# **Business Management Co-op Diploma**





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# **Program Description**

The program will provide students with practical skills and strategies as well as specialized knowledge required to be effective leaders and managers. Students will acquire a well-rounded set of essential skills necessary to guide businesses towards meeting their strategic goals. With a focus on real-world business applications of key management concepts, students will develop broad skill sets that may be applied to management, marketing, accounting, communication and leadership.

# **Program Sequence**

\* course schedule is subject to change without notice

**INDUSTRY EXPERTS** 

Small class sizes give students opportunity for mentorship and individualized career-

focused attention by top industry leaders.

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**Highlights** 

	SEMESTER 1 (4 months)		SEME
Term 1:	2 months		
BUS101	Cross-Cultural Communication	break	
BUS107	Business Correspondence	bre	
BUS109	Workplace Preparation		BUS11
Term 2:	2 months	week	
BUS102	Interpersonal Skills for the Workplace	2	
BUS103	Marketing Essentials		
BUS105	Principles of Management		

SEMESTER 2 (5 months)

SUS113 Co-op Placement



100% guaranteed paid work experience.

# **Learning Outcomes**

Students will be able to:

- Demonstrate the communication skills required to develop constructive relationships in diverse workplaces
- Develop teamwork, interpersonal, problem solving, and leadership skills
- Write error-free business-related documents necessary to develop and maintain a career
- Demonstrate the communication skills required to develop constructive relationships in a multicultural environment

## Со-ор

The Co-op is an integral component of this program that will provide students with an opportunity to integrate academic studies with related employment experience. Students will experience real-world business practices and return to the classroom with new perspectives gained from their employment. Graduates will be able to perform multifaceted business functions such as project management, business analysis, accounting, sales, teamwork, and research to support the marketing activities of an organization.





Nearly **33%** of Co-op graduates are likely to be **HIRED** by their Co-op employer after graduation.

# SEMESTER 3 (4 months)Term 1:2 monthsBUS104Organizational BehaviourBUS114Introduction to AccountingBUS115Social Media MarketingTerm 2:2 monthsBUS116Project ManagementBUS117Leadership SkillsBUS111Capstone





<sup>2</sup> 42% of job openings in B.C. will require a college education or apprenticeship training. Source: BC 2024 Labour Market Outlook

 In North America, employment of management occupations is projected to grow 6 percent from 2014 to 2024, which will result in about 505,400 new jobs.

Source: bls.gov



# **DEVELOP CAREER SKILLS**

Co-op provides on-the-job training in high demand occupations.

# **Career Opportunities**

- Account Services Representative
- Assistant Manager
- Marketing Assistant



### GRADUATE WITH CONFIDENCE BE WORK-READY

Graduates leave prepared with the practical job-ready skills that today's employers are looking for.

- Retail Manager
- Administrative Assistant
- Human Resource Assistant

# Salary and Job Outlook

Average Salary Per Year			
Account Services Representative	\$37,518		
Retail Manager	\$40,000		
Assistant Manager	\$37,475		
Administrative Assistant	\$45,142		

#### Job Outlook in BC

Occupations	Job Openings to 2024	Median Wage Rate
Professionals in Business Management Consulting (NOC 1122)	3,400	\$28.85
Retail & Wholesale Trade Managers (NOC 0621)	27,400	\$25.20

Source: payscale.com 1 Vancouver, BC Salary

Source: BC 2024 Labour Market Outlook

# \* MANAGEMENT OCCUPATIONS is one of the major groups that half of total projected

job openings are expected to be in.

# Source: workbc.ca

#### **English Admission Requirement**

- IELTS 5.5 or
- Completion of VanWest Level 7 or EAP 300 with a final grade of 75% or above or
- VanWest English Placement Test: Level 8

#### Academic Admission Requirement

- High School Diploma (Grade 12) or
- General Education Development (GED) or
- Mature Student Status

#### **Program Length**

• 13 months (Academic Study 8 months + Co-op 5 months)

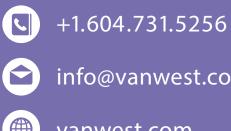
#### **Credential Upon Graduation**

• Business Management Co-op Diploma

#### Graduates will have the ability to:











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