

Table 12 gives median salaries, by rank and region, for the staffs of 17 major institutions for 1964-65.

12.—Median Salaries of Teachers at 17 Universities, Academic Year 1964-65

NOTE.—Institutions include: *West*—Universities of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia; *Central*—Bishop's, McGill, Queen's, Toronto, Victoria, Trinity, McMaster, Western Ontario; *Atlantic*—Acadia, Dalhousie, St. Francis Xavier, Mount Allison, New Brunswick.

Rank	Region				Staff Com- plement
	Atlantic Provinces	Central Provinces	Western Provinces	Total	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	No.
Deans.....	14,000	18,313	17,393	17,361	129
Professors.....	11,662	14,416	14,206	14,163	1,299
Associate professors.....	9,234	10,520	10,906	10,634	1,683
Assistant professors.....	7,617	8,429	8,479	8,390	2,006
Instructors and lecturers.....	6,284	6,784	6,823	6,747	1,131
Totals, All Ranks.....	8,419	9,959	9,766	9,668	6,274¹

¹ Includes 26 ungraded professors not distributed above.

Finances.—Table 13 gives a ten-year series of the finances of Canadian universities. Since 1954 they have received more than one half of their revenue from government grants and a very small amount from municipal councils. Beginning with the academic year 1951-52, the Federal Government has provided university grants to help meet current operating costs. These grants were originally paid on the basis of 50 cents per head of population in each province and the eligible institutions received their share of the provincial allotment according to the number of full-time students in undergraduate and graduate courses. The rate of grant was increased to \$1.00 per capita in 1956-57, to \$1.50 in 1958-59 and to \$2.00 in 1962-63. The Province of Quebec did not accept this grant for the years up to 1955-56. From 1956-57 to 1959-60 the payments refused by Quebec were held in trust by the Canadian Universities Foundation,* which administers the fund. In 1960-61 the Quebec Government and the Federal Government negotiated a new tax-sharing agreement under which Quebec provides its own grants and is reimbursed by an abatement of corporation tax. Table 14 gives details of the federal grants for each of the academic years ended 1963-65.

The Federal Government also provides assistance to universities through the University Capital Grants Fund which is administered by the Canada Council. The original amount in the fund was \$50,000,000 (interest and profits to Mar. 31, 1964 increased it to over \$65,000,000), to be granted in amounts not exceeding 50 p.c. of specific building or capital equipment projects, having regard to the population of each province. Up to the end of March 1964, a total of over \$54,000,000 had been authorized. Grants are paid in four equal instalments spread over the period of construction so that there is a time lag between approval and payment.

The Canada Council was also endowed with an additional \$50,000,000 (raised by \$10,000,000 Apr. 3, 1965), the interest on which is available for the provision of scholarships or other assistance in the fields of the arts, humanities and social sciences (see also pp. 382-383).

*On Aug. 1, 1965 the Canadian Universities Foundation became the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.