# **Business Administration: Diploma**

School of Business	kpu.ca/business
Program Type	Undergraduate
Credential Granted	Diploma
Offered At	Langley Richmond Surrey
Start Date(s)	September January May
Intake Type	Open intake
Format	Full-time Part-time
Instructional Cycle	Semester-based
Curriculum Effective Date	01-Sep-2015
How to Apply	www.kpu.ca/admission

## DESCRIPTION

The two-year diploma in Business Administration will provide graduates with foundational business and professional skills, a solid grounding in economics, and a foundation in calculus appropriate for advanced studies and/or research in economics, finance and operations. The program is designed to give graduates a developed portfolio of job-ready skills and a wide range of business principles and concepts to expand the graduate's career options.

## **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS**

The Faculty's Admission Requirements, which consist of KPU's undergraduate English Proficiency Requirement, apply to this program.

## DECLARATION REQUIREMENTS

Students intending to graduate with this School of Business diploma must declare the credential. At the time of declaration, the student must satisfy all of the following requirements:

- · In good academic standing with the University
- Completion of a minimum of 15 credits of undergraduate coursework.

## CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS

Students must complete a minimum of 60 credits that include the following:

### **Business Foundation Courses**

#### All of:

BUSI 1215	Organizational Behaviour	3 credits
BUSI 2390	Business Law	3 credits
BUSI 2405	Operations Management	3 credits
BUSI 2425	Enterprise Development and Business Planning	3 credits
MRKT 1199	Introduction to Marketing	3 credits

#### All of Group A or all of Group B:

#### Group A

ACCT 2293	Accelerated Introductory Financial Accounting	3 credits
Group B		
ACCT 1110	Introductory Financial Accounting I	3 credits
ACCT 1210	Introductory Financial Accounting II	3 credits

Note: Students who choose Group B may allocate the 3 credits earned from ACCT 1210 to the general elective credit requirement, and they should be aware that these 6 credits might only transfer as 3 credits. Students wishing to transfer should consult the BC Transfer Guide.

#### One of:

ACCT 3320	Cost and Management Accounting I	3 credits
BUQU 3230	Applied Decision Analysis	3 credits
FNSR 3350	Securities Analysis	3 credits

#### Notes:

- 1. Students wishing to transfer should take ACCT 3320 or consult the BC Transfer Guide to determine which course to complete.
- 2. Students wishing to enrol in a KPU BBA in Accounting should take ACCT 3320.
- 3 Students wishing to enrol in a KPU BBA in ENTR, HRMT or MRKT should take one of BUQU 3230 or FSNR 3350. FSNR 3350 is recommended for students pursuing a career in the financial industry.

## **Breadth Education Courses**

#### All of:

CBSY 2205	Management Information Systems	3 credits
CMNS 1140	Introduction to Professional Communications	3 credits
ECON 1150	Principles of Microeconomics	3 credits
ECON 1250	Principles of Macroeconomics	3 credits
ECON 2350	Intermediate Microeconomics	3 credits
ENGL 1100	Introduction to University Writing	3 credits
MATH 1140*	Calculus I (Business Applications)	3 credits

Note: \*MATH 1140 may be replaced with MATH 1120 or MATH 1130, though MATH 1140 is strongly

## recommended. Students wishing to transfer should consult the BC Transfer Guide.

#### One of:

ECON 2210	Money and Banking	3 credits
ECON 2260	Environmental Economics	3 credits
ECON 2280	Labour Economics	3 credits
ECON 2255	Globalization in an Economic Framework	3 credits

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One of:		
ENGL1202	Reading and Writing about Selected Topics: An Introduction to Literature	3 credits
ENGL1204	Reading and Writing about Genre: An Introduction to Literature	3 credits
PHIL 1100	Introduction to Philosophy	3 credits
PHIL 1110	Confronting Moral Issues: Ethics	3 credits
PHIL 1145	Critical Thinking	3 credits
One of:		
BUQU 1230	Business Statistics	3 credits
CRIM 2103	Quantitative Data Analysis I	3 credits
MATH 1115	Statistics 1	3 credits
MATH 2341	Introduction to Statistics for	4 credits

# **Two Breadth Electives:**

**PSYC 2300** 

**SOCI 2365** 

Chosen from Courses numbered 1100 or	6 credits
higher in any area of study except ACCT,	
BUSI, ENTR, HRMT or MRKT.	

**Applied Statistics** 

Introduction to Social

Research Statistics

3 credits

3 credits

**Business** 

## One General Elective:

Chosen from Courses numbered 1100 or	3 credits
higher in any area of study.	

## **CREDENTIAL AWARDED**

Upon successful completion of this program, students are eligible to receive a Diploma in Business Administration.