Areas through the Chemistry Department. Scholarships Graduate Studies’ information on federal government tri-council awards. Issue a $5,000 top-up to Masters winners and other sources. Queen’s will automatically award scholarships and awards, which allow funding of $23,000 per year. Many students are encouraged to identify an area of interest in graduate work and related careers in:

- Research chemist
- Research engineer
- Scientist
- Technical leader
- ICP Analyst
- Professor

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M.Sc. Career Outcomes in the Physical Sciences

- Government, Nonprofit, Community, Public Service 23%
- Faculty, Teaching, Research 49%
- Business & Entrepreneur 28%

A Master’s degree in Chemistry can take your career in many directions. Many of our MSc students choose to continue their academic inquiry with a PhD. Master’s students are equipped with a strong foundation for careers in:

- Physical
- Theoretical/Computational
- Analytical/Environmental
- Biological
- Materials
- Organic

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Why Kingston?

Described by students as both “quiet” and “eclectic,” Kingston is big enough to provide all the conveniences of modern life, and small enough for students, staff and faculty to feel instantly comfortable and at home. Queen’s is an integral part of the Kingston community, with the campus nestled in the core of the city; only a 10-minute walk to downtown with its shopping, dining and waterfront. For more about Kingston’s history and culture, see Queen’s University’s Discover Kingston page.

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A degree from Queen’s Department of Chemistry is highly regarded and an important consideration in today’s competitive science and technology job market. Our new $56 million state of the art building is home to the Nuclear Magnetic Resonance facility and its eight high field instruments, an on-site Mass Spec facility with four mass spectrometers, an X-ray diffractometer, a CFI-funded facility for materials characterization and more unique equipment in faculty labs.

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Chemistry M.Sc. Map Navigating Graduate Studies and Beyond

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