

ACCOUNTING

8-Month
Advanced Diploma

Whether the goal is to pursue a CPA designation or enter the accounting industry directly after graduation, this program builds a strong foundation in accounting principles while also developing the strategic thinking and ethical judgment needed to advise business owners and managers on decisions that shape the future of their organizations.

PROGRAM LEARNING OUTCOMES

- ▶ Critical Thinking and Knowledge: students will be able to use core specialization knowledge in solving business problems.
- ▶ Ethical Perspective and Social Responsibility: students will be able to identify organizational activities to reduce unethical behaviour.
- ▶ Collaboration: students will be able to work effectively in diverse teams, supporting team performance to achieve organizational goals.
- ▶ Communication: students will be able to present effective business communications in a variety of formats.
- ▶ Business Strategy: students will be able to strategize to plan for changes in business.

You might be a good fit for this program if you would enjoy:

- ▶ Building upon your previous degree to work in the accounting field.
- ▶ Demonstrating a strong work ethic and attention to detail.
- ▶ Adopting an ethical and socially responsible mindset.
- ▶ Adapting to changes in business environments.
- ▶ Completing tasks and delivering results.



Campus/Delivery Options
Victoria Avenue East campus



Available Intakes
September



Work Integrated Learning
Learn by Doing

EXPECTATIONS

Program and Industry

- ▶ Have excellent written and verbal communication skills to communicate with clients, colleagues, and stakeholders effectively.
- ▶ Think analytically and critically to make informed decisions that will benefit the organization.
- ▶ Manage time effectively and prioritize tasks to meet deadlines.
- ▶ Lead teams and manage projects effectively to ensure organizational success.
- ▶ Uphold ethical and moral standards while conducting business and making decisions.
- ▶ Have a good understanding of technology and be able to utilize it in their work to streamline processes and increase efficiency.
- ▶ Possess a good understanding of financial management and be able to make financial decisions that benefit the organization.
- ▶ Have excellent customer service skills to provide quality service and maintain positive relationships with clients.
- ▶ Be adaptable and committed to ongoing learning and professional development to stay current with industry trends and best practices.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- ▶ Accounting Technician
- ▶ Bookkeeper
- ▶ Tax Analyst/Preparer
- ▶ Audit Associate
- ▶ Financial Reporting Assistant
- ▶ Cost Accounting Assistant
- ▶ Junior Budget Analyst
- ▶ Payroll Specialist
- ▶ Accounts/Financial Analyst
- ▶ Assistant Controller

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- ▶ Two-year diploma or university degree
- ▶ Entry level accounting knowledge is required. Applicants without this will be required to take ACCT-0003 Financial Accounting 1 and ACCT-0004 Financial Accounting 2 (or equivalent) prior to the start of the program.

NEXT STEPS

Confidence in the career path you choose to embark on is key, and selecting the right program for you is the first step. At Assiniboine, we offer an opportunity to explore and experience a program before applying. Choose to:

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- ▶ Explore all of our helpful services for students
- ▶ Meet current college students and instructors
- ▶ Enjoy a free lunch on us!

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