

McGill University – McGill Robotics – Community & Outreach – RoboSub 2026

At McGill Robotics, two core mantras guide everything we do. The first, "Team Before Machine," reflects our commitment to community within the team. We regularly host bonding events — board game nights, laser tag, movie nights — to strengthen cohesion and morale. The second is our broader mission: to inspire students to build robots, and to build robots that inspire students. As an organization, we strive to advance robotics while fostering a culture grounded in sustainability, collaboration, and education.

This year, McGill Robotics organized an invitational bringing together all AUV teams in Quebec, with participants from Université de Sherbrooke, École de Technologie Supérieure, and Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières. Held at the McGill Memorial Pool, the event was a valuable opportunity to share knowledge and benchmark progress at a pivotal point in the development cycle.

Beyond the pool, our team participated in the Salon Découverte Aéro at the Cosmodome in Quebec, Laval, engaging with high school students curious about robotics and connecting with companies and teams across the province. We also welcomed a Marianopolis College robotics team to our workshop, presenting our projects and offering design guidance for their own robot. Additionally, in collaboration with other McGill design teams, we co-hosted a networking event giving our members the chance to explore internship opportunities and build industry relationships.

Together, these initiatives reflect our dual commitment to building a close-knit team and making a meaningful impact in our broader community. Further details on our outreach activities can be found on our website.

