CAREER PATH."**

Bavisha, Human Resources Management Co-op Student



A detailed listing of all 2025 award winners and previous award winners is available on our [website](#).

### Wish to Learn More

If you are interested in learning more about our Corporate Partnership strategy, please feel free to reach out to directly to myself, Donna Muirhead at [dmuirhead@torontomu.ca](mailto:dmuirhead@torontomu.ca) or Jessica Kudlats, Director, Business Development & Program Engagement at [jessica.kudlats@torontomu.ca](mailto:jessica.kudlats@torontomu.ca).