The **Master of Earth and Energy Resources Leadership** (MEERL) is training future leaders in the mineral and energy sectors. Through part-time delivery and purpose-built courses accessed online, students can continue working from anywhere in the world and join us in Canada for the in-person sessions.

### About the Program

Through MEERL, you’ll learn how to lead in the increasing complexities associated with developing and producing natural resources today and into the future.

**Learn to see the BIG picture:**
- Take a broad and interdisciplinary approach to the industry with core courses in natural resources life cycle, business strategy, economics, law and policy, stakeholder engagement, and innovation and technology.
- Understand the resource sector from a national and global perspective.

**Learn to make confident decisions:**
- Learn skills to synthesize information and tools to guide decision making, balancing economic, environmental, and social considerations.

**Create your difference:**
- Leadership looks different for each of our students. Lead in your specialty.
- Lead the change that you want to see in the resource industry.

### Program at a Glance

**Designed for the mining and oil and gas industries, taking an interdisciplinary approach**

**Delivery**
- Part-time, 20 months
- Primarily online, approx. 2 weeks of in-person sessions in Ontario and Alberta, Canada

**Content**
- 10 courses (7 core and 3 elective courses)
- Field trips, case studies, networking events, and guest lectures from industry professionals

**Apply Now**
- Start: September
- Application deadline: June 1st

**Fees** (as of 2018-2019 calendar year):
- Domestic students approx. $31,000
- International students approx. $46,500

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Why MEERL?
MEERL will distinguish you from your colleagues and give you the boost to the next stage of your career. This program is built for early to mid-career professionals and recent graduates. As a part-time program, you can immediately apply what you are learning to your career. You can personalize your degree by selecting electives and completing projects on topics of interest.

MEERL is taught by interdisciplinary teaching staff from across Queen’s University Campus (Arts and Science, Engineering and Applied Science, Smith School of Business, Law, and School of Policy Studies) and industry experts (consultants and business owners). The program combines challenges related to the mineral and energy sectors, allowing you to learn from parallel industries and each other.

“A focused MBA for the resource sector” – MEERL Student

The Online Advantage
Online learning offers a flexible approach to complete a degree while balancing your busy work and personal life.

• Courses are designed to fit your lifestyle with course materials being available 24/7 through our online platform.
• Course content is paired with live webinars, discussion forums, and individual conversations with professors to create an interactive learning environment.
• Assessments include individual and team projects, live negotiation activities, town hall debates, presentations, quizzes, and exams; all of which can be completed from your home.

The In-Person Sessions
There are currently two residential sessions.

• The first session is held at the start of the program (September) over 5 days at Queen’s University in Kingston, Ontario. Get to know your professors and students before starting online courses and take leadership workshops.
• The second session is held mid-way through the program (summer) over 8 days in Calgary, Alberta. Complete one of your core courses in just a week.
• There is an optional 8-day field trip course where students visit sites in Western Canada.

“Bit of a shocker to get so much out of program right off” – MEERL Student

Want to Apply?
To be eligible for this program you need:

• A minimum 4 year Bachelor’s degree from a recognized university or equivalent, with a minimum B standing in the last 2 years of the program.

Previous degree(s) can be from a wide range of disciplines encompassing science, engineering, business, economics, commerce, law, policy, and communications.

Go to our website to learn how to apply: queensu.ca/earthenergyleadership/admissions-fees

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