

Accounting: Post-Baccalaureate Diploma

School of Business	kpu.ca/business
Program Type	Post Baccalaureate
Credential Granted	Post Baccalaureate Diploma
Offered At	Other
Start Date(s)	September January May
Intake Type	Open intake
Format	Full-time Part-time
Instructional Cycle	Semester-based
Curriculum Effective Date	1-Sep-2017
How to Apply	www.kpu.ca/admission

DESCRIPTION

This program was recently approved by Senate and is expected to be offered starting in September of 2017. For updates, please see the School of Business website: kpu.ca/business

The Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Accounting is designed for a student that has completed a bachelor's degree and has decided to further their education by pursuing the CPA accounting designation. The program will allow students to obtain the required accounting courses to then be accepted into the accounting professional program. The program aims to provide the skill sets identified by CPA Canada as critical to achieve competency as a CPA. The program consists of fourteen courses (48 credits) that will allow students to develop strong technical skills in financial reporting, management accounting, strategy and governance, audit and assurance, finance and taxation. It will also ensure the development of the required enabling competencies of the profession: professionalism, ethical behaviour, written and oral communication, leadership, and problem solving.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

In addition to the Faculty's Admission Requirements, which consist of KPU's undergraduate English Proficiency Requirement, the following program admission requirements apply:

- successful completion of a recognized undergraduate degree in any discipline

CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

The Post Baccalaureate Diploma program requires completion of the following 48 credits of courses with a minimum grade point average of 2.5.

FULL-TIME

Semester 1

ACCT 2293	Accelerated Introductory Financial Accounting	3 credits
BUQU 1230	Business Statistics	3 credits

BUSI 2390	Business Law	3 credits
CBSY 2205	Management Information Systems	3 credits
ECON 1150	Principles of Microeconomics	3 credits

Semester 2

ACCT 5110	Intermediate Financial Accounting	4 credits
ACCT 5220	Introductory Managerial Accounting	3 credits
ACCT 5335	Taxation	4 credits
ACCT 5480	Corporate Finance	4 credits
ECON 1250	Principles of Macroeconomics	3 credits

Semester 3

ACCT 5510	Advanced Financial Accounting	4 credits
ACCT 5645	Audit and Assurance	4 credits
ACCT 5720	Advanced Managerial Accounting	3 credits
ACCT 5800	Strategy and Governance	4 credits

PART-TIME

Other self-paced options are possible; consult an Academic Advisor

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Semester 6

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Semester 7

ACCT 5720	Advanced Managerial Accounting	3 credits
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CREDENTIAL AWARDED

Upon successful completion of this program, students are eligible to receive a **Post Baccalaureate Diploma in Accounting**.