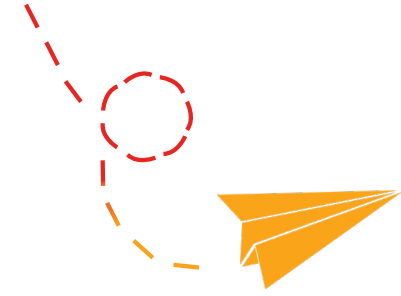
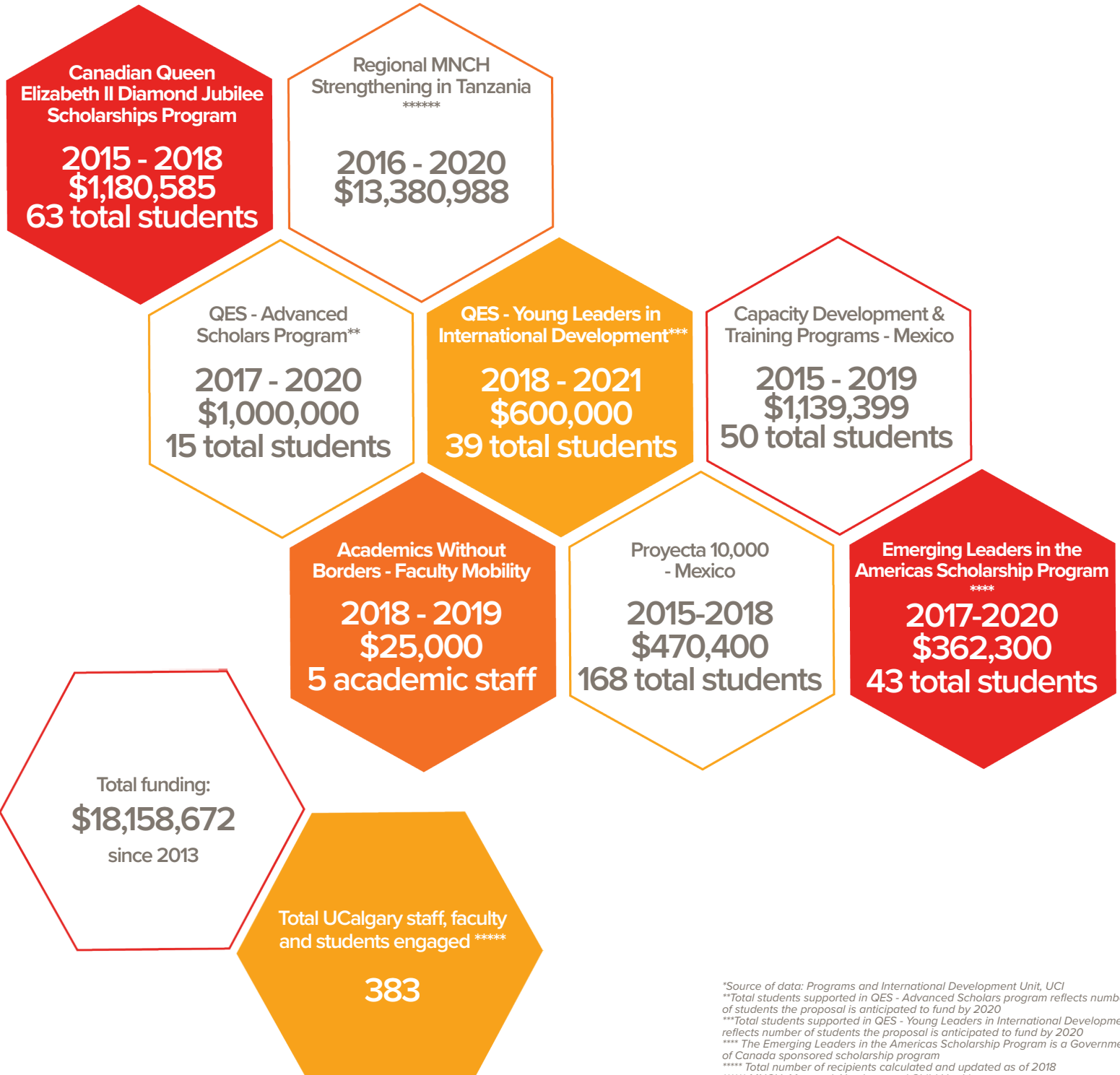


GOAL #4: ENGAGE IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Leverage UCalgary expertise



UCalgary international development projects supported for 2017/2018*



*Source of data: Programs and International Development Unit, UCI
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 ***Total students supported in QES - Young Leaders in International Development reflects number of students the proposal is anticipated to fund by 2020
 **** The Emerging Leaders in the Americas Scholarship Program is a Government of Canada sponsored scholarship program
 ***** Total number of recipients calculated and updated as of 2018
 ***** MNCH: Maternal, Newborn and Child Health

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-JANICA ECHAVEZ, QES SCHOLAR 2018

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YOUNG LEADERS IN INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT: **QUEEN ELIZABETH SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

The Canadian Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Scholarships program (QES)*, funded by Universities Canada, was created to improve global talent exchange between Canada and other nations. The program aims to develop the next generation of innovative leaders and community builders by providing enriched academic, professional and cross-cultural experiences and by facilitating lasting local and global community engagement.

The QES program represents a set of projects under “Young Leaders for International Development” projects, which focus on creating opportunities for students from UCalgary and partner universities, to directly engage in international development initiatives with institutional partners in low and middle income countries. Through international internships, scholarships, capacity building, and leadership development, the program develops knowledge and key work related skills in international development, ultimately strengthening a global community of young leaders.

More than 60 UCalgary scholars have contributed to multisectoral development efforts in Ethiopia, India, Kenya, Tanzania, and Uganda. In addition, graduate students and researchers from Bangladesh, Ethiopia, India, Ghana, Kenya, Pakistan, Sri Lanka, Tanzania, and Sudan have been able to increase their expertise in biological, computer, engineering, environmental, health, quantum, and veterinary sciences as well as in anthropology and archaeology studies. Their academic supervision and mentorship on campus have strengthened institutional collaboration aimed at finding sustainable solutions to most complex global development challenges.



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