

# FINANCE

**8-MONTH  
ADVANCED  
DIPLOMA**

Hit the ground running as a licensed mutual fund representative after completing this advanced credential.

## Why should you choose an advanced diploma in Finance?

### **1** Be job ready

Industry exams are written as part of your program curriculum, and you will be licensed to sell mutual funds. Obtain credit from the Investment Funds Institute of Canada for financial planning by registering directly with the organization. Peak employers' interest with an advanced diploma that will give you the skills needed to get to work right after completing this program.

### **3** It all adds up

Learn everything from financial accounting to statistics to taxation. Develop skills in advanced financial reporting, auditing and business law. Higher-level courses enhance critical thinking skills and Indigenous-focused content provides perspective on Indigenous issues within a business context.

### **2** Pave the way

Become a go-to solution provider for clients looking for financial advice. Hone your research and analytical skills and put them to good use by matching up the right opportunities for the right clientele. Everyone wants financial freedom, and you can help your customers achieve their goals.

### **4** A global market

The finance world is global and can take you anywhere. Find opportunities in the financial services' industry as personal banking officers, lending officers (retail and agricultural), investment analysts, stockbrokers, and customer service representatives.

#### CAMPUS/DELIVERY OPTIONS



Victoria Avenue East Campus

#### AVAILABLE INTAKES



September

#### WORK PLACEMENT(S)



N/A

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates find employment in a wide range of challenging careers in large and small business in all sectors of the business community, including public accounting firms, banks, trust companies, accounting and internal auditing departments industrial firms, federal, provincial or municipal offices, school divisions, parochial schools, tribal councils, nonprofit organizations and health care institutions, and in owner-managed business/office managers.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

» Two-year diploma or university degree

English is the language of instruction at Assiniboine. All applicants educated outside of Canada or in a country not on the test exempt list are expected to meet the English language proficiency requirement. See [assiniboine.net/elp](http://assiniboine.net/elp) for more information.

## TECHNOLOGY REQUIREMENTS

Programs at Assiniboine have certain technology requirements. Students require access to computer devices at home and may be required to bring these on campus when instructed. Refer to [assiniboine.net/tech](http://assiniboine.net/tech) for more detailed information about the requirements for this program.

## UNIQUE LEARNING EXPERIENCES

- » Emphasis on practical, applied learning
- » Up-to-date, well-equipped computer laboratories using industry specific software

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To graduate with an advanced diploma in Finance, students must successfully complete 60 academic credits.

The minimum passing grade for each course is indicated on the course outline.

## CONNECTIONS

Graduates of this program can receive their mutual fund, Canadian investment funds and life license (LLQP) qualifications through the Investment Funds Institute of Canada (IFIC). Students may also earn advanced standing towards the Certified Aboriginal Financial Managers (CAFM) program through the Aboriginal Financial Officers Association (AFOA).

Assiniboine has a number of agreements with other colleges, universities and professional organizations, making it possible for students to apply credit taken at Assiniboine to programs at other institutions. For up-to-date information on agreements, visit [assiniboine.net/articulation](http://assiniboine.net/articulation) or the program page.

## PROGRAM FEES (DOMESTIC ONLY)

Tuition: **\$3,090** Course fees: **\$630**  
Students' Association fees: **\$440**  
Estimated textbooks, tools and supplies: **\$2,570**

*All fees are estimated and subject to change without notice. For international program pricing, if/when applicable, please visit [assiniboine.net](http://assiniboine.net).*

## COURSES 2022-23

NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	CREDITS
<b>REQUIRED COURSES</b>		
BUSN-0160	Canadian Investment Funds	6
BUSN-0165	Corporate Finance	6
BUSN-0170	Financial Planning	6
BUSN-0172	Life License Qualification	6
BUSN-0169	Personal Finance	6
MKTG-0065	Professional Selling	6
BUSN-0171	Taxation 1	6
<b>ELECTIVE COURSES</b>		
<i>Choose 18 credits from the following:</i>		
COMP-0598	Advanced Software	6
LAWG-0093	Business Law	6
BUSN-0166	Canadian Business and Society	6
BUSN-0176	Consumer Behaviour	6
INDG-0005	Indigenous History	6
INDG-0006	Indigenous Human / Fiscal Issues	6
MATH-0002	Statistics 1	6
MATH-0003	Statistics 2	6

*Note: Timelines, applicable industry experience, and teaching methodology will depend on program delivery choice; program information sheets subject to change without notice. Visit [assiniboine.net](http://assiniboine.net) for the most up-to-date information.*

## NEXT STEPS

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