

BACHELOR OF ACCOUNTING

FULL-TIME/PART-TIME

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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

If you have completed a BCIT Accounting, Finance, or Financial Planning diploma, you can earn your Bachelor of Accounting (BAcc) at BCIT. This degree will provide you with an academic credential leading to a CPA [Chartered Professional Accountant] designation, a MPAcc [Master of Professional Accounting], or an MBA program.

Students completing this program will acquire the key technical, interpersonal, communication, and problem-solving skills demanded by employers.

The Bachelor of Accounting consists of eight Advanced Technical Specialty courses and 36 credits of General Education. Full-time students also have the option to complete a Workplace Education component.

BCIT's Bachelor of Accounting is offered as:

- **Flexible Part-Time Studies:** The flexible part-time program allows you to maintain your career and study at the same time. You can register course by course, and apply for admission to the program any time.

OR

- **Full-Time Day Stream:** This program is offered on a full-time basis for those students who want to accelerate their completion of the program. The program starts every September and January.

MORE INFORMATION

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APPLICATION PROCESSING

Full-time: this program is open to applications:

- January 2nd* to March 31st* for the Fall [September] intake
- June 1st* to November 15th* for the Winter [January] intake

Part-time: applications are accepted throughout the year.

*or next business day

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Applicants who are currently enrolled in the fourth term of the BCIT Diploma in Accounting, Finance or Financial Planning must be on track to complete all entrance requirements prior to the start of the intake that they are applying for. Currently enrolled full-time BCIT diploma students applying for the full-time degree may be conditionally accepted based on successful completion of their diploma.

This program has a two-step admission process for part-time enrollment. Applicants must meet all entrance requirements and will be accepted on a first qualified basis.

Step 1: Pre-entry assessment by the department

Applicants are required to complete a pre-entry assessment form to have their education assessed by the program area. See the website for more information.

Step 2: Meet the following entrance requirements

- English language proficiency: Category 2 – English Studies 12 [67%] or equivalent. See bcit.ca/english for details.
- **Post secondary education** – A BCIT Diploma in Accounting, Finance or Financial Planning [or an equivalent diploma from another institution*] with a minimum GPA of 70% and a minimum average of 65% in the following second year subject sequences:
FMGT 3110 and 4110 FMGT 3210 and 4210
FMGT 3410 and 4410 FMGT 4710 or 4720
FMGT 3510 and 4510

*BCIT will assess diplomas from other institutions for equivalency on an individual basis. Bridging courses may be required.

PROGRAM MATRIX

1. Required Course:

Course No.	Course Name	Credits
FMGT 7910	The Business Environment	3.0
FMGT 8911	Strategic Performance Management	3.0

2. Complete seven courses from this list of electives:

Course No.	Course Name	Credits
ACCG 6310	Auditing and Assurance	3.0
FMGT 7121	Advanced Accounting	3.0
FMGT 7210	Advanced Management Accounting	3.0
FMGT 7310	Advanced Auditing	3.0
FMGT 7410	Taxation of Close Corporations	3.0
FMGT 7510	Advanced Finance	3.0
FMGT 7520	Business Valuation	3.0
FMGT 7710	Management Information Systems	3.0
FMGT 8121	Contemporary Issues in Accounting	3.0
FMGT 8610	Independent Technical Studies Abroad 1	3.0
FMGT 8620	Independent Technical Studies Abroad 2	3.0
FMGT 8911	Strategic Performance Management	3.0
FMGT 8920	Case Writing Fundamentals	3.0

3. General Education [36.0 credits]:

Mandatory Courses

Course No.	Course Name	Credits
LIBS 7001	Critical Reading and Writing	3.0
LIBS 7002	Applied Ethics	3.0

Elective Courses

- 6.0 credits – Social Science or Humanities
 - 9.0 credits – Arts or Science
 - 15.0 credits – Unspecified
- Students must achieve these elective credits in accordance with the Bachelor of Accounting General Education Requirements

4. Work Term [optional for full-time students only]:

Course No.	Course Name	Credits
FMGT 7610	Workplace Education Workterm 1	16.0
FMGT 7620	Workplace Education Workterm 2	16.0
		Total Credits: 60.0