

ACADEMIC AND CAREER ADVANCEMENT (ACA)

High School Counsellors
Information Session 2016



English Language Studies (ELS)

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KPU's English Proficiency Requirement

Any of the following achievements can be used to satisfy
this requirement:

High School Grades

A grade of "C+" in one of the following courses (or
equivalent from another school system):

- English 12
- English Literature 12
- English 12 First Peoples
- IB English A1 or A2 (HL or SL)
- Communications 12
- English 12 from a completed Adult Dogwood Diploma



ELS/ACP Parallel Pathways



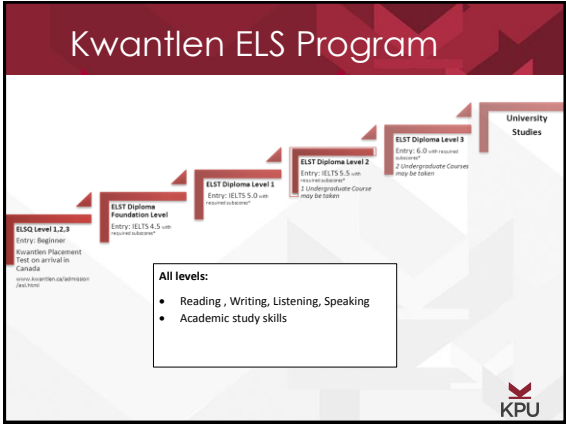
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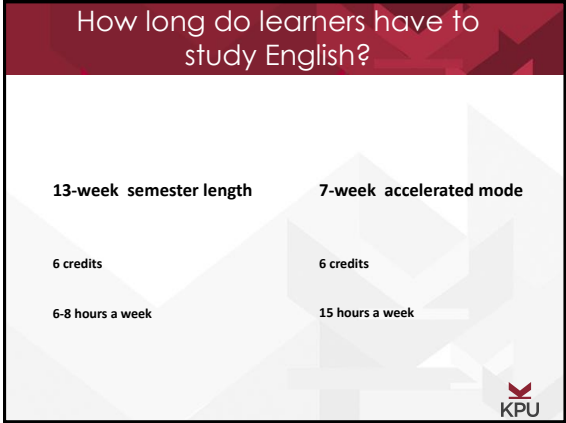


Testing Options

- English Language Studies (ELST) assessment test
- IELTS (Academic Module)
- Internet based TOEFL (iBT)
- Paper-based TOEFL
- LPI (Language Proficiency Index)







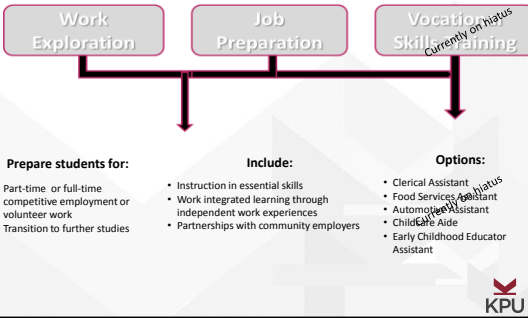
Customized English Language Studies (CELS)

It's about YOU!

Customized learning plan designed for you
7 week intensive schedule
Prep for success in undergrad classes
Potential to move quickly through levels
Experience life at KPU and connect with other students like you
Offered at KPU Surrey

For more information: kpu.ca/customELS

ACCESS PROGRAMS FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES (APPD)



Work Exploration

Prepares students for:

Part-time competitive employment

Volunteer work

Transition to further studies

Job Preparation

Prepares students for:

Part-time or full-time competitive employment

Transition to further studies



Work Exploration & Job Preparation

Job-oriented classroom instruction



Independent work experiences



Work Experience

Partnerships with community employers which may include other Kwantlen Polytechnic University Departments



APPD Graduates

- Earn a Certificate of Completion from Kwantlen Polytechnic University
- Obtain competitive employment in integrated settings in the community
- Pursue further education
- Participate in volunteer positions in their community in addition to their employment
- Some participate in volunteer positions to continue to enhance their employability skills



Contact

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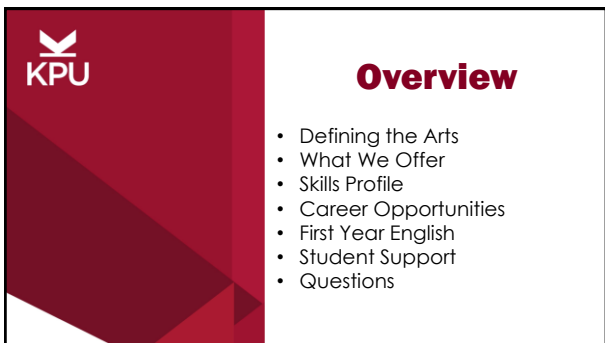
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Having the Right Skillset

In 2015, Workopolis surveyed hundreds of employers and analyzed millions of job postings to determine what is in demand in the Canadian labour market – and what candidates need to demonstrate in resumes and job interviews in order to get the job.

The most sought after skills in Canada were:

- Communication skills
- Writing
- Customer relations
- Sales
- Organizational skills
- Microsoft office
- Policy analysis
- Supervisory skills/leadership
- Problem solving
- Teamwork

Source: <http://blog.workopolis.com/research/thinkopolis/v6-985/>

What Can You Do With An Arts Degree?


Arts majors are finding a huge range of career options as more companies gain an appreciation for the soft skills honed by those who choose to major in these fields.

A survey of CEOs identified these reasons for wanting to hire Arts graduates:

- Thinking outside the box
- Ability to think critically about complex programs
- Formulate creative solutions
- Make evidence-based judgments

Source: <http://www.investopedia.com/articles/personal-finance/102315/why-companies-grab-liberal-arts-degree.asp>





Faculty of Arts Departments & Programs

- Anthropology
- Asian Studies
- Creative Writing
- Criminology
- Education Assistant *(formerly SETA)*
- Educational Studies
- English
- Fine Arts
- Geography
- History
- Interdisciplinary Expressive Arts
- Journalism & Communications
- Language and Cultures
- Music
- NGO and Nonprofit Studies
- Philosophy
- Policy Studies
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology

The Liberal Arts are Evolving and Vital to Canada's Future

They fuel the *imagination* that drives *innovation* and *prosperity*. They provide a *well-rounded workforce* with the skills needed to navigate a rapidly changing labour market. Those who study Liberal Arts find:

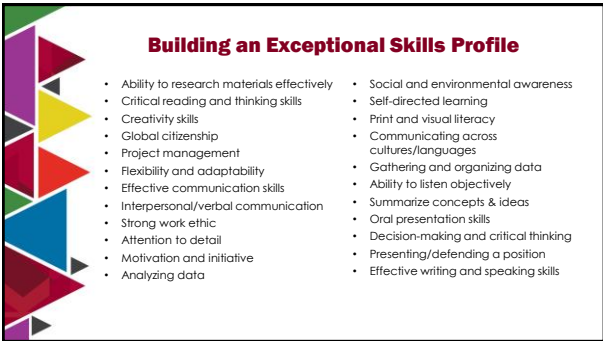
1. An abundance of career options
2. They are well prepared and well paid
3. Significant income growth over time
4. 55% of the world's professional leaders have a Liberal Arts background
5. They are needed for a balanced workforce for a prosperous economy
6. Studying the Liberal Arts gives skills for success

Via Universities Canada, March 2016



Building an Exceptional Skills Profile

- Ability to research materials effectively
- Critical reading and thinking skills
- Creativity skills
- Global citizenship
- Project management
- Flexibility and adaptability
- Effective communication skills
- Interpersonal/verbal communication
- Strong work ethic
- Attention to detail
- Motivation and initiative
- Analyzing data
- Social and environmental awareness
- Self-directed learning
- Print and visual literacy
- Communicating across cultures/languages
- Gathering and organizing data
- Ability to listen objectively
- Summarize concepts & ideas
- Oral presentation skills
- Decision-making and critical thinking
- Presenting/defending a position
- Effective writing and speaking skills




Careers Opportunities

- Paleontologist
- Archaeologist
- Laboratory Assistant
- University Professor
- Market Researcher
- Museum Technician
- Human Resource Specialist
- Program Director
- Refugee Services Coordinator
- Survey Researcher
- Project Development Officer
- Community Worker
- Social Worker
- Forensics Specialist
- Border Patrol Agent
- Teacher
- Rural Development Officer
- Medical Examiner
- Linguist
- Librarian
- Foreign Aid Worker
- Research Consultant
- Public Health Educator
- Museum Education Director
- Federal Government Policy Analyst
- Policy Scientist
- Police Officer
- Volunteer Coordinator
- Urban Planner
- Parole Officer
- Brand Manager
- Software Developer

* Many of these careers require additional education.





Featured Alumni

Puneet Rangil, Bachelor of Arts in Criminology, Co-op Option

"I walked into KPU with an interest in Criminology and aspirations to ascertain a job that would justify four years of commitment. I found myself immersed in the content that this very well rounded program had to offer and as I progressed further in to my degree, I began to understand where my interests were. I experienced the intricate teaching mechanisms of some of the amazing Criminology professors, who nurtured a strong learning environment. It is with great pride and excitement that I graduate from KPU's enlightening Criminology Program."

Hayley Woodin, Bachelor of Journalism

"My degree fits well with my current role in communications. As the media specialist for KPU, I regularly apply the skills I learned during my studies, which ultimately taught me how to communicate clearly and effectively, across mediums. I also completed internships with CityTV, CTV and 24 Hours Vancouver. These applied experiences outside of the classroom were highlights of my time at KPU – plus spending a semester abroad studying international journalism in the UK. That I'm working in media relations proves how an arts degree can open up doors to many different jobs, in a variety of industries."



ARTS 1100: Experiencing the Arts

Ideal for New Students



Broad Perspectives

In 2015, this course was developed to give students a sample of the Arts. There is one theme per course and other departments are invited to discuss their views from their respective disciplines.

Fall 2015 - Homelessness
Perspectives: Criminology, Psychology, Sociology, Fine Arts, Creative Writing, History, etc.

Spring 2016 - Water
Perspectives: Political Science, Geology, Policy Studies, History, Geography, etc.

Summer 2016 - Religion, Politics & Identity
Perspectives: Asian Studies, History, Interior Design, CCLS, Language and Cultures, etc.






First Year English

ENGL 1100 and ENGL 1202/1204





What English Courses Are Required?

Students in most degree and many diploma programs at KPU are required to take at least three - and usually 6 - credits of English.

We offer two distinct types of classes in First Year: Composition and Literature


ENGL 1100: Introduction to University Writing


And

**ENGL 1202: Introduction to Literature: Selected Topics OR
ENGL 1204: Introduction to Literature: Genres**

What do Students Need to Know About ENGL 1100?

- Expectations shift when students begin writing at the university level
- Students should take ENGL1100 early in their degree (the first semester is ideal)
- Students who have completed ENGL 1100 do better in their other classes than those who wait to take the course later in their degree
- ENGL 1100 serves as a prerequisite for many courses and can slow down degree progress






First Year Literature: ENGL 1202 and 1204


- In both ENGL 1202 and ENGL 1204, students will engage in writing-intensive activities as they analyze literary texts
- They will apply literary analysis through close reading, informed discussion, and formal writing
- Students will study a variety of texts which may include novels, stories, drama, poetry, film, etc.
- Most ENGL 1202 sections focus on topics chosen by the individual instructors. Past ENGL 1202 topics have included "Detective Fiction," "Love Stories, Love Songs," and "Rebels, Misfits and Outsiders"
- ENGL 1204 involves the study of genres (poetry, drama, fiction, etc.) and some instructors of ENGL 1204 have topics as well
- ENGL 1202 and ENGL1204 count for the same pre-requisite and teach the same skills. Both can also be a gateway into our larger English program

What about Prerequisites?

- Currently, students entering ENGL 1100 need a **B in English 12 or equivalent**
- Other pathways include ENGQ 1099, ENGQ 1091 or ENGQ 1092, or the Kwantlen English Placement Test
- For other ways to enter, see the current [KPU Calendar](#) or contact KPU's Central Advising
- E-mail enquiries may be directed to firstyearenglish@kpu.ca

ENGL 1100 is transferable to many other institutions. Refer to the BCCAT Transfer Guide for further information.






More Information

For more information about our full range of courses, including ENGL1100 and ENGL 1202/1204, please visit:


kpu.ca/arts/english





Declaration in the Faculty of Arts





Declaration Requirements

Students entering KPU now apply directly into a Faculty, and can declare into a Bachelor of Arts program after completing only **18 credits**, which should include 3 credits of undergraduate English and 6 credits in their intended program.

Deciding within their first two years of study is beneficial to the student as this can affect:

- Registration times, and therefore
- Class availability

What Support is Available for Arts Students?

Arts Degree Advisors

- Students see Arts Degree Advisors to discuss declaring into, continuing, and finishing their Bachelor's degrees while meeting their diverse educational goals.

The Learning Centre

- Available in the Library, tutors can assist students with assignments and work with them on their writing skills

Writing Labs

- Designed and taught by English faculty members
- Complements materials covered in ENGL 1100
- Hands-on practice in a supportive environment



School of Business




What we strive for

Vision

Develop exceptional individuals that will shape the way organizations and businesses operate and are led

Mission

To *Engage* and *Inspire Students* of diverse backgrounds, ages and aspirations

To deliver *Industry Desired* skills and knowledge based education through *Innovative Experiential Learning*

To *Foster Collaboration* across all of our stakeholder groups that drives change and new practices



What Our School of Business Offers?

9 areas of study with credentials that align to BC 2022 Labour Market Outlook

Co-op opportunities

Project experience with real companies - building desired skills and knowledge


Scholarships

Small class sizes

Strong first and second year course articulations with other institutions

Students excel on standardized tests across North America and in international business competitions

Instructors with real world business experience



What Our School of Business Offers?

FLEXIBILITY

- All credentials in **BUSI, MRKT, ACCT, ENTR** and **HRMT** have **10 common foundational courses** (30 credits)
 - Allows students to explore early on without wasting credits.
- All **BBA** credentials have **5 common upper level** business acumen courses.
- **MRKT, ENTR, HRMT** BBAs have **5 breadth electives** and min of **6 additional general electives**.



Programs – Business

Diplomas – 60 Credits

- Majority of the courses articulate
- Courses ladder into Degrees
- **Business Management**
- **Business Administration**
- **Marketing Management**
- **Accounting**

BBA Degrees – 120 Credits

- All degrees have co-op option
- **Accounting**
- **Entrepreneurial Leadership**
- **Marketing Management**
- **Human Resources Management**

Certificates

- 30 Credits
- Majority of the courses articulate
- **Business**
- **Accounting**
- **Marketing**

Align to 1/3 of the Top 60 Jobs in BC 2022 Labour Market Outlook

<http://www.workbc.ca/WorkBC/media/WorkBC/Documents/Docs/BC-LM-Outlook-2012-2022.pdf>



Programs – More than Business

School of Business Professionals, Economics and Information Technology

Economics

- Associate of Arts – 60 credits
- BA of Arts minor in Economics – 120 credits

Information Technology

- Certificate – 30 Credits
- Diploma – 60 Credits
- Degree – 120 credits
- Two concentration options

Professional Programs – Cohort programs

- Public Relations Diploma – 2 yrs – 60 credits – Fall/Spring semesters
- Legal Administration Certificate – 30 credits – Fall/Spring semesters

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Leverage The Degree to Get Experience

All BBA & B. Tech Degrees offer Co-op Options

3 Work Terms



School of Business Fast Facts

- One of the largest undergraduate business schools in Western Canada
- Offering classes on 3 campuses - Richmond, Surrey, Langley
- Best ROI for University Tuition*
- Active student clubs

Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs



Association of Universities & Colleges of Canada

International Association of Universities

* <http://www.aucc.ca/canadian-universities/facts-and-stats/tuition-fees-by-university/>



SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS

- 125+ School of Business Scholarships & Awards
- Based on different Criteria:
 - Financial Need
 - Community Involvement
 - GPA
- Hundreds of other KPU Scholarships & Awards



Profile of a KPU Business Graduate

KPU's Academic Foundations

Distinctive Programming

- A well-rounded business professional
- Personally accountable for their performance and behavior and acts in a socially responsible manner
- A high performing team member who identifies and sparks change

Innovative Teaching and Learning

Well-defined Learning Outcomes

- Thinks critically and supports decisions with sound business principles, appropriate research and specialized, practical expertise

Experiential Learning

- Demonstrates strong analytical skills integrating financial literacy, business expertise, and breadth of knowledge

Enriched Student Experience

- Communicates effectively in a variety of situations and audiences

Purposeful Community Engagement

- "Job-ready", willing to learn and eager to contribute, knowing that career success is built on results



2016 General Admission Requirements

- **Satisfy the English proficiency requirement –**
English 12 or English Literature 12 or English First Peoples 12 with a minimum grade of C+ or Communications 12 with a minimum grade of A (or equivalents)
 - Note English 12 with a B (or equivalent) is required for ENGL 1100
 - Note Five INFO program courses require Math 11 Foundations with C+
- **Qualify under one of KPU's admission categories**
High school graduate, mature student, etc.
- **Satisfy specific program requirements**



Important Websites

kpu.ca/futurestudents

kpu.ca/calendar

kpu.ca/business




WILSON SCHOOL OF DESIGN

FASHION DESIGN & TECHNOLOGY
 FASHION MARKETING
 FOUNDATIONS IN DESIGN

7 DESIGN PROGRAMS UNDER ONE ROOF

GRAPHIC DESIGN FOR MARKETING
 INTERIOR DESIGN
 PRODUCT DESIGN
 TECHNICAL APPAREL DESIGN



SUMMER CLASSES
kpu.ca/cps/design

Summer Fashion Academy for Students
 August 8 - August 12 - [Summer Design Academy](#)
 August 15 - August 19 - [Teen Academy Pattern Drafting](#)
 August 22 - August 26 - [Summer Sewing Academy](#)

Summer Courses for High School Teachers and General Interest
 July 25 - July 29 - [Beginner's Sewing](#)
 August 2 - August 6 - [Textile Techniques for the Classroom with Feltting](#)
 August 8 - August 12 - [Fashion Drawing/Design and Portfolio Development](#)
 August 15 - August 19 - [Re-Work Commercial Patterns](#)
 August 22 - August 26 - [Textile Studies-Knits](#)




EXPERIENCE WHISTLER THROUGH THE LENS OF DESIGN WITH KPU

JULY 10 TO JULY 17, 2016

This eight day course is open to local, national and international students (19+), design professionals, and the general public.

Post-secondary faculty and high school teachers may also apply.

While the focus is on design, a background in design is not necessary.

kpu.ca/design/whistlerdesignexperience
whistlerdesignexp@kpu.ca






FASHION DESIGN

Type Bachelor's Degree
Class Size 22 Students x 2 cohorts

- The only four-year program of its kind in Western Canada
- Students master the technical and creative skills of fashion design from concept through to production and marketing
- Focus on critical thinking, problem solving, leadership and innovative practices
- Year-end fashion show attended by 2000 people including industry professionals, media and community members
- Collaborative projects linked with prominent apparel companies
- Extensive workplace practicums

Photo courtesy of Chris Pike Photography



FASHION MARKETING

Type Diploma
Class Size 30 Students

Holt Renfrew – Student Merchandising Project

- The program integrates studies in fashion, communications, business and marketing
- Students develop skills necessary for dynamic careers and participate in various fashion events to create broad industry networks
- Career opportunities are extensive and include:

Buying	Forecasting	Communications
Merchandising	Styling and Consulting	Special Events
Branding	Visual Merchandising	Retail Sales




The curriculum emphasizes



- Design skills
- Design career exploration
- Development of a comprehensive portfolio
- University transition

Focusing on core concepts like creative thinking, design theory, team building skills, communication, and analysis of design, this program prepares students for success, and creates a bridge to future studies.

This program can be undertaken on a full-time or part-time basis.

FOUNDATIONS IN DESIGN

Type Certificate
Class Size 20 Students



Develop skills and abilities in:

- Computer software
- Website design
- Packaging design
- Advertising
- Print design
- Branding
- Typography
- Information Design

The program works closely with the graphic design community and its professional associations to ensure students develop career readiness

GDMA graduates are technologically savvy, highly capable critical thinkers and creative problem solvers.

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Top Image: Louise Swindells © 2015

GRAPHIC DESIGN FOR MARKETING

Type	Bachelor's Degree
Class Size	22 Students


INTERIOR DESIGN



Image courtesy of Jenico Lee, IDGN 2015 Graduate

Type	Bachelor's Degree
Class Size	20 Students

- Program accredited by the Council for Interior Design Accreditation (CIDA) — only accredited program in BC
- Students visit firms, suppliers, manufacturers, and successful interior design sites
- Industry connections are strong with professional designers regularly attending presentations by students (years 2 through 4)
- Students learn all facets of interior design:
 - Design Process & Design Thinking
 - Building Systems & Specifications
 - Presentation & Media Techniques
 - Professional Business Practices
- Graduate exhibition attended by over 100 industry professionals — graduates often hired prior to program completion





Emphasis on the design and manufacture of "soft or pliable goods"

- Recreational Gear & Technical Goods
- Sportswear & Accessories
- Medical & Protective
- Industrial, Safety & Rescue Equipment

"A dynamic inter-disciplinary education that links innovation and creativity through the transformation of ideas into marketable products."

PRODUCT DESIGN

Type	Bachelor's Degree
Class Size	22 Students



Type	Post Baccalaureate Diploma
Class Size	22 Students

- Program is a "North American first"
- 100% grads go on to work in industry, research or business start-ups
- Connects research, education, and business through human centered design, testing and validation, and value creation in functional apparel design
- Advanced studies in new methodologies in technical textiles, human factors in design contexts, production, and global business strategies
- Extensive collaboration with local companies such as Arc'teryx, LuLulemon, Mountain Equipment Co-op, Mustang Survival, Sugoi



TECHNICAL APPAREL DESIGN

KPU

design programs

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Program	Requirements
Fashion and Technology (FASHN) 4 year Bachelor of Design	English 12 B , Portfolio and Interview *Please see kpu.ca/design/admissions for details on portfolio requirements
Graphic Design for Marketing (GDMA) 4 year Bachelor of Design	English 12 B , Portfolio and Interview *Please see kpu.ca/design/admissions for details on portfolio requirements
Interior Design (IDSN) 4 year Bachelor of Interior Design	English 12 B , Portfolio and Interview *Please see kpu.ca/design/admissions for details on portfolio requirements
Product Design (DEPD) 4 year Bachelor of Design	English 12 B , Portfolio and Interview *Please see kpu.ca/design/admissions for details on portfolio requirements
Fashion Marketing (FMARK) 2 year Diploma	English 12 C+ or Comm 12 A , Letter of Interest Package
Foundations in Design (FIND) 1 year Certificate	English 12 C+ or Comm 12 A , Portfolio
Technical Apparel Design (DETA) 1 year Post Baccalaureate Diploma	English 12 C+, Bachelor Degree , Letter of Interest Package

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KPU Wilson School of Design

Contact us

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Kwantlen Polytechnic University (KPU)

Faculty of Health



Faculty of Health (FoH)

Program Offerings

- Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing Post Bac (BSN-PB)
- Bachelor of Psychiatric Nursing (BPN)
- Graduate Nurse Internationally Educated (GNIE)
- Health Care Assistant Program (HCAP)
- Health Unit Coordinator (HAUC)

Tentative – Fall 2016

- Acupuncture Diploma Program (TCM-A)
- Certificate in Health Foundations Program (HF)



FoH Program Offerings

PROGRAM	DESIGNATION	LENGTH	SEATS PER INTAKE	INTAKES	FT/PT PROGRAM DELIVERY
Bachelor of Psychiatric Nursing	Degree	4 years	40	May	Full-time
Bachelor of Science in Nursing	Degree	4 years	32	Sept Jan	Full-time
Bachelor of Science in Nursing - PB	Degree	27 months	40	Sept	Full-time
Graduate Nurse Internationally Educated	Certificate	12 months	35	May Sept	Full-time
Health Foundations	Certificate	1 year	35	Sept, Jan May	Full-time
Health Unit Coordinator	Certificate	3 semesters	24	Sept (Day) Jan (Eve)	Full-time
Health Care Assistant	Certificate	2 semesters	32	Sept Jan	Full-time
Traditional Chinese Medicine-Acupuncture	Diploma	2 years	35	Sept 2016	Full-time



Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN)



Faculty of Health (Foh)

Where do Registered Nurses Work?

- 89.3% in Direct Patient Care
 - 63% in the hospital
 - 14% in the community
 - 9.6% in Long Term Care
- 6.5% in Administration
- 3.6% in Education
- 0.7% in Research



Faculty of Health (Foh)

Minimum Admission Criteria

- English 12 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of B; or undergraduate equivalent with a minimum grade of C+
- Biology 12 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of B; or undergraduate equivalent with a minimum grade of C+
- Chemistry 11 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of B; or undergraduate equivalent with a minimum grade of C+
- Pre-calculus 11 or Foundations of Math 11 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of B; or undergraduate equivalent with a minimum grade of C+



Selection of Qualified Applicants

- Only students who meet all of the program's admission requirements as outlined above will be considered for admission.
- Admission is competitive; meeting the admission criteria does not guarantee admission into the program.

High School Category

Applicants in the high school category will be selected using the highest cumulative percentages from the courses required for admission. One program seat will be reserved for a self-identified Aboriginal student with the highest cumulative percentage.

Post-Secondary Category

Students who have a minimum of 24 eligible undergraduate post-secondary credits with a minimum GPA of 2.33 qualify under this category.



Future Admission Requirements

- Please note that the Faculty of Health is currently reconfiguring the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) program to include a Health Foundations (HF) year.
- For January 2017 admission, students who apply for the BSN program will first complete the HF year.



Application Dates

September Intake


- November 1 – March 1

January Intake

- March 1 – August 1



Bachelor of Psychiatric Nursing
(BPN)



Faculty of Health (FoH)

Where do RPNs' Work?

Direct Patient Care Across Canada


- Hospital (44%)
- Community mental health (28%)
- Other community programs (18%)
 - i.e. long term care, non-profit programs, nursing homes



Faculty of Health (FoH)

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- For the May 2016 admission, there is no change in the admission process and requirements.
- For May 2017 admission to the Bachelor of Psychiatric Nursing will require completion of the Health Foundations year.



Application Dates

May Intake

- July 1 - December 1




Proposed Health Foundations
Year



Faculty of Health (Foh)
Courses in the HF Year


Semester One and Two

English 1100	Foundations of Health
Communications	Lab Foundations
Anatomy & Physiology I	Intro to Research
Intro to Sociology	Anatomy & Physiology II
Intro to Psychology	



Proposed Admission Requirements for
Health Foundations Year

English 12 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of B; or undergraduate equivalent with a minimum grade of C+



Bachelor of Science in Nursing Post Baccalaureate (BSN PB)



Faculty of Health (Foh)

Overview of the BSN-PB Program

Methods of Blended Delivery

Prepares students with a previous degree in 28 months

Includes two Residencies and two Capstone Practice courses
Strong use of High Fidelity Simulation Labs to reinforce practice

All other courses are taken online

Other practice courses include Primary Health Care, Families
Content is richly enhanced with interactive & creative technologies



Faculty of Health (Foh)

Program Admission Requirements

- Successful completion of a Baccalaureate degree within last 6 years, including 60 university credits
- 1st year anatomy and physiology courses *
- 3 credits in Humanities, Social Sciences or Arts *
- 6 credits of English *

* These requirements may be part of the 60 university credits

Note: KPU Bachelor of Psychiatric Nursing graduates receive advanced placement into semester 3 of the program.



Faculty of Health (FoH)

Residencies include Lab Skills



Faculty of Health (FoH)

Application Dates

September Intake

- November 1 – March 1



Health Care Assistant (HCAP) Certificate



Program Outline

- The program is 2 semesters long
- The intake for each class is 32 students
- There are two program intakes a year
 - September
 - January
- The program has 35 credits



Sample Student Placements

- Dr. Al Hogg Pavilion, Peace Arch Hospital
- Weatherby Pavilion, Peace Arch Hospital
- Delta Hospital
- Care Life Center
- Deltaview Habilitation Centre
- North Crest Care Center
- Evergreen Baptist Care Society
- Kinsmen Retirement Center
- Czorny Alzheimer Center
- George Pearson Center-Shared Learning Unit
- Bayshore Home Health
- Come Share Society
- Connect Communities
- Kin Village Assisted Living
- Augustine House Assisted Living
- Evergreen Heights Assisted Living
- Empress Suites Assisted Living



Beyond the Program

- BPN bridging (unique pathway into nursing)
 - Students who successfully complete HCAP, and meet the pre-requisites for the BPN program can move directly into semester 3 of the BPN
- Home Support ongoing demand for workers
- Facilities more seasonal but also hiring
- Hired as casual staff initially
- Recent graduates report successful job search
- New facilities being built in Fraser Health Region
- Grads are being hired in acute and long term care settings



Admission Requirements

- English 12, with a grade of C or an acceptable English language assessment score
- Food Safe level 1
- Tuberculosis (TB) test
- A valid Standard First Aid – Health Care Provider CPR
- A criminal record search completed within six months of entry to program
- Note: Proof of immunization (required prior to beginning of first clinical placement)



Application Dates

September Intake

- November 1 – March 1

January Intake

- March 1 – August 1



Health Unit Coordinator (HAUC) Certificate



What is a Unit Coordinator?

- Positioned as first contact on a nursing unit
- Often on the phone
- Communication link between the doctor's orders and the nurse
- Information resource for all staff
- Work in acute, long term and extended care settings



Attributes of a Unit Coordinator

- Detail oriented
- Self directed
- Enjoy working in a team environment
- Exceptional professionalism, communication and interpersonal skills
- Patience and composure when working in stressful, high acuity environments
- Advanced organizing and prioritizing skills
- Ability to multitask
- Willingness to do shift work



Program Outline

Enrollment is limited to 24 students

2 semesters of classroom theory

- 2 observation days
- 2 hospital tours

HAUC Practicum –160 hours hands-on

- Computer training will be provided 2 weeks pre-practicum
- 4 weeks of practicum on a hospital unit

Students must attend scheduled training and practicum



Beyond the Program

- High demand for Unit Coordinators with the expansion of facilities, Surrey Memorial Hospital, Vancouver General Hospital and Abbotsford Regional Hospital
- Agencies have been contacting our program to fill vacancies
- HAUC grads can also apply to work in Health Records, Admitting, Outpatient Clinics and BC Patient Transfer Network
- Graduates can expect to earn \$21.61 plus a 12.6% in lieu of benefits and vacation pay as a casual



Admission Requirements

- English 12 with a C+ grade or an acceptable English language assessment score
- Typing speed 40 wpm (50 wpm prior to HAUC 1200 Practicum)
- Attend a Health Unit Coordinator Information Session
- Criminal record search completed within 3 months prior to enrolment
- * Computer office skills and Grade 12 or GED are recommended



Application Dates

September Intake

- November 1 – March 1
- Full-time day program

January Intake

- March 1 – August 1
- Full-time evening program




Traditional Chinese Medicine - Acupuncture (TCM-A)



Faculty of Health (FoH)

What is TCM?


- TCM is a broad range of medical practices based on a tradition of more than 2000 years, including various forms of acupuncture, herbal medicine, Chinese style massage, exercise and dietary therapy.
- It is primarily used as a complementary and alternative medicine approach.



Faculty of Health (FoH)

Program Outline

- The program is 2 years in length
- The intake for each class is 35 students
- There will be one program intake in September
- The program is currently 86 credits
- Admission into the program requires 60 undergraduate credits prior to the 2 year TCM-A program, with a cumulative GPA of 2.0



KWANTLEN POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY
Faculty of Science & Horticulture



Bachelor of Science (BSc) degrees

KWANTLEN POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY
Faculty of Science & Horticulture

Which BSc programs does KPU offer?

- Biology
- Health Science
- Applications of Mathematics
 - Biomathematics
 - Computational
 - Mathematics Education
- Physics for Modern Technology
- Minor in Medicinal Chemistry

KWANTLEN POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY
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High School Prerequisites

Chemistry 12 **Pre-Calculus 12** Physics 12 English 12

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CHEM 1110 MATH 1120 or 1130 PHYS 1101 or 1120 BIOL 1110 ENGL 1100

First Year Science Courses



BSc Biology




BSc Health Science



BSc Physics for Modern Technology

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Biomathematics
See math in nature

Computational
Use math in business

Math Education
Teach math in K-12 schools

BSc Applications of Mathematics

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Faculty of Science & Horticulture

- Medicinal Chemistry
- Biology
- Mathematics

BSc Minors

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Faculty of Science & Horticulture

Next steps for students:

- **Apply online**
(Faculty of Science & Horticulture + Area of intention)
- **Meet with an academic advisor**
("Central Advising")

<https://AdvisorConnect.kpu.ca>



Welcome!

Faculty of Science and Horticulture
Green Careers and Brewing Beers



Entrance Requirements for Faculty

Open Intake

- Sustainable Agriculture
- Horticulture

Limited Intake

- Environmental Protection (EPT)
- Brewing & Brewery Operations



Sustainable
Agriculture and
Food Systems



Kwantlen Polytechnic University



What is Sustainable Agriculture?

The production and distribution of food using principles that allow us to meet the needs of today without diminishing the opportunity for the future



UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPA

The Department of Sustainable Agriculture BASC in Sustainable Agriculture



UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPA

Who Are We Training?

Engaged citizens that will provide leadership in:

- Sustainable production of food
- Agriculture related business
- Community planning
- Sustainable resource management
- Policy and government
- Community organizations
- Food systems research
- Food systems education



UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPA

The Program

- Cross disciplinary education:
 - Agricultural Science
 - Economics
 - Geography
 - Policy Studies
 - Minor in Policy Studies in Sustainability
- Applied Research
- Internships/Work experience
- Service Learning
- Cuba



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

Research & Teaching Farms

Program Interface

- Practical education
- Research
- Outreach

Student Learning

- Projects
- Management experience
- Community interface



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

Hands-On



UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

Farm Schools

- 10 month business training program
- Taught by farmers & farm professionals
- 2 Locations:
 - Richmond
 - Tsawwassen



UNIVERSITY OF BC KAMLOUSAN

Welcome!

School of Horticulture

Faculty of Science and Horticulture

Program Overview



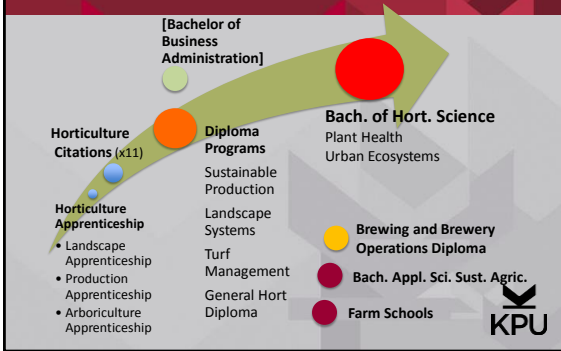
What is Horticulture?



Horticulture encompasses PLANTS and PEOPLE.
It's about the PLACE and the communities that thrive there.



Flexible educational pathways



Real facilities, relevant experience!



Engaging classes, help solve real and challenging problems



Have fun in labs



Get out in the industry



Get out in the community



What does a career look like?

Parks department – flowers, recreation
Garden Centre – public, production
MAFF – Advisory: Field veg., fruit,
mushrooms, greenhouse
MAFF – Research
Field Technical, marketing: food crops
Greenhouse ornamentals, management
Teaching
Extension: UK, Canada, S.E. Asia, Africa





ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION TECHNOLOGY

Why EPT?

- Hands-on program
- Small classes
- Co-op education
- Good career options
- Accredited
- Transferable



Program Progression

Normal sequence

Year 1
Fall semester
Spring semester
Summer coop

Year 2
Fall semester
Spring coop
Summer semester



Extended sequence

Year 1
Fall semester
Spring semester

Year 2
Fall semester
Spring coop
Summer semester

Year 3
Fall semester
Spring coop
Summer semester

* 60% course load requirement for student loan

Jobs?

Varied:

- indoor/outdoor;
- government/private;
- different projects within a job



Co-op Education

Two paid work terms
Four months (summer & winter)

Typical employers:
City of Surrey, Tervita, ES Cropconsult, Agriculture
and Agri Food Canada, Stantec, Dillon Consulting
(SHaRP)

Including work or
volunteer abroad



Entrance Requirements

C in one of:
Principles of Math 11,
Pre-calculus 11,
Applications of Math 12,
or Foundations of Math 12
(or equivalent)

Minimum grade of C+ in Chem 11
(or equivalent)

Minimum C+ in English 12
or Communications 12 with an A

Transfer credits possible



Entrance Requirements

Preference will be given to
applicants with demonstrated:

Work experience in a relevant
field

Post-secondary education in a
related discipline

Excellence in courses required for
admission

Applicants are encouraged to
submit a resume to demonstrate
relevant work experience.



Further Studies

Ladder into 3rd year:

KPU's BBA ENTR
Royal Roads' BSc Environmental Science (1yr)
BSc Environmental Management (2yr)

BCIT's BSc
UNBC's BSc

Students have also gone on to:
SFU, UBC, York, U Man., etc



Welcome!


Faculty of Science and Horticulture presents BC's first

DIPLOMA IN BREWING & BREWERY OPERATIONS



Admissions Requirements

DIPLOMA IN BREWING & BREWERY OPERATIONS



- English 12 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of C+
- Chemistry 11 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of C+
- Pre-Calculus 11 or Foundations of Math 11 (or equivalent) with a minimum grade of C+
- Portfolio Review
 - Cover Letter
 - Resume
 - Letters of Reference

Application Information

DIPLOMA IN BREWING & BREWERY OPERATIONS

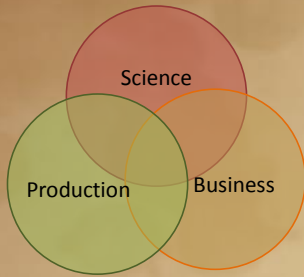


- The application deadline is March 1, 2016, however, applicants have until March 31st to submit all relevant documentation, including transcripts and portfolios.
- Exceptional candidates who submit all documentation and meet the admissions requirements may be offered a seat prior to March 31st. All other candidates will be notified of a seat offer by May 15, 2016.

Students who apply **after** the early application deadline (March 1st) will only be considered for the program **if** seats are available.

Program Overview

DIPLOMA IN BREWING & BREWERY OPERATIONS



Curriculum

Year 1 - FALL

- Introduction & History of Brewing
- Brewing 1
- Brewing Chemistry
- Sensory Evaluation & Ingredients
- Intro to Professional Communication



Year 1 - SPRING

- Brewing Microbiology
- Brewing Equipment & Technology
- Brewing 2
- Intro to Filtration, Carbonation, Finishing & Packaging
- Business Problem Solving with Spreadsheets



Year 2 - FALL

- Advanced Filtration, Carbonation, Finishing and Packaging
- Calculations and Recipe Formulation
- Brewing 3
- Business Ethics
- The Brewing Industry



Year 2 - SPRING

- Product Sales and Promotions
- Brewery Management and Supervisory Skills
- Product Evaluation and Judging
- Brewing 4







Working in the Industry

Many breweries in the Lower Mainland hired our students in the summer on a full-time basis, then allowed them to continue part-time while studying. We currently have many students already working at the following breweries:

- Parallel 49 Brewing
- Central City Brewers + Distillers
- Main Street Brewing Company
- Dead Frog Brewery
- Ravens Brewing
- Turning Point Brewery
- Dogwood Brewing
- Big Ridge Brewing Co.
- Howe Sound Brewing
- Old Abbey Ales
- Four Winds Brewing Company
- Moody Ales
- NSI Newlands
- Bomber Brewing




WHAT ARE THE TRADES?

- There are over 200 recognized trades in Canada
- There are 4 broad categories for all trades:
 1. Construction
 2. Transportation
 3. Manufacturing
 4. Service



WHO IS A GOOD FIT FOR THE TRADES?

- Students who like to work with their hands and their head.
- Students who like building things (Lego, Meccano, sewing).
- Students who like learning new things through physically practicing a new skill (similar to sports).
- Students who like seeing their work as something tangible.
- Students who like to earn money while going to school.
 - Paid while working.
 - Paid while going to school.
 - Apprentice incentive grant.



WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS?

- **Satisfaction** – using your skills is the way that you are able to provide for yourself, support a family, pay a mortgage...
- **Employment stability** – as a trades person you will never be out of work (even during times of economic down turns).
- **Travel** – BC trained trades people are in high demand around the world.
- **Service** – being able to contribute constructive, tangible skills that not everyone is able to do.



WHERE CAN TRADES TAKE YOU?

- Stepping stone
- Depth of engagement and learning
- Allows a person to work, while pursuing other avenues of study, at good rates of pay
- Ladder to other careers
- BCCA Report



Engineers

Technologist

Technician

Tradesmen

A RECENT REPORT (BCCA)

- British Columbia Construction Association
 - URL
 - http://www.bccasn.com/downloads/CB-BC%202015%20BC%20Construction%20Industry%20Survey%20FINAL_WEB.pdf



HOW TO GET INTO A TRADE?

- ACE-IT
- Secondary School Apprenticeship (SSA)
- Direct Entry
- Foundation programs
- Challenge Exam



WHAT IS AN APPRENTICESHIP?

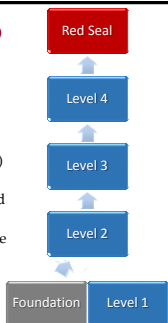
- Mentorship
- Usually about 4 years in length
- It is an agreement of formalized training between four parties:
 - The apprentice
 - An employer (sponsor)
 - A training institution - for the technical schooling portion (often but not always a common curriculum).
 - The BC Government through the oversight of the ITA.



APPRENTICESHIP PATHWAYS

Foundation programs (~4-6 months)

- Completion of Level 1 Technical (in school) training.
- Advanced standing for Level 1 Work-Based training hours.
- Can move onto Level 2 apprenticeship once finishing the remainder of the Work-Based training hours as well as the written exam (Lv1I).



APPRENTICESHIP PATHWAYS



Apprenticeship Levels (~ 1 year for each level)

- Will include Technical Training (5-10 weeks).
- Will include approximately 1000 - 1600 Work-Based training hours.
- Must pass a written exam at the end of each level to move onto the next level.



APPLIANCE SERVICING

Unique in BC and only one other in Canada



APPLIANCE SERVICING

The only full-time program in Canada offering Appliance Servicing as a career.

Graduates are successfully employed as technicians, owners, managers and technical trainers in the appliance industry in BC, Canada and the United States.

KPU graduates also work in commercial cooking servicing, vending machine repair, the furnace and fireplace service sector as well as other 'electromechanical' occupations.

AUTOMOTIVE SERVICING



AUTOMOTIVE SERVICING

The automotive service industry is a challenging field that encompasses mechanical skills as well as electrical and computer diagnostic skills.

This program provides students with the skills and knowledge needed to work as an automotive service technician.

The program is designed to meet the need for skilled technicians who can repair systems on today's motor vehicles.

CARPENTRY



CARPENTRY

Carpenters are employed in a variety of job environments including: Houses under construction, renovations, commercial sites or industrial sites.

Carpenters are involved in every step of building construction.

Experienced carpenters can acquire more advanced responsibilities as a construction superintendent or perhaps a contractor.

DRAFTING / CADD TECHNOLOGIES



DRAFTING / CADD TECHNOLOGIES

This program prepares students for a career as a CADD/Drafting Technician.

Using the most advanced CADD (Computer Aided Design Drafting) software, students will learn to produce drawings from concept sketches, design information, codes and specifications as per industry standard for production by builders and manufacturers.

Specialties include Architectural and Structural.

ELECTRICAL



ELECTRICAL

Electricians work in a wide variety of buildings and facilities. Everything from lighting and climate control systems to communication equipment and thousands of other specific tools and devices.

An Electrician's work involves assembling, installing, commissioning, testing, maintaining, servicing and operating electrical systems and equipment.

Electricians work either as employees who are part of a contractor's team on both residential and commercial construction projects or as independent electrical contractors.

FARRIER TRAINING



Unique in Canada

FARRIER TRAINING

KPU offers a well-equipped workshop that provides a safe working environment.

Kwantlen's Farrier program will provide students with a sound foundation of theory and range of skills necessary to confidently begin a career as a Farrier.

Graduates from KPU have gone on to successful careers around the world as well as compete at the international level.

MASONRY

Unique in BC



MASONRY

Hands-on shop experience is the basis for KPU's Masonry program.

Students will learn to work with brick, concrete and glass block, terra cotta and stone.

Masonry involves a lot of physical and outdoor work, using power and hand tools and material moving equipment.

METAL FABRICATION



METAL FABRICATION

Metal Fabrication is the interpretation of technical drawings, layout of metal components and cutting, shaping of those components through to assembly and welding or fastening to create the finished product.

Students will develop the necessary habits concerning safety and the proper use of time, machinery, materials and work skills required to be a competent Metal Fabricator in today's workforce.

MILLWRIGHT / INDUSTRIAL MECHANIC





MILLWRIGHT / INDUSTRIAL MECHANIC

Millwrights install, maintain, dismantle and overhaul machinery such as heavy mechanical equipment, conveyor systems, pulleys, mechanical clutches, gear boxes and hydraulic and pneumatic control systems.

These operation systems are found in a variety of workplace settings such as repair shops, manufacturing plants, construction sites, mines, logging operations and production plants.

Millwrights work from plans and blueprints, do installations, do overhauls and repairs which require the use of hand tools and power tools and the use of lathes, milling machines and grinders may also be required to make customized parts or repairs.



PARTS AND WAREHOUSING

Unique in BC





PARTS AND WAREHOUSING

Students prepare for employment in the parts and service industries as a Parts Person, Warehouse Person or Inventory Clerk.

This program is appropriate for students who enjoy computer usage, automobiles and commercial or industrial equipment.

Students will learn various techniques in inventory management that relate to the parts and warehousing fields.

PLUMBING



PLUMBING

Plumbers have the knowledge and skills to install, repair and maintain a variety of piping systems and plumbing fixtures that are associated with water distribution and waste water disposal.

Job tasks will require the knowledge of codes and regulations.

Plumbers are employed in many areas of the community – educational and health care facilities, residential and commercial construction businesses, maintenance departments, plumbing contractors and manufacturing plants.

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS

Unique in BC





PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS

Public Safety Communicators are the "first" First Responders who link the public to emergency services providers for police, fire and emergency medical assistance.


The Public Safety communications program at KPU gives students the training during our eight month full-time program.

KPU has developed realistic training simulations where students handle a variety of telephone calls in our lab, enter data into our BC PRIME and Intergraph CAD systems, and transmit radio calls from our dispatch consoles and portables.



WELDING





WELDING

KPU's Welding program provides students with the necessary training to become competent welders upon successful completion of all the welding courses in each level.

Students will develop the skill and knowledge to work safely and effectively in today's demanding industrial environment.

Kwantlen graduates are able to ladder into other careers such as welding inspectors, supervisors and quality assurance personnel.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR FOUNDATIONS

- English 12, or Communications 12 with 60% (C)
- Math 11 (A&W, Foundations or Pre-Calculus) with 60% (C)
- Trades Reading and Math tests are available for students who do not meet the requirements
- Students who don't meet the requirements can upgrade (ACP)



ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR TECHNOLOGY PROGRAMS

- Computer Aided Drafting and Design
 - English 12 67% (C+)
 - Foundations or Pre-Calculus 11 with 60% (C)
- Advanced Farrier Training
 - English 12 67% (C+), references, experience handling horses
- Public Safety Communications
 - English 12 67% (C+), essay, resume, references, keyboarding



LEARN MORE! UPCOMING EVENTS...

Next KPU Tech Info Session
Monday May 2
4:00-6:30pm




What's in Your Wallet?
 A Guide to Awards and Financial Assistance at KPU





Scholarships, Bursaries and Awards

- Close to \$2,000,000 available annually to KPU students
- Over 700 Scholarships, bursaries, and awards offered each year
- Bursary (Fall, Spring, Summer)
- Entrance Scholarships and Awards
- General In-Course Awards
- Program Specific Awards
- Work-Study



Major Entrance Scholarships and Donor-Funded Entrance Awards

- Over \$250,000 in Scholarships & Awards offered each year to high school students entering KPU for the first time, in either the Fall or Spring term
- President's Scholarship: \$20,000
- Merit Scholarship: \$5,000
- Aboriginal Entrance Scholarship: \$5000
- Donor-Funded Entrance Awards: \$1000 - \$3,000



KPU Support Program for Former-Youth-In-Care

- Eligibility
- Up to \$5,000 for tuition and fees



Government Assistance Programs

- Canada/BC Integrated Student Loans for full-time post-secondary students
- Adult Upgrading Grant for full and part-time students in preparatory programs
- Part-Time Studies Financial Assistance for part-time post-secondary students



Funding for Pathway Students

If you have been admitted to KPU as a Pathways student you have access to the following student aid options:


- Students enrolled in **full-time studies*** (undergraduate level) and **adult upgrading courses** should apply for full-time student aid (Student Aid BC)
- Student enrolled in **part-time studies*** (undergraduate level) and **adult upgrading courses** should apply for both part-time grants/loans and the Adult Upgrading Grant
- Student enrolled in only **adult upgrading courses** should apply for the Adult Upgrading Grant.

*full-time studies = 9 credits or more
*part-time studies = less than 9 credits




KPU is here to help...

- Financial Advising
- Emergency Loans
- Emergency Bursaries
- Workshops



Tips for Students

- Visit kpu.ca for information: registration start times, tuition fee payment deadlines and other dates
- Visit kpu.ca/awards for award deadlines and application procedures
- Find out when tuition is due and inquire about your eligibility for a Fee Deferral



Student Awards and Financial Assistance

Thank You!

Phone (All campuses)
604.599.2000

Web
kpu.ca/awards

Email
awards@kpu.ca



KWANTLEN POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

Stepping Stones

Aboriginal Support Services

Darlene Willier – First Nations Coordinator
Brittany McNeill – Student Recruitment
Coordinator

ABORIGINAL CULTURE

- Kwantlen First Nation of the Coast Salish People
- KPU's campuses reside on the traditional territories of the Tsawwassen, Musqueam, Katzie, Semiahmoo and Kwantlen First Nations
- Tireless Runner: "through tireless effort, knowledge, and understanding."

INITIATIVES

- Tsawwassen First Nations- Farm School
- Trades Partnership between the ITA, North Van School District and Squamish First Nations (Piping)
- New Entrance Scholarships
- New Aboriginal Admissions Category
- New Elder in Residence

ELDER IN RESIDENCE



- **Lekeyten**
- **First Elder in Residence at KPU**- installed on Jan. 29, 2015
- **Responsibilities include:** providing support to individual students and groups, leading classrooms activities, conducting talking circles, assisting in adapting curriculum, etc

ABORIGINAL STUDENT SERVICES

Career Services and Employment Opportunities



Aboriginal Gathering Place & Tutoring



Financial Aid and Band Funding Assistance



ABORIGINAL STUDENT SERVICES

Connections to Organizations and Bands



Cultural Activities



FUNDING

Financial Assistance

- Band Funding
- Metis Nation of BC (MNBC)
- Former Youth In Care (KPU)
- Emergency Funding (KPU)
- Loans

KPU Awards + Scholarships

- Entrance Scholarship
 - 2 x \$5,000
- Tireless Runner Award
- Pah- EE Memorial Award
- Irving K. Barber

KPU PROGRAMS

- Aboriginal High School On Campus (AHSOC)
- HSOC
- NITEP
- Minor in Indigenous Community Justice

ABORIGINAL ADMISSIONS

- Aboriginal applicant who does NOT meet any other admission category
- Assessed on individual basis through an assessment of educational background, cultural knowledge, life experience, academic goals and personal achievements
- Evaluated by the Aboriginal Admissions Committee

EARLY PREPARATION

- Apply early to various institutions
- Apply early for band funding
- Course planning
 - High School contact, educational advisor
- Program Planning
 - Recruiter/Admissions advisor

STAY CONNECTED

Tours

- Any campus
- Led by student ambassadors
- www.kpu.ca/tours

Events

- Paw-Wow
- Aboriginal Open House
- Cultural Activities
- Darlene.willier@kpu.ca

Presentation

- During Lunch Hour
- Intro to Post Secondary
- Brittany.mcneill@kpu.ca

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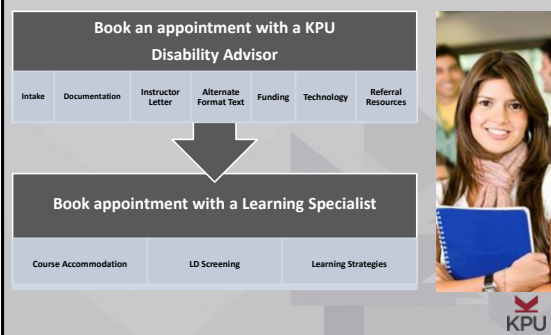
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Services For Students With Disabilities



Student Accommodation Process



Mission Statement

KPU promotes a barrier-free environment that facilitates equal opportunities for persons with disabilities. KPU provides physical, academic, and social access for students with disabilities by working to eliminate physical, course and program, policy, information, technological, and attitudinal barriers.



Documentation

- **Current (3 to 5 years), include diagnosis, functional impact**
- **Typical Documentation:**
 - **Hard of Hearing-** Audiologist
 - **Visually Impaired-** Ophthalmologist
 - **Deaf or Blind-** Doctor's Letter
 - **Learning Disability-** Psycho-educational Assessment
 - **Mental Health-** Psychiatrist's Report
 - **Medical Conditions-** Specialist's Report



Funding Options

- Canada Student Grant for Persons with Permanent Disabilities (**CSGP-PD**) (Full and Part-time)
- British Columbia Access Grant (**BCAG**)
- BC Supplemental Bursary for Students with a Permanent Disability (**SBSD**)
- Canada Student Grant for Services and Equipment for Persons with Permanent Disabilities (**CSGP-SEPD**)



Funding Options For Learning Disability

- Learning Disability Assessment Reimbursement
- Learning Disability Assessment Bursary (**LDAB**)



Accommodations We Provide



Services We Provide



Who We Are

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TRANSITION TO POST-SECONDARY LEARNING

Presented By:
Marti Alger
Kwantlen Polytechnic University

Understanding our Students

- Let's try the Starter Quiz
- Please think about one student you know well who may be transitioning to post-secondary studies in the near future. Answer as if you are this individual.
- Thinking about some of your answers, what are the strengths and challenges of our students?

Differences- Secondary and Post Secondary

How can you assist your students going forward?

- Learning Aids- <http://www.kpu.ca/learningcentres>
- High school counsellors and teachers are very important- your influence is especially significant for first gen students and those with disabilities
- Encourage your students to persist
- Connect with us in post secondary- we are open to collaboration

Dual Credit

- Allows students to earn credit at high school and KPU
- Can be for trades, but other avenues are also available
 - kpu.ca/dualcredit

Transition Programs at KPU

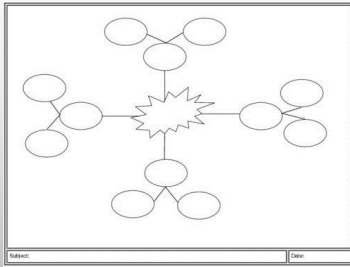
ACE-It Transition Program for Trades Students- January	It's About U for general student population- August
100 students over 4 sessions	70 students over 3 days
Recommended by high school- promoted and information sessions	Promoted through website, counsellors, some high school contact
Half Day	Three Days
Focus on Hands-On Activities, Getting to Know KPU and Understanding Self as a Learner	Focus on Learning Strategies, Understanding the Hidden Curriculum, Forming Social Bonds, Connecting with Learning Supports including peer tutors

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

- Introduce supports in the university environment
- Provide role models of successful students
- Ease transition by providing social opportunities to connect with other students
- Follow-up with participants through the first semester to encourage their continued success

Summing it Up

Discussion of strengths, concerns going forward and possible changes.
Are there ways we can work collaboratively for the benefit of our students?



Contact Information

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