

Sponsorship plan 2025 - 2026

#### Management Note

Created in 1993 by a mechanical engineering student, the GAUL (Groupe Aérospatial de l'Université Laval) is made up of passionate students from the faculty of science and engineering at Laval University. Students involved in the project are expected to design and manufacture high-powered rockets and observation instruments such as telescopes.

The GAUL offers its members the opportunity to apply the knowledge they've acquired during their academic career while developing essential engineering and research skills such as team spirit, problem solving and project management. To achieve our goals, the support of sponsors is essential. That's why we are seeking your financial, material, and/or mentoring support. For the students involved in the project, the partners are not just a logo on a website, a rocket, or a banner, but rather a close career perspective and a connection to the companies that support us.

This document is only an introduction to each of our projects as it is impossible for us to present them all in detail while maintaining a light sponsorship plan. We invite you to contact us if you have any questions, and we will be happy to answer you as soon as possible.

On behalf of the GAUL, we thank you for your time and hope that you are interested in our projects and that we will have the privilege of receiving your support.







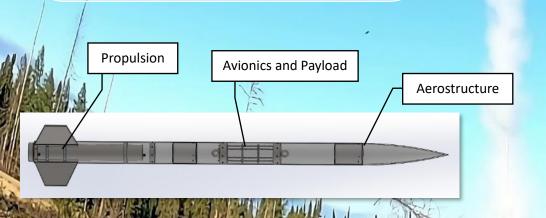




The rocket division is probably the largest division of the GAUL, it aims to conceptualize and build a highpower rocket that meets the different criteria of the competitions we participate. In the past, the GAUL has competed at the Spaceport America Cup in New Mexico and Launch Canada in northern Ontario.

The GAUL is currently designing three rockets with different objectives. Two rockets to develop our high-altitude flying skills, and a liquid motor rocket to develop a new engine design. To achieve our goals, the rocket division is divided into four groups: aerostructure, propulsion, payload, and avionics.

The GAUL is also fortunate to be a regular guest at various exhibitions, conferences and events related to aerospace where we can discuss and present our projects.

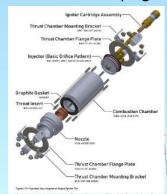


## Past competitions



#### 2025-2026 **Projects**

After an evaluation and design phase, the GAUL is ready to start manufacturing and testing a liquid-propelled engine for the 2025-2026 campaign. Based on the model and the Half-cat



engine, the GAUL aims to gain experience in liquid engines. The ultimate goal for this year is to launch a liquid-powered rocket in the international Far-Out 2026 competition. The next step will be to design a more powerful and successful engine.

Furthermore, the GAUL team is preparing to compete in both the IREC and Launch Canada competitions, with the goal of surpassing the current Canadian amateur rocketry altitude record by reaching at least 100,000 feet.

### Be part of the team!

It would be impossible for us to achieve our ambitious projects without the help of our indispensable partners, and we thank you for considering supporting us. In return, we will make sure that your logo is visible during the appearances of the Aerospace Group at several activities, such as, open days and student projects day. Your company logo will be on our publications, merchandise, and projects themselves, depending on your level of support. Each class is entitled to the privileges of classes lower than its own.

Certainly, financial assistance is very helpful to us, but material assistance or sharing expertise is just as useful and we are open to various types of partnerships other than those mentioned below to give your organization the best visibility possible.

#### PARTNERSHIP CLASSES

#### Intergalactic - 5000\$ and up

- Your company's logo and a short description featured on a promotional poster during national and international appearances
- Mention of your company during presentations
- Your logo featured on competition publications

#### <u>Interstellar - 2500\$ to 4999\$</u>

- Your company's logo and a short description featured on a promotional poster during provincial appearances
- Dedicated social media post highlighting your company

#### Interplanetary - 500\$ to 2499\$

- Invitation to our networking events
- Your logo featured on the rocket
- Your logo featured during our group's promotional events

#### Earth orbit - 499\$ and less

- Your logo featured on our group's website
- Your logo featured on our team's competition clothing



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#### Strengthening partnerships for the GAUL's 2025-2026 campaign

For the 2025-2026 campaign, the GAUL wishes to strengthen its relations with its partners. Since the project depends to a large extent on your contributions, it is essential for us to maintain and improve these links. That's why we've revised our visibility plan to better meet this objective.

#### **Networking with passionate students**

Two years ago, the GAUL celebrated its 30th anniversary with a special event. We invited current and former GAUL members as well as our sponsors. We aim to renew this event as a networking activity. This event will allow our partners to meet our members and their guests in person at Laval University, providing an excellent opportunity to discuss internships and job opportunities.

#### Visibility of your organization at national and international levels

As mentioned above, the GAUL participates in national and international competitions. In total, over 7,000 students and more than 50 companies and their representatives are participating on site. In addition, each year, these events are followed online by tens of thousands of spectators. The visibility offered by these events is, therefore, of great importance. The competition also includes a weekend of conferences where each team presents its project and partners on stage.

#### **Company visit opportunity**

If conditions permit, we would be happy to present the GAUL directly to your team either on site at your company or by teleconference. It would be a great opportunity for you to discover our rockets and projects, while introducing your company to our members.



#### Local visibility

The GAUL also participates in regional and provincial events. If your organization is more focused on local visibility, we can promote it within this framework. We participated in the unveiling of rockets at ÉTS, as well as several scientific events such as Lévisium and Astrofest.

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# THE GAUL NEEDS YOU

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