



# 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

Fast-track your career in the Financial Services industry. Learn the technical aspects of financial planning, as well as the art of personal selling. Apply those skills and knowledge to careers in banking, investments, financial planning, or insurance.

### **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

Let your career take you anywhere in the global finance industry. Find opportunities working with clients within banks, credit unions, investment companies, and insurance agencies.

#### CAMPUS/DELIVERY OPTIONS



Victoria Avenue East Campus

#### AVAILABLE INTAKES



September

#### WORK PLACEMENT(S)



N/A

## CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates find employment working in the financial services industry working as financial advisors, investment managers and insurance representatives.

## 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

Students in this program are required to bring their own laptop for use on-campus. The laptop must meet the technical needs outlined by the program. MAC computing devices are not compatible with program software. Refer to [assiniboine.net/tech](http://assiniboine.net/tech) for detailed information.

## UNIQUE LEARNING EXPERIENCES

» Emphasis on practical, applied learning  
» Opportunities to use industry specific software  
» Interact with, and learn from, business community leaders

## 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

The college's partnerships with the Investment Funds Institute of Canada (IFIC), IFSE Institute, and the Canadian Securities Institute (CSI) will provide students with the courses that fit, or work towards, the educational requirements for industry certifications such as licensed mutual fund representative, Certified Financial Planner (CFP) and licensed life insurance agent.



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: **\$3,310** Course fees: **\$650**  
Students' Association fees: **\$450**  
Estimated textbooks, tools and supplies: **\$2,730**

*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 2023-24

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.*

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