

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION - ACCOUNTING (ACBU)

Ontario College Advanced Diploma | 6 semesters | Barrydowne

In Cambrian's advanced program, you'll benefit from hands-on training in the latest industry software, a placement opportunity, and multiple pathways to degree programs, and credits that can be used towards a professional designation.

The Business Administration – Accounting program blends traditional lectures with interactive student discussions, formal presentations, individual work, and practical case studies that model the real business world. The program balances an intense focus on accounting with a broad education in other areas of business by combining courses in financial accounting, managerial skills, finance, cost accounting systems, auditing, computerized accounting, and personal and corporate income taxation. A placement in semester six provides additional hands-on experience and opportunities for networking.

This program has been designed to prepare students who want direct entry into the workforce and/or obtain advanced standing into professional accounting programs such as the Advanced Certificate in Accounting and Finance (ACAF) or the Certified Aboriginal Financial Manager (CAFM) designation. In order to obtain advanced standing in the credits for the ACAF certificate or the CAFM designation, students must achieve a 60% average or more in certain courses and an overall average of 65% in the program.

Program Highlights

- 3 years – 6 semesters
- Field placement in semester six
- Hands-on training in the latest accounting software including Sage 50, Profile, and Caseware
- Receive credits towards the Advanced Certificate in Accounting and Finance (ACAF) and/or Certified Aboriginal Financial Management (CAFM) designation
- Agreements with universities allows successful graduates to fast-track through a related degree program
- This is a Northern College's Collaborative Delivery program (see cambriancollege.ca/ncc (<http://cambriancollege.ca/ncc>))

Fieldwork/Placement

All Business Administration – Accounting students participate in an unpaid, practical experience in the sixth semester. The placement is arranged by the coordinator of field placement, and students are formally evaluated by their employers. This exposure to the working world enables students to put into practice their recently obtained skills and knowledge.

4D Learning Opportunities

Tax clinic – Each year, students provide tax preparation services free of charge to Cambrian students.

Quick Links

How to Apply (<http://cambriancollege.ca/apply>)

Business and Information Technology (<http://cambriancollege.ca/field-of-study/business-and-information-technology>)

Admission Requirements

For graduates of the new curriculum (OSS): Ontario Secondary School Diploma (30 credits) or equivalent or mature student status, including:

- Any grade 12 English (C), (U), or (M)
- Any grade 11 mathematics (C), (U), or (M)

Recommended: computer competency in relevant software

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Program Delivery

2018-2019

This program will be delivered in the following terms:

Fall Term Start

1. SEMESTER 1 Fall 2018
2. SEMESTER 2 Winter 2019
3. SEMESTER 3 Fall 2019
4. SEMESTER 4 Winter 2020
5. SEMESTER 5 Fall 2020
6. SEMESTER 6 Winter 2021

Winter Term Start

1. SEMESTER 1 Winter 2019
2. SEMESTER 2 Spring 2019
3. SEMESTER 3 Fall 2019
4. SEMESTER 4 Winter 2020
5. SEMESTER 5 Fall 2020
6. SEMESTER 6 Winter 2021

For specific term start/end dates and other key dates/deadlines, please see the Academic Schedule (<http://cambriancollege.ca/apply/how-to-apply/academic-schedule>) posted on our website.

Program of Study

Semester 1		Credits
ACC 1100	Intro to Financial Accounting	4
BUS 1104	Intro to Business Concepts	3
BUS 1100	Business Mathematics	4
ENG 1002	College Communications	3
HRP 1000	Intro to Human Resources	3
MKT 1004	Marketing I	3
ISP 3026	Computer Apps for Business I	3
	Term Credits:	23
Semester 2		
ACC 1310	Financial Accounting II	4
BUS 1200	Financial Math	4
ECN 1101	Microeconomics	3
ENG 2205	Business Reports and Presentations	3

MKT 1200	Introduction to Marketing II	3
BUS 1035	Computer Apps for Business II	3
The following General Education course:		
PSY 1125	Positive Psychology	3
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Term Credits:		23
Semester 3		
ACC 1025	Intermediate Accounting I	6
ACC 2320	Management Accounting I	4
BUS 2040	Organizational Behavior	3
ECN 1201	Macroeconomics	3
BUS 1033	Statistics	4
One of the following General Education courses:		
FIT 1115	Health Wellness	3
MUS 1009	Rock Music, Culture Technology	3
POL 1500	Canadian Political Studies	3
SOC 1010	Cross-Cultural Understanding	3
SSC 1000	Media and Current Events	3
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Term Credits:		23
Semester 4		
ACC 1022	Accounting Information Systems	3
ACC 1023	Taxation I	4
ACC 1026	Intermediate Accounting II	6
BUS 2320	Business Law	3
FIN 1006	Finance I	4
One of the following General Education courses:		
SOC 1010	Cross-Cultural Understanding	3
SSC 1000	Media and Current Events	3
FIT 1115	Health Wellness	3
MUS 1009	Rock Music, Culture Technology	3
POL 1500	Canadian Political Studies	3
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Term Credits:		23
Semester 5		
ACC 1014	Taxation II	4
ACC 3501	Auditing	5
FIN 1007	Finance II	3
MGT 1001	Management Control	4
ACC 1021	Advanced Financial Accounting	4
QMM 1003	Business Analytics	3
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Term Credits:		23
Semester 6		
ACC 1121	Integrated Case Analysis	3
ACC 3610	Field Placement	7
EXL 1004	Excel Access for Accounting	3
BUS 1037	Project Management	3
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Term Credits:		16
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Total Credits:		131

Fees

Tuition and Ancillary Fees

Please see our fees page (<http://cambriancollege.ca/fees>) for the breakdown of tuition and mandatory ancillary fees by program and semester for both domestic and international students

Books & Supplies

The cost of books and supplies for Year 1 is approximately \$1,500. This is the best information available at the time of publishing to the website and is subject to change.

Graduate Options

Employment Opportunities

Graduates can pursue a wide range of excellent career opportunities with financial institutions (banking and finance), public accounting firms, large private and public companies, government agencies, tax preparation and financial planning firms, and retail sector organizations. Graduates may find employment as:

- General accountants
- Accounting technicians/staff accountants/cost accountants
- Internal auditors
- Small business operators
- Treasurers/financial analysts

College/University Degree Opportunities

Graduates from this program may continue their studies at college/university and may receive credit for their prior College education.

Refer to College/University Agreements (<http://www.cambriancollege.ca/agreements>) for further information.

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