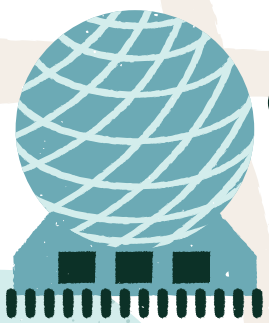




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GOING WEST.

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Welcome to University Canada West

As the president of University Canada West (UCW), I'd like to thank you for taking an interest in our institution. If you've picked up or downloaded this brochure, it's likely because you're planning your next big move. I'm so glad you've discovered us.

You may be thinking about getting your first degree, upskilling for a promotion, planning a career change or simply seeking a stronger measure of security in uncertain times. You might be from the greater Vancouver area; you may be from BC's interior or its northern reaches; or you may be from anywhere across Canada or around the world. UCW welcomes all of you.

UCW was founded in 2004 as a business and technology-focused university. Our faculty stand out for their hands-on business experience, and our programs are able to stay abreast of the latest changes and trends in business, entrepreneurship and innovation. We offer smaller class sizes and flexible programs, so that students can balance their school commitments with work and personal life.

But what is very special is we also offer one of Canada's best urban campus experiences. Vancouver is an oceanfront metropolis set against a backdrop of snow-capped mountain peaks. Our two campuses are located in the heart of the city, a short walk away from either the beach or the business district. Our new campus is situated in the recently-completed Vancouver House development, an architectural marvel hailed the world over for its structural and design innovations.

Once at UCW you'll meet students from more than 100 different countries. They've all chosen to study here in Canada, and they're discovering what our local students have always known: Vancouver is a tremendous city, and UCW offers one of its best learning experiences. Our campuses and our faculty foster a cohesive student community that's working and studying together and supporting each other.

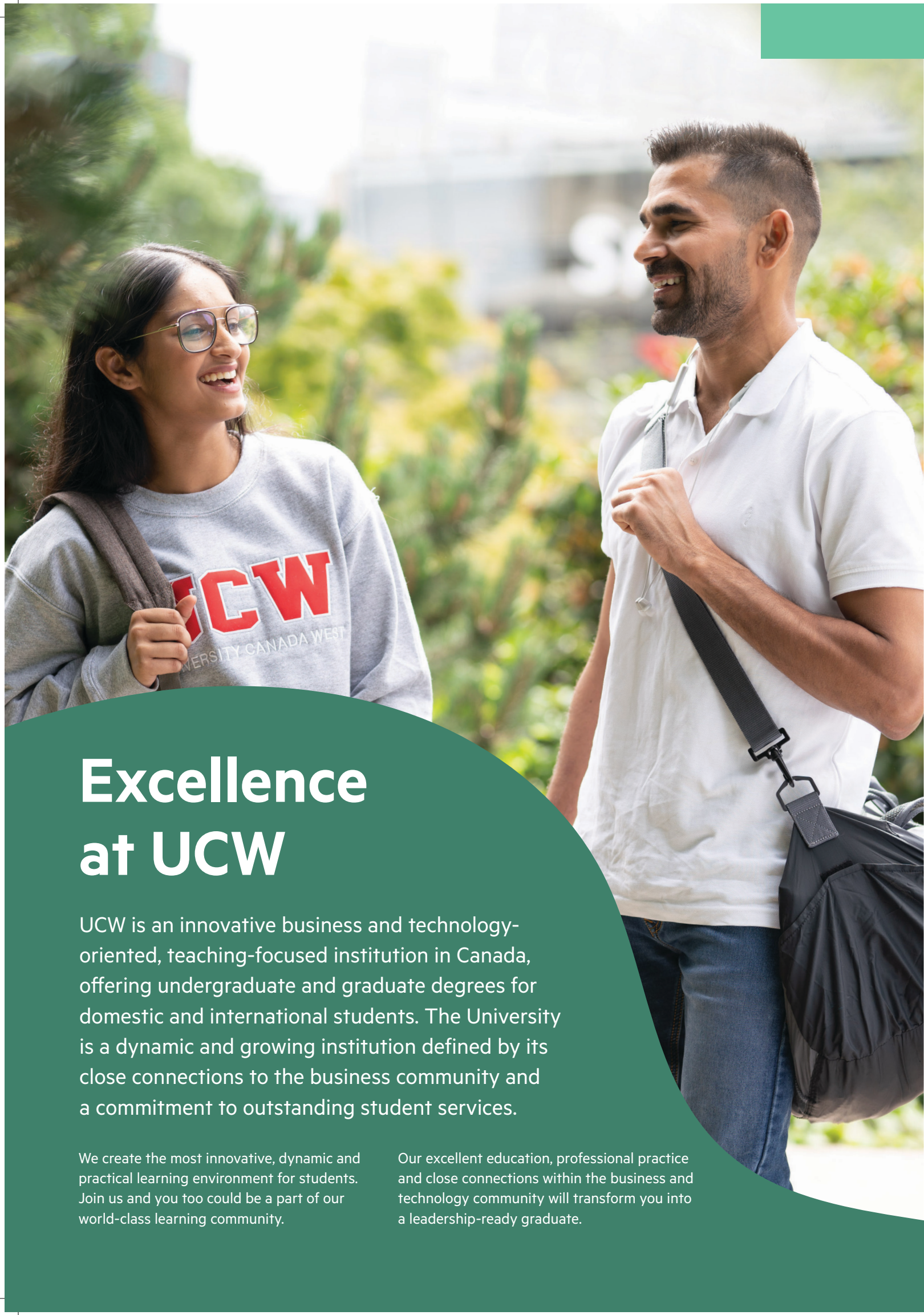
COVID-19 has changed much about the world and created uncertainty for many, but UCW has emerged from the pandemic better prepared than ever. Our COVID-19 response is designed to keep our campus safe for everyone.

As you read through this brochure, you'll learn more about UCW's selection of excellent, business and tech-focused undergraduate and graduate programs. If you are ready to take your next big step, UCW is here for you. I hope to see you on campus soon.

Sheldon Levy
Interim President & Vice-Chancellor



Your success
is our priority and
this is what makes
us different. We
genuinely care.



Excellence at UCW

UCW is an innovative business and technology-oriented, teaching-focused institution in Canada, offering undergraduate and graduate degrees for domestic and international students. The University is a dynamic and growing institution defined by its close connections to the business community and a commitment to outstanding student services.

We create the most innovative, dynamic and practical learning environment for students. Join us and you too could be a part of our world-class learning community.

Our excellent education, professional practice and close connections within the business and technology community will transform you into a leadership-ready graduate.

5 Star Rating from QS Stars



University Canada West is honoured to have received a 5 Star rating from the QS Stars higher education rating system, the world’s most popular source of comparative data on university performance, in Fall 2021.

UCW is the third university in Canada, and the first in British Columbia, to receive a 5 Star rating from QS Stars. There are only a total of seven institutions in the United States and Canada that have received a 5 Star rating.

The QS Stars rating system provides an in-depth evaluation that assesses a university on a broad range of key performance indicators. Institutions receive an overall rating between zero and 5+ stars, as well as a rating in at least eight of 13 key areas. UCW’s scores included:

- **Teaching: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks for faculty-student ratio, overall student satisfaction and satisfaction with teaching.
- **Employability: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks for employer reputation and career service support and high marks in graduate employment rate.
- **Academic Development: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks in all categories – teaching and research assistantships, learning development centre, faculty office hours, faculty development programs and university networks.
- **Online Learning: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks for student-faculty engagement, student services and technology, application per enrolment, track record, commitment to online learning and student interaction and high marks for online outsourcing.
- **Social Responsibility: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks for environmental impact, funds for community investment and charity work and regional human capital development.
- **Inclusiveness: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks for disabled access, scholarships and bursaries and low-income outreach.
- **Internationalization: 4 Stars**
UCW received full marks for international diversity, international support centre, international students and international faculty.
- **Specialist Criteria – MBA program: 5 Stars**
UCW received full marks for accreditations, applications per place and international students, and high marks for student satisfaction, graduate employment rate and faculty-student ratio.



UCW BY THE NUMBERS



6,000+
Students

Students from
100+
countries



Students ages
17-65



100%
MBA students
secured
employment
within 6 months
of graduation

28
Average
class size

2
Downtown
Vancouver
campuses



WHY GO WEST

New Campus

University Canada West opened its brand-new, state-of-the-art campus at Vancouver House in October 2020. At more than 90,000 square feet, UCW Vancouver House can accommodate more than 3,400 students. Located between Vancouver's trendy West End and Yaletown neighbourhoods, the new campus includes two computer labs, student lounges and an innovation hub.

Get Practical Canadian Experience

Located in the heart of downtown Vancouver, UCW is surrounded by many of the world's largest companies giving our students unparalleled access to a network of prospective employers.

Career Development

UCW students are ready to join the workforce as soon as they graduate. 100% of our MBA grads find employment within six months of graduation. And our Career Development Specialists help set students up for success with resumé, cover letter and job interview guidance, as well as weekly career workshops.

Immigration Opportunities

UCW is on the Government of Canada's list of approved Designated Learning Institutions and is welcoming new international students. International students may be eligible to work in Canada while studying and for a Post-Graduation Work Permit after they successfully complete their degree program.

Flexibility

Our programs are delivered over four terms per year, which means motivated students can complete their degree more quickly, reducing the time you spend in school before landing your dream job. If you possess previously earned university credits recognized by UCW, you may find yourself completing your program faster than you thought possible.

Student-centric Environment

Student success is our business! At UCW we offer a variety of services for students to help enrich their university experience and to ensure every student attains their educational goals and personal pursuits.

Study Abroad Opportunities

UCW's Semester Abroad Program gives students the opportunity to boost their academic experience, connect with students from more than 90 countries, meet professors with years of industry experience and engage in enriching classroom discussions.

Scholarships

UCW offers a variety of scholarships, bursaries and grants. International students can save up to \$20,000 in tuition fees.

Experienced Faculty

Our professors are not just esteemed academics; they also have years of industry experience. They don't just repeat textbook content; they bring their years of experience in business into the classroom. Throughout your program, your professors will use their years of professional work to equip you with the latest knowledge and skills needed to succeed in today's competitive global marketplace.



FLEXIBILITY & OPPORTUNITY

Small Class Sizes

At UCW, we keep our class sizes small so our students can enjoy a high level of interaction with their classmates and benefit from the one-on-one undivided attention from professors that they require to excel.

Transfer Credits

University Canada West is a member of the BC Transfer System (BCCAT) with more than 2,600 credit transfer arrangements with other post-secondary institutions. Students can transfer academic credits from other recognized post-secondary institutions to University Canada West courses and programs.



Accreditations, memberships and designations are important to a university because they externally validate the quality of the education provided. UCW is recognized by the following organizations for its high-quality education:



The Education Quality Assurance (EQA) designation identifies BC public and private post-secondary institutions that have met or exceeded provincial government-recognized standards for quality assurance and consumer protection. UCW has received permission from EQA to use its seal on its materials.



University Canada West has earned ACBSP Global Business Accreditation for its MBA and BCom degree programs. The Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs accredits business, accounting and business-related programs at the associate, baccalaureate, masters and doctoral degree levels worldwide.



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Languages Canada is Canada's national language education association representing more than 225 private and public language education members that offer accredited English and French programs. UCW's University Access Program is accredited by Languages Canada, another mark of distinction.



The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) connects educators, students and businesses to achieve a common goal: to create the next generation of great leaders. UCW is a member of AACSB in their mission is to foster engagement, accelerate innovation and amplify impact in business education.



University Canada West has earned NCMA National Accreditation for its MBA and BCom degree programs from CIM | Chartered Managers Canada. CIM | Chartered Managers Canada offers a comprehensive National Accreditation process that reviews college and university programs and grants equivalency to the association's Chartered Management Program.



Canadian Bureau for International Education (CBIE) is an association of educational institutions that are engaged in internationalizing education programs, student services, campuses and communities. They seek to enhance their members' knowledge and skills in cross-cultural communications, managing services for inbound and outbound students, and developing capacity-building projects abroad.



University Canada West is proud to be officially recognized as an affiliate collegiate chapter of the American Marketing Association. The University launched the UCW Marketing Association Collegiate Chapter in January 2020 to bring together students and marketing professionals to connect, learn and find inspiration.



University Canada West is pleased to be a member of the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE), furthering campus efforts to build a thriving, equitable and ecologically just world. Through membership in AASHE, UCW receives support in advancing its sustainability initiatives throughout its campuses and in the community.



University Canada West is pleased to be a member of the BC Tech Association. BC Tech is a non-profit dedicated to making BC the best place to grow and scale a tech company. The Association is a trusted and respected voice for the tech sector in British Columbia.

ACCREDITATIONS & DESIGNATIONS

NEW

UCW VANCOUVER HOUSE CAMPUS

UNIVERSITY
CANADA WEST
OPENED ITS NEW
VANCOUVER
HOUSE CAMPUS
IN OCTOBER 2020.

The campus is part of the stunning Vancouver House development. In 2019, CNN named the globally recognized project designed by star Danish architect Bjarke Ingles of BIG, one of the “most anticipated buildings set to shape the world.”

90,000

square feet of classrooms,
student lounges and
computer labs

3,400+

students can
be comfortably
accommodated
on campus

UCW's Vancouver House Campus, which at 90,000 square feet can accommodate more than 3,400 students, is located downtown between the West End and Yaletown, just steps from Sunset Beach, English Bay and Vancouver's 28-kilometre seawall, the world's longest uninterrupted waterfront path.

Sustainability

UCW Vancouver House offers a deep level of sustainability with green roofs, triple glazing, innovative energy and resource conservation technologies and a district energy connection, as well as a mix of wellness programming including bike facilities, end of trip facilities and integration with the future pedestrian greenway on the Granville Street Bridge.





**NAMED ONE
OF THE “MOST
ANTICIPATED
BUILDINGS SET
TO SHAPE THE
WORLD” BY CNN**



Applying the “Total Design” philosophy to an entire district and building on the success of Granville Island across False Creek, Vancouver House is the active core of a new waterfront neighbourhood called the Beach District.



The Beach District community is poised to become a year-round destination, with a marketplace, creative workspace and innovative retailers hosted in five shipping containers with rotating year-round programming, a unique mix of restaurants and cafés, one-off concepts, shops and services, food carts and craft fairs, all animated by a range of street celebrations, block parties and pop-up events.



Awards & Accolades

In November 2021, Vancouver House was honoured with two AFBC Architecture Awards of Excellence, the highest level of architecture awards in British Columbia – a Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia Award in Architecture and a Design Excellence Award.

Best Tall Building Worldwide at the 18th Annual Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat (CTBUH) Awards.

Best Tall Building 100-199 Metres 2021 Award of Excellence at the 2021 CTBUH Annual Awards.

Best Tall Residential or Hotel Building 2021 Award of Excellence at the 2021 CTBUH Annual Awards.

In 2019, CNN named Vancouver House one of the “most anticipated buildings set to shape the world in 2020.”

Awarded Future Project of the Year at the 2015 World Architecture Festival Awards in Singapore.



UCW WEST PENDER CAMPUS

**IN 2014, UCW
OPENED ITS WEST
PENDER CAMPUS
IN THE LONDON
BUILDING, A
HISTORIC OFFICE
BUILDING IN
THE HEART OF
DOWNTOWN
VANCOUVER.**

Since moving into The London Building, UCW completed a major reconfiguration to the lobby, significant improvements to the first and second floors, and renovations to other floors to expand the number of classrooms and add additional amenities for students, faculty and staff.

The campus is steps away from public transit, including the Waterfront SkyTrain Station, bus routes and the SeaBus terminal. The lively and diverse neighbourhood is full of restaurants, stores, entertainment options, shopping centres and gym facilities.





Sustainability

UCW understands the importance of sustainability to the future of our planet. We are committed to creating a green footprint for the environmental stewardship of our campuses. UCW strives to not only teaching sustainability but also to modeling it through our own actions.

Curriculum & Faculty

University Canada West is dedicated to expanding our sustainability footprint through ongoing integration of sustainability throughout our academic offerings.

For UCW students, sustainability can be a component of your educational program. Today, we offer two types of sustainability education:

1. Course content within our degree programs; and
2. A micro-credential in **Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR)**.

In addition, several Professors at UCW are involved in sustainability research or lead sustainability initiatives as part of their professional practice. [View the full list of sustainability courses on the website at: ucanwest.ca/about/sustainability/academics.](#)

Transportation

UCW is ideally located near public transit. In fact, students arriving at Vancouver International Airport (YVR) might never need to drive. The UCW Vancouver House Campus is conveniently close to two adjacent active travel paths, rapid transit and an express bus service within a 10 minute walk, as well as a shuttle that supports both bike and wheelchairs to our door, and a foot ferry that also accommodates cyclists.

Transportation is responsible for approximately half of the climate emissions created in the City of Vancouver. Gas-powered vehicles also contribute to public health crises, including respiratory disease caused by microscopic particulate emissions (learn more about PM2.5 [here](#)) from combustion and tire particles. The automobile also consumes more than 2% of our land mass for roads and parking. Overall, transportation is one of the more important sustainability issues of our time.

UCW manages our transportation footprint by:

- Ensuring that our community is aware of transit options (rail, bus and boat)
- Encouraging and facilitating self-propelled modes of commuting (walk, run, bike)
- Where possible, reducing the amount of travel required by staff and students (remote work and study).

Our Sustainable Transportation Policy can be found on the website at: ucanwest.ca/about/policies.

If you need to drive to UCW, we won't hold it against you, but we will encourage you to get an electric vehicle or carpool as health restrictions allow.

UCW has an active working group that considers issues of policy and Transportation Demand Management (TDM). This group reviews any comments about transportation and directs them to the appropriate party. They also make recommendations to the Executive Committee.

Current TDM Working Group Members include:

- Ed Bagg – VP Operations & IT Services
- Herneet Dhillon – Executive Director, People & Culture
- Adrian Mitescu – Director of Information Services

Plan Your Journey by Public Transit

Find schedules and maps for bus, SeaBus, SkyTrain and West Coast Express at: translink.ca/schedules-and-maps.



Campus Buildings

Our Vancouver House Campus is a highly efficient building due to a wide variety of sustainability features and its recent construction (2020). The developer of our campus is currently pursuing Sustainable Building Certification from the Canada Green Building Council.

Energy

While the campus has a great deal of windows, efficient triple pane glass was used to create a tight envelope or shell to reduce heat loss. Each of UCW's buildings is also well shaded to reduce solar heat gain in the summer.

To create optimal insulation, bird habitat and a pleasing aesthetic, each of our buildings are topped with green roofs.

The buildings are on a district energy system for both heating and cooling. When heating in the winter, the district energy system relies on 96% efficient boiler systems that deliver low temperature hot water for heating.

All of the lighting within our campus is light emitting diode (LED) technology and we selected classroom AV and kitchen appliances for energy efficiency.

In support of electric vehicles, all parking spots in our underground parking are wired for EV chargers.

Tips: Help us conserve energy to reduce our impact on the planet by:

- Turning it off when it's not in use.
- Taking the stairs whenever possible (It's better for your health too)

Water

Water and energy have always been closely linked in the world of building management. The water that we use takes energy to clean, move and dispose of after use. This is true in British Columbia, as much as anywhere in the world, because 97% of our electricity comes from hydroelectric dams.

At UCW, all of our fixtures are low flow efficiency rated to reduce water consumption. In the interest of human health, dining facilities are also equipped with additional purification systems.

The aforementioned green roofs control storm water by absorbing rainfall. They also delay storm water release by emptying excess water to a cistern system before releasing into the city's stormwater sewers.

Recycling

When UCW moved to Vancouver House, the University was careful to follow the waste management hierarchy by:

- Reducing our need for materials (Reduce)
- Identifying any materials that we could bring with us (Reuse)
- Ensuring materials we needed had recycled content (Recycle) and that our relocation and purchase packaging was recycled.
- Recovering hard to recycle by-products from our purchases (Reclaim)

UCW also REFUSED to use materials that were red-listed or compromised indoor air quality.

Here are a few examples of such measures:

- Requiring air quality certification for our purchased furnishings, fittings and finishes (such as chairs, carpets, counters and paints)
- Selected carpet that had high recycled material content
- Ensured selection of long-lasting and easily repaired furniture

Of course, our society still wears things out and relies on packaging for product protection and safety. To answer this need for waste management, UCW has an active recycling program.

At every dining area, you'll find four product waste receptacles. We separate items that can't be easily recycled from:

- Food waste (Organics)
- Containers (Plastic, Glass and Aluminum)
- Wood fiber (Paper and Cardboard)

If you're not sure what can be recycled, a current list of materials can be found on the Recycling BC website.

Tip: Want to help reduce waste? Start by refusing to use single use containers. The most common source of avoidable waste is our drinking containers. Carry a reusable mug and water bottle, hydration is also important to your health and studying.

UCW is a proud member of the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education (AASHE).



A PLACE TO STUDY, WORK & PLAY.

- 1 UCW West Pender Campus
- 2 UCW Vancouver House Campus
- 3 Science World
- 4 Canada Place
- 5 Granville Island
- 6 Stanley Park
- 7 English Bay
- 8 Sunset Beach
- 9 Queen Elizabeth Theatre
- 10 Roundhouse Community Centre
- 11 Yaletown Skytrain Station
- 12 Vancouver Public Library
- 13 Vancouver Art Gallery
- 14 Rogers Arena
- 15 Waterfront Skytrain Station



CANADA RANKED #1 COUNTRY FOR QUALITY OF LIFE*



*US News & World Report, 2020



HOME AWAY FROM HOME.

University Canada West has partnered with 4stay.com for off-campus housing for our students. 4stay connects students with local room providers to give students a range of options for their accommodations. 4stay sources multiple room suppliers so students don't have to search multiple websites to find the right fit. No deposit is required and 4stay guarantees their listings so UCW students can feel confident when booking.

Start your search for suitable accommodation by visiting housing.ucanwest.ca.





WHY STUDY IN CANADA?

Many international students studying in Canada are eligible to work up to 20 hours a week if they are enrolled in a full-time program for at least six months. Upon graduation, former students can apply for a Post-Graduation Work Permit. In 2019, Canada hosted more than 650,000 international post-secondary students. And many international students decide to make their move to Canada permanent. In fact, more than 58,000 former international students have gone on to become Canadian permanent residents.

A Path to a Promising Future

Research has shown that Canadian college and university students, both domestic and international, graduate with strong earning potential. Canadian post-secondary institutions position graduates for a successful future and rewarding careers. Between March 2009 and March 2019 Canada created 1.8 million new jobs for graduates.

Canada is Safe

Canada has long been considered a very safe country. It boasts lower crime rates than many other western nations and the border between Canada and its closest neighbour, the United States, is the longest undefended international boundary in the world. Canada currently ranks 6th out of 163 countries on the Global Peace Index.

Affordable Education

The cost of schooling for international students studying in Canada is considerably cheaper than elsewhere in the world. Among English-speaking destinations, Canada has the lowest tuition fees for international students.

Quality Education

Students who study in Canada have access to some of the highest quality education in the world. Universities in Canada and British Columbia are internationally known for excellence. All universities and colleges are regulated by the provincial governments. If you are attending a university in Canada, you know it is meeting or exceeding strict government standards.

A person is seen from behind, sitting in a kayak on a calm body of water. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a warm, orange and pink glow across the sky and reflecting on the water. The Vancouver skyline is visible in the distance. The foreground shows the front of another kayak, suggesting the viewer is also on the water.

EXPERIENCE VANCOUVER

Vancouver is world-famous for its natural beauty and cultural diversity. Top spots include Stanley Park, one of the largest urban parks in North America, the city's picturesque beaches, Granville Island Public Market and the largest Chinatown in Canada.

VANCOUVER CITY

YOU'RE
GOING TO
LOVE IT
HERE.



Vancouver's Diversity

Vancouver is made up of a mix of different religions, ethnicities and cultural groups from around the world, as well as Canada's Indigenous communities. The city is home to a vibrant historic Chinatown. Established in the 1890s, today Vancouver's Chinatown is the largest in Canada and the third largest in North America. The city's historic Punjabi Market area, also known as Little India, celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2020. It is the epicentre for the city's Indo-Canadian community and its annual Vaisakhi Parade, which draws more than 100,000 people. It has become the region's largest single-day festival.

The Vancouver Factor

Vancouver offers a wealth of study and work opportunities. The city has a rich history across different business sectors and has made a significant impact on the world economy with both traditional and newer industries, including a booming technology sector. BC has a skilled and innovative workforce, rich natural resources, high quality of life and its gateway location between North America and Asia provide the foundation for almost limited economic opportunity.

**“IT’S A LIQUID CITY,
A TOMORROW CITY,
EQUAL PARTS INDIA,
CHINA, ENGLAND,
FRANCE AND THE
PACIFIC NORTHWEST.
IT’S THE COOL NORTH
AMERICAN SIBLING.”**

– The New York Times

Vancouver's Green Spaces

Vancouver is home to more than 230 parks and green spaces, including the world-famous Stanley Park. At 405 hectares, Stanley Park is one of the largest urban parks in North America and is larger than New York City's Central Park. It is home to roughly half a million trees, including many that are hundreds of years old. Stanley Park features kilometres of trails, beautiful beaches, local wildlife, and natural, cultural and historical landmarks.

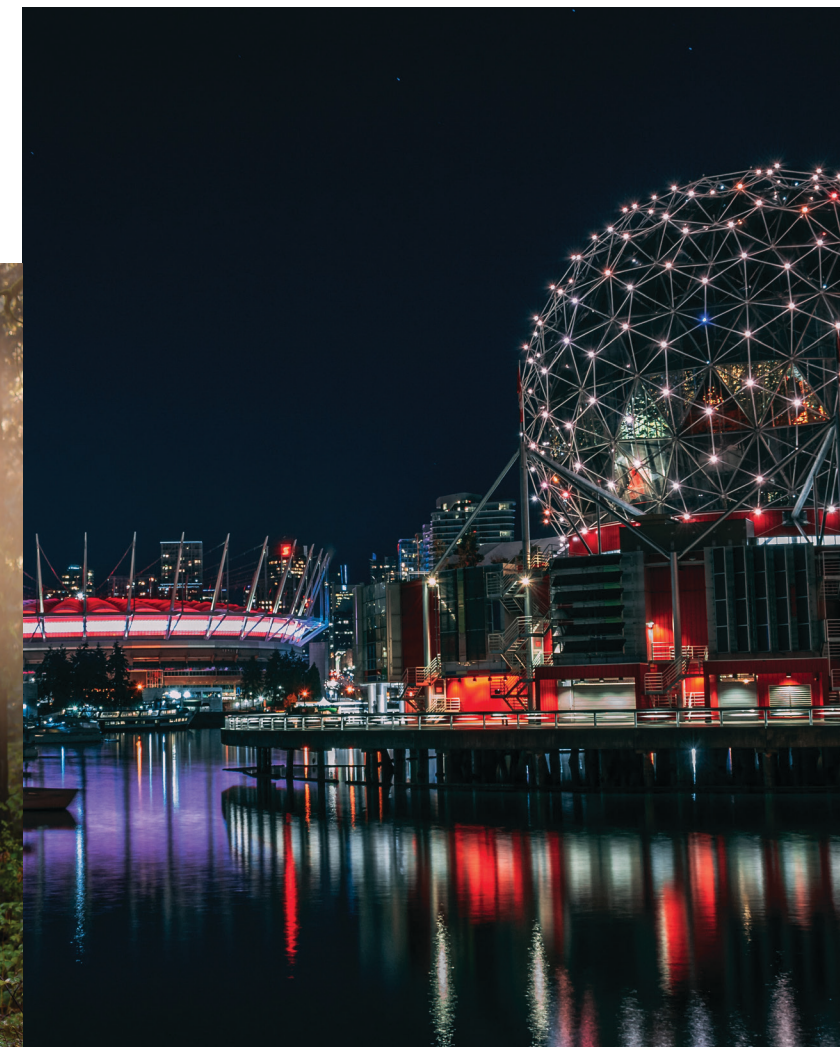
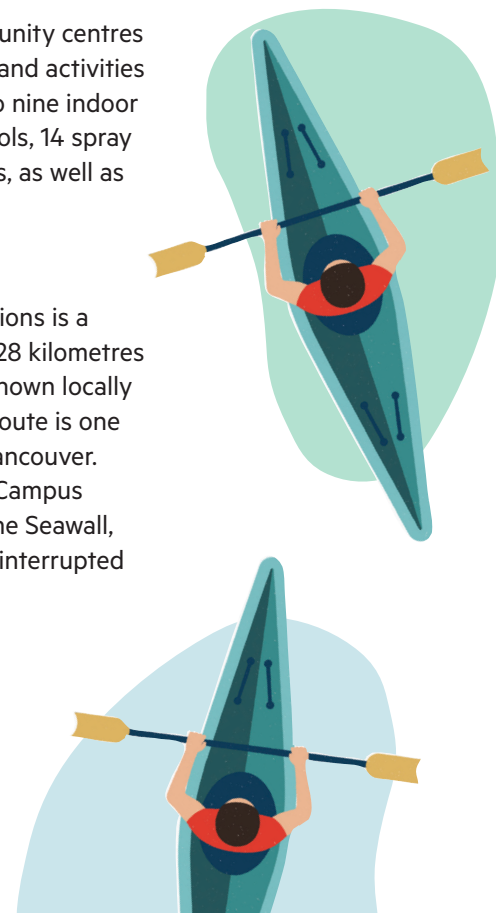
Vancouver Family Fun

Vancouver is made for families! In addition to a bounty of family-friendly activities and attractions and more than 230 parks and green spaces, Vancouver boasts more than

150 playgrounds and 24 community centres that offer a variety of services and activities for all ages. The city is home to nine indoor and five outdoor swimming pools, 14 spray parks and several wading pools, as well as eight indoor ice rinks.

Vancouver's Seawall

One of Vancouver's top attractions is a paved pathway that stretches 28 kilometres around the city's waterfront. Known locally as The Seawall, following this route is one of the best ways to discover Vancouver. UCW's new Vancouver House Campus located just steps away from the Seawall, which is the world's longest uninterrupted waterfront path.



VANCOUVER OUTDOORS



From skiing to kayaking and whale watching, Vancouver offers a stunning backdrop for ALL adventure seekers.

NO MATTER WHAT KIND OF ADVENTURE YOU'RE LOOKING FOR, THERE'S SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE IN VANCOUVER.

Whether you're a thrill-seeking explorer who enjoys the adrenaline rush of zipping down a ski slope or someone who prefers the serenity of green outdoor spaces, you will find it all here.

Enjoy strolling around historic Gastown, taking the Aquabus to explore Granville Island, biking or walking the Seawall, skiing, snowboarding, kayaking and hiking in some of the most beautiful locations in Canada.



Skiing and Snowboarding

Snow rarely falls in the city of Vancouver, but the same cannot be said for the city's local ski hills – Cypress Mountain, Grouse Mountain and Mount Seymour delight locals and welcome tourists from around the country all winter long. And just a couple hours north of the city, is British Columbia's world-famous Whistler/Blackcomb Ski Resort. At more than 3,278 hectares, it is the largest ski resort in North America and boasts the greatest uphill lift capacity.

Hiking

Whether you're an experienced hiker, or a beginner looking to enjoy the great outdoors, there is a plethora of hiking trails for all ages and abilities in and around Vancouver. Pacific Spirit Park, which is located on the west side of the city, offers several easy trails of varying lengths throughout more than 750 hectares of richly dense forest. Looking for more of a challenge? The Grouse Grind or "Mother Nature's Stairmaster", as its commonly known amongst city residents, is a 2.5-kilometre hike up Grouse Mountain. Don't let the short distance fool you, this steep trail features an 800-metre elevation gain – there's a reason many locals call it Mother Nature's Stairmaster. However, when you get to the top you will be rewarded with the most breath-taking views of the city and Burrard Inlet from the 853-metre summit.

Cycling

Vancouver's moderate climate makes it possible to cycle almost year-round. The City of Vancouver has a comprehensive system of bike routes, paths, dedicated bike lanes and greenways throughout the city. And Vancouver's North Shore is famous for its stellar mountain biking terrain. It has been featured in countless freeride films and has inspired trail builders and bikers around the world to replicate that North Shore style.

Water Sports

As a city on the water, Vancouver has plenty to offer for water-sports enthusiasts. Stand-up paddleboarding has become increasingly popular in recent years and there are several locations in the city that offer paddleboard rentals, guided tours and even paddleboard yoga.

If paddleboarding isn't your thing, you can still enjoy Vancouver's waters from a kayak or canoe. And if you're looking to escape the urban jungle, Deep Cove is located only 25 minutes from downtown Vancouver. From there you can access Indian Arm, a scenic fjord surrounded by spectacular mountains. There are many destinations along Indian Arm that range from only a half hour to a full day paddle from Deep Cove either by kayak or stand up paddleboard.

Fishing

Vancouver is the ultimate place to fish due to its endless coastline. Before heading out on the water, fishing-enthusiasts will need to get a license from a tackle shop, department store or marina. You can then charter a boat from any reputable organization located at Granville Island, Horseshoe Bay or Coal Harbour.

Golfing

Vancouver's mild climate means that you can play golf almost all year round, and there are several golf courses within the city of Vancouver, as well as in the surrounding region, where you can play a round, practise your swing and perfect your putt.



Vancouver as a Career Destination

Vancouver was ranked #1 in North America for high-tech job growth*

British Columbia Labour Market 2019-2029 Forecast

Job growth has been strong in British Columbia lately and unemployment has dropped. The people of B.C. can look forward to growth in the economy over the next decade. Employment in B.C. is expected to grow moderately – with an annual average employment growth of 1% – and reach almost 2.8 million by 2029.

A Growing Demand for Workers

It is predicted that there will be 861,000 job openings in British Columbia between now and 2029. This includes the creation of 263,000 new jobs due to economic growth and the need to replace 598,000 workers who will permanently leave the workforce, largely due to retirement.

Vancouver Labour Market

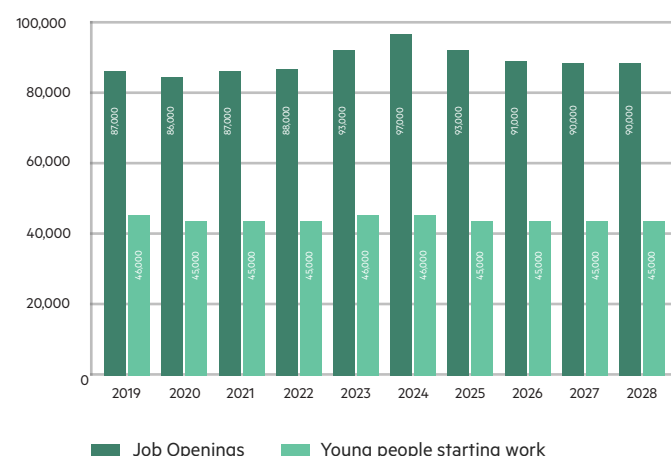
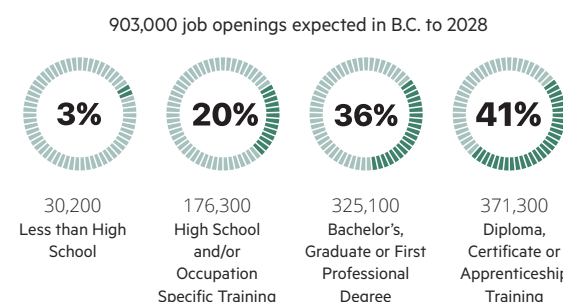
The City of Vancouver offers a wealth of study and work opportunities and you'll be surrounded by wonderful natural beauty. This is truly the ultimate place to be.

Vancouver is British Columbia's major commercial and financial centre, with strong trading transport and economic links to the rest of the world.

Vancouver is also home to some of Canada's top companies including, Amazon, Salesforce and Samsung, meaning UCW students have unparalleled access to a network of prospective employers. The city is home to a number of exciting businesses and a growing start-up community. Vancouver was named one of the top 25 cities in the world for best start-up ecosystems by Startup Genome.

Other key urban centres in British Columbia ideally suited for conducting business include: Victoria, Kelowna, Kamloops, Prince George and Nanaimo. Metro Vancouver has an excellent and extensive transportation infrastructure. Vancouver International Airport (YVR) provides direct air services to some 130 destinations in Canada, the U.S. and around the world, more than 110 of which are non-stop flights.

Young People Starting Work vs. Job Openings, B.C., 2018-2028, Annual



* 2020 CBRE North America Tech-30 Report

Employment and Opportunities



Many of the world's biggest companies have offices within walking distance of our downtown campus, providing you with unparalleled access to a network of prospective employers.

Vancouver is a hub of exciting activities and a city full of great opportunities. You will be able to acquire relevant work experience, which is an important step in launching your career. Many UCW students and graduates are working in or outside Canada, retaining global presence.

There are many reasons why students want to work globally. It is very common for students, who live and work away from their home country on a permanent basis, to move to a new city or seek a new position while there.

Where do UCW students work?

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"I obtained employment at a well-known office supply retail giant. UCW's contribution to my job search cannot be understated, and I am extremely grateful for the people and culture at my school!"

Marciano,
MBA, The Bahamas



Work While you Study

You may be eligible to work in Canada while studying, if your study permit includes a condition that says you can work on or off campus. You must also meet all the other requirements.

Visit the Canadian Government Website for more details at: www.cic.gc.ca/english/helpcentre

International students may also be eligible for a Post-Graduation Work Permit after they successfully complete their degree program. For more details and current regulations visit the Citizen and Immigration Canada website at: www.cic.gc.ca.

Internships


University Canada West builds connections between students and the business community through real-world education and work experiences, including a new internship program for MBA students. This initiative provides students with the choice of enrolling in WORK 601 Graduate Internship as one of four tier-four MBA courses to complete their MBA degree requirements.

Internship programs provide students with exposure to workplace activities, culture immersion, support application of education and direct skills practices related to the student intern's field of study. A key component of student value with internships is their ability to increase their connections and network, increasing their job opportunities and career prospects.

For international students, internships provide critical Canadian work experience before graduating as they demonstrate key MBA competencies and grow skills relevant to their career goals.

Student interns build confidence and increase their visibility for future employment opportunities.



A photograph of three young adults, two men and one woman, sitting around a dark wooden table in a bright room with large windows. They are all smiling and looking towards the right. The woman in the center is gesturing with her hand while speaking. On the table are a laptop, several open books, a smartphone, and pens. A green curved graphic element is in the bottom left corner.

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMS

Bachelor of Commerce

This 120-credit Bachelor of Commerce degree is ACBSP and NCMA accredited. It combines theoretical and practical learning to give you an in-depth understanding of today's evolving business environment.

KEY FACTS

INTAKES

Fall (October)
Winter (January)
Spring (April)
Summer (July)

PROGRAM LENGTH

4 Years

Faster completion options available for motivated students. The UCW academic year is organized to create an environment of learner flexibility and rapid degree completion. Courses are scheduled in four terms each of which consists of 10 weeks of classes plus two weeks of review and exams. Students can take a maximum of five courses per term.

DELIVERY

On-Campus, Online

2022 BCom Tuition Fees International Students

On-Campus: \$73,080
Online: \$32,040

You will develop the critical thinking and team building skills necessary for effective communication in a globally based business setting.

Our Bachelor of Commerce is delivered through four tiers that progressively develop your knowledge, critical thinking ability and operational skills. Once you have built up your skillset, you will be ready for the Capstone courses that bring together everything you've learned into real-world projects helping you to launch your career.

The Bachelor of Commerce program prepares you for a successful career where you will contribute constructively in a global economy.

The program focus is found in a sequence of business courses. At the same time, it integrates communications courses to create an interdisciplinary degree that provides a sound background for work that includes the development and management of organizations. Team activities are an intrinsic part of many courses and build team skills vital for real-world success as well as providing a collegial learning environment.

Elective Areas

UCW follows professional trends in industry closely and develops elective areas that reflect the best professional standards in specific fields. Currently, we offer the following elective areas in the BCom degree:

Accounting

Accounting skills are consistently in demand. The accounting elective area, in combination with the rest of the BCom degree, will prepare you for entry into a professional accounting program.

To complete the Accounting elective area you must, in addition to your required core courses, take:

- Managerial Accounting II
- Principles of Auditing and Assurance
- Taxation
- Strategic Managerial Accounting

Business Communications

Communication is an essential component of every organization, whether communicating internally to staff and managers, or externally to customers, stakeholders or the public.



“I chose UCW because the program is well developed, and it is competitive compared to other universities.”

Maria,
Bachelor of Commerce, Peru



The Business Communications elective area will prepare you to produce effective communications materials for a wide range of contexts and in the framework of business strategy.

To complete the Business Communications elective area you must, in addition to your core required courses, take:

- Social Media
- Public Relations in Practice and Theory
- Persuasive Presentations
- Integrated Marketing Communications
- Communication Strategy



“I love the support, events and services UCW offers. I feel incredibly welcome here, and I know I can count on various departments to ensure I succeed in my journey.”

Leticia,
Bachelor of Commerce, Brazil

Program Structure

Tier 1 University Foundation (10 courses)

- Academic Writing
- Business Fundamentals
- Choice Of:
 - Business Mathematics
 - Pre-Calculus
 - Calculus 1
 - Calculus 2
- Choice Of:
 - Accounting Principles[^]
 - Financial Accounting
- Microeconomics[^]
- Macroeconomics[^]
- Business Communications
- Business Analytics
- Two (2) electives

Tier 2 Disciplinary Foundation (10 courses)

- Operations Management
- Business Environment
- Choice Of:
 - Statistics
 - Business Statistics
- Choice Of:
 - Managerial Accounting[^]
 - Financial Accounting Applications
 - Sage 50
 - QuickBooks
- Organizational Behaviour
- Marketing Management
- Human Resource Management
- Management Information Systems
- Career Preparation^{*}
- One (1) elective

Tier 3 Disciplinary Applications (10 courses)

- Professional Communications
- Business Law[^]
- Business Ethics
- Choice Of:
 - Finance[^]
 - Investments
 - Business Taxation
- Data Analytics & Storytelling
- Five (5) electives

Tier 4 Integrative Applications (10 courses)

- Strategy & Decision Making
- Sustainable Business Practices^{*}
- Choice Of:
 - Capstone Project
 - Internship
- Seven (7) electives

[^] CPA preparatory courses.

^{*}Course will be offered from Winter 2022 Term.



Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication

In this 120-credit program, you'll develop core skills in writing and research, a comprehensive understanding of media communication and technology, as well as an appreciation of how they function in the modern world of business.

KEY FACTS

INTAKES

Fall (October)
Winter (January)
Spring (April)
Summer (July)

PROGRAM LENGTH

4 Years

Faster completion options available for motivated students. The UCW academic year is organized to create an environment of learner flexibility and rapid degree completion. Courses are scheduled in four terms each of which consists of 10 weeks of classes plus two weeks of review and exams. Students can take a maximum of five courses per term.

DELIVERY

On-Campus, Online

2022 BA Tuition Fees International Students

On-Campus: \$73,080
Online: \$32,040

Our Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication program provides you with an opportunity to develop a broad knowledge of media, cultural studies and business. In addition, students will develop theoretical and practical skills that are relevant to careers in professional writing, journalism, public relations, communications and advertising.

The program focus is found in a sequence of courses in media and communications. At the same time, it integrates business courses to create an interdisciplinary degree that provides a sound background for work in media and communications organizations, as well as other communications related business careers. Team activities are an intrinsic part of many courses and build team skills vital for real world success, as well as providing a collegial learning environment.

Elective Areas

UCW follows professional trends in industry closely and develops elective areas that reflect the best professional standards in specific fields. Currently, we offer the following elective area in the BA degree:

Communications Management

One of the fastest-growing fields in communications is communications management.

By taking selected advanced business courses and applying them to communications projects, this elective area provides training for those who hope to manage complex communications projects and departments in any industry.

To complete the Communications Management elective area you must, in addition to the required core courses, take:

- E-Business
- Advertising
- Operations Management
- Persuasive Presentations
- Project Management

Program Structure

Tier 1 University Foundation (10 courses)

- Academic Writing
- Business Fundamentals
- Mass Media & Society
- Business Analytics
- Conversational Writing Tools
- Business Communication
- Economics for Business
- Three (3) electives

Tier 2 Disciplinary Foundation (10 courses)

- Marketing Management
- Business Environment
- Writing for Media
- Data Analytics & Storytelling
- Content Creation
- Digital Marketing Strategy
- Business Ethics
- Organizational Behaviour
- Career Preparation*
- One (1) elective

Tier 3 Disciplinary Applications (10 courses)

- Project Management
- Risk Communication
- Professional Communications
- Advanced Communications Writing
- Digital Storytelling
- Five (5) electives

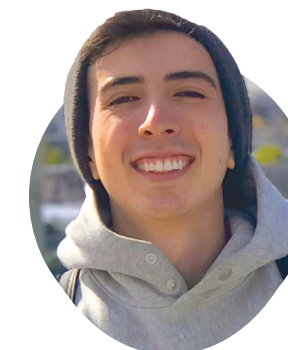
Tier 4 Integrative Applications (10 courses)

- Communications Strategy
- Contemporary Issues
- Choice Of:
 - Capstone Project
 - Internship
- Seven (7) electives

**Course will be offered from Winter 2022 Term.*

“Studying at UCW has opened me to new cultures and experiences. The classes and the people around me encourage me to do my best. The BA program is preparing me to tackle any challenge and be a leader of the future.”

David,
Bachelor of Arts in
Business Communication, Colombia



Why Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication?

- Use communication theories to assess basic issues in cultural contexts
- Critique communication media influence on audience perceptions of issues, events, products and services
- Evaluate the effectiveness and integration of all types of media communication and technology
- Demonstrate communication-oriented research and information seeking strategies
- Create ethically and legally sound content for a variety of forms of media and markets
- Integrate media and content to communicate persuasively to specific audiences
- Apply communication methods to business problems and contexts
- Work productively in a collaborative environment



Associate of Arts

The Associate of Arts program is an interdisciplinary set of courses designed to provide core skills in writing, communication, research and team performance.

KEY FACTS

INTAKES

Fall (October)
Winter (January)
Spring (April)
Summer (July)

PROGRAM LENGTH

2 Years

Faster completion options available for motivated students. The UCW academic year is organized to create an environment of learner flexibility and rapid degree completion. Courses are scheduled in four terms each of which consists of 10 weeks of classes plus two weeks of review and exams. Students can take a maximum of five courses per term.

DELIVERY

On-Campus

**2022 AA Tuition Fees
International Students**
On-Campus: \$36,540

The Associate of Arts (AA) degree prepares students for life as an educated person and lays a solid foundation for further study.

This two-year, 60-credit (20 courses) undergraduate program is equivalent to the first two years of a four-year degree in the Arts. It prepares students to transfer to research or teaching universities to complete a bachelor's degree or serves as a credential to enter the labour market. The AA degree is accepted for transfer into bachelor degree programs at University Canada West (UCW) and all British Columbia degree-granting institutions, provided other admission requirements are met.

At the end of the AA degree, you may transfer into a bachelor degree program at University Canada West (UCW) or any British Columbia degree-granting institution. Alternatively, you may continue in the Associate of Arts degree and complete the program with an additional 30-credit hours of study as per provincial Associate of Arts degree guidelines.

Graduates of the AA program will develop these skills:

- Workplace problem-solving skills
- Ability to work in teams
- Leadership skills for the workplace
- Communications and soft skills for employability

Program Structure

Core English Courses

- Academic Writing
- Critical Analysis and Writing

Science Required Courses

- One (1) Quantitative
- One (1) Lab Science
- One (1) Additional Science

Arts Required Courses

- Two (2) Humanities
- Two (2) Social Science
- Eight (8) Arts (Including Any Arts and Second Year Arts)
- Two (2) Any Arts
- Six (6) Second Year Arts

Required Elective Courses

- Three (3) 1XX or 2XX or 3XX or other approved elective courses

For a comprehensive list of all available courses, please refer to the academic calendar at: www.ucanwest.ca/about/academic-calendar



Why Associate of Arts?

- Critical thinking and problem-solving
- Effective written and oral communications
- Ability to work collaboratively
- Application of theoretical understanding to practice
- Research and evaluative skills
- Mathematical and scientific reasoning
- Analysis, synthesis and integration of knowledge
- Advanced reading comprehension



“ Studying at UCW is definitely one of the best decisions I have ever made. I was very comfortable at home, but I know nothing grows in a comfort zone, so I had to step out. ”

Philbert,
Associate of Arts, Jamaica

GRADUATE PROGRAM



Master of Business Administration

The ACBSP and NCMA-accredited Master of Business Administration (MBA) program from UCW will prepare you for success on a global level. You will learn how to take challenging situations in a stride, apply pragmatic solutions to problems and ultimately drive the success of your organization through intelligent decision-making.

KEY FACTS

INTAKES

Fall (October)
Winter (January)
Spring (April)
Summer (July)

PROGRAM LENGTH

2 Years
Faster completion options available for motivated students. The UCW academic year is organized to create an environment of learner flexibility and rapid degree completion. Courses are scheduled in four terms each of which consists of 10 weeks of classes plus two weeks of review and exams. Students can take a maximum of five courses per term.

DELIVERY

On-Campus, Online

2022 MBA Tuition Fees International Students

On-Campus: \$36,840
Online: \$18,420

The program is four tiers, a total of 45 credits that will develop your knowledge and skillset so that you are able to handle increasingly complex problems. Team activities are an intrinsic part of the MBA, developing team skills for modern business and providing a collegial learning environment.

The MBA degree program has been refined to allow you to acquire more specific knowledge and skills in one of eight elective areas by choosing courses from one of the following subject areas: Business Analytics, Consulting, Entrepreneurship, Financial Management, Human Resources, Marketing and Digital Marketing, Leadership and Non-Profit. Our MBA program also includes relevant digital components. We collaborate with digital leaders such as the Riipen, Digital Marketing Institute, Salesforce (Trailhead), Tableau and IBM to keep our students updated with upcoming technological trends.

Students can earn certifications in AMA, DMP, CMC and others.

Program Structure

Tier 1 – Analytical Foundations (4 courses)

- Managerial Accounting
- Ethics, CSR and Business Environment
- Talent Management
- Business Analytics

Tier 2 – Management Principles and Practices (5 courses)

- Financial Management
- Marketing Management
- Leadership in the Global Context
- Operations Management
- One (1) elective

Tier 3 – Business Applications (4 courses)

- Project Management
- Digital Transformation
- Two (2) electives

Tier 4 – Integration and Implementation (2 courses)

- Strategic Management
- Choice of:
 - Graduate Internship
 - Capstone - Consulting
 - Research Project
 - Launch Your Business

AMBITION & INSPIRATION



“ The networking opportunities are invaluable, and the skills I am learning are setting me up for success in the business environments of the future. ”

Carlene,
MBA, Canada

Elective Areas

Business Analytics

- Machine Learning
- Predictive Analytics
- Cloud Computing

Consulting*

- Consulting Practice
- Change Management
- One Elective Course
- Consulting/Innovative Graduate Project

Entrepreneurship

- Design Thinking
- Entrepreneurship
- Prototyping for Entrepreneurs

Financial Management*

- Investment Analysis & Management
- Personal Financial Planning
- Global Financial Institutions Management
- Green Finance

Human Resources

- HR Strategy
- Recruit & Retain Talent
- Management & Employee Relations

Leadership*

- Change Management
- Negotiation
- Leadership & Decision Making

Marketing and Digital Marketing*

- Digital Marketing
- Promotion
- International Marketing
- Marketing Analytics
- E-Commerce

Non-Profit

- Politics of Globalization: Theory & Practice
- Intercultural Communication
- Understanding the Non-Profit Sector
- Strategy & Governance in Non-Profit Organizations
- Non-Profits in the Global Context

*Available to online students

Business Courses Powered by the Latest Technology

UCW continues its evolution towards becoming Vancouver’s tech-business university. We’ve partnered with leading business and tech companies such as Salesforce, Amazon, Shopify, Facebook and many others to incorporate their latest technology and expertise into the Master of Business Administration program courses at UCW.

Amazon Web Services (AWS) is the world’s most comprehensive and broadly adopted cloud platform from startups to large enterprises. UCW has integrated a number of their Cloud and Machine Learning Certifications into Cloud Computing Technologies and Machine Learning Tools and Techniques courses.

Our partnership with the **Digital Marketing Institute (DMI)** means that upon successful completion of the Marketing Management course you will receive associate level certification from DMI. You will then have the option to take a set of three digital marketing electives, which will set you up to take DMI’s Pearson VUE test to get certified as a Digital Marketing Professional, in addition to earning your MBA degree from UCW. Thanks to a partnership between DMI and the American Marketing Association (AMA), if you complete the digital marketing electives and pass the DMI Pearson VUE test you will also get AMA Professional Certified Marketer certification.

Facebook Blueprint helps connect learners to skills, courses, and certifications that will help businesses to optimize their social media presences on Facebook, Instagram, Messenger and WhatsApp. Students can complete the Facebook Certified Digital Marketing Associate certification through the completion of the Digital Marketing course.

UCW has created a new course about entrepreneurship. Business-641 (Entrepreneurship) incorporates **IBM Design Thinking** into the MBA program. The IBM Design Thinking model is a scalable framework aimed at big enterprises that uses three principles to solve complex problems creatively.

Riipen brings industry and academia together, with real company projects. Projects are embedded directly into curriculum or completed as remote internships. Immersing students in industry projects equips them with work-ready skills.

Salesforce is an online solution for customer relationship management (CRM). It gives all departments within a company, including marketing, sales, commerce and service, a shared view of their customers with one integrated CRM platform. Salesforce has been incorporated into the Marketing Management course.

Shopify is an all-in-one SAS e-commerce platform that allows businesses to launch, run and grow an online business. UCW, through our E-Commerce course, has partnered with Shopify to train students how to start, run and grow an e-commerce business.

Tableau, a powerful data visualization tool used in the business intelligence industry, has been incorporated into UCW’s Business Analytics course.



Work Integrated Learning

All students complete one of the following exit courses:

- **WORK 601** (3 credits) – Graduate Internship – Students will work with a business to complete a virtual or in-person internship, which allows them to apply their entire MBA knowledge along with their elective area to solve a large challenge and complete an assigned project for the selected client. This allows students the opportunity to strengthen their skills, provides them with additional work experience and improves employability after graduation.
- **CAPS 602** (6 credits) – Consulting or Innovated Project – Students choosing the Consulting elective area will complete BUSI 640 – Management Consulting, MGMT 643 – Change Management, and their CAPS 602 – Consulting will take place over two terms.
- **IAAS 603** (3 credits) – Launch Your Business – Students who have chosen the Entrepreneur elective area will complete MEMI 601 – From Ideation to Innovation, BUSI 641 Entrepreneurship, MEMI Prototyping for Entrepreneurs and then continue to develop their business idea in IAAS 603 – Launch Your Business with the support of an assigned mentor who prepares them to pitch their business model to a panel of potential investors.

Why MBA?

- Learn to construct strategic responses to business challenges and opportunities
- Assess the ethical implications of business activities
- Develop, implement and evaluate solutions to business problems
- Formulate business decisions and systematic analysis that reflects critical thinking

- Demonstrate effective skills to collaborate with diverse groups of people
- Lead teams through the resolution of problems and completion of projects
- Integrate personal values and perspectives into your problem-solving, taking responsibility for your decisions
- Communicate ideas persuasively as a result of thorough analysis of information
- Gather, analyze and distribute information in a business context

Academica Group has been surveying our MBA graduates six months after graduation. According to the January 2020 data from the graduates that participated in the study:

100% have secured employment within six months of graduation.	88% have secured employment within three months of graduation.	67% have secured employment within one month of graduation.
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Our alumni work for some of the world’s leading organizations such as: Siemens / Scotiabank / EmpowerID / Sigma Lux / Oakville Trading / Apple / Telus / SAP / GPP / RBC / Nestlé / SoftMoc / The Marketing Kangaroos / Danone / Walt Disney World.



University Access Program

If you do not meet the minimum English language requirements for entry to the Bachelor, Associate of Arts or MBA programs, you can still improve your English skills to qualify for admission into a degree program at UCW.

The University Access Program (UAP), accredited by Languages Canada, prepares you for higher-level education in an English-speaking institution.

The program focuses on academic English, ensuring that you acquire the study skills needed to complete assignments and examinations with confidence. The courses include the development of specific academic skills such as essay writing, research methods, note taking, critical thinking and seminar or tutorial discussion.

You can meet the English proficiency requirements for admission to our degree programs by successfully completing the advanced level course of the University Access Program (UAC 030). This program is three, six or nine months in length, depending on the entry level. Each course is three months long.

KEY FACTS

INTAKES

Fall (October)
Winter (January)
Spring (April)
Summer (July)

PROGRAM LENGTH

3 months (students with IELTS 6.0)
6 months (students with IELTS 5.5)
9 months (students with IELTS 5.0)

DELIVERY

On-Campus

**2022 UAP Tuition Fees
International Students**
\$5,195 per course

MBA Foundation

Students who seek admission to the MBA program, but do not meet the general admission requirements nor have a strong business background may require to be admitted into the MBA Foundation program.

To be admitted to the MBA Foundation courses you must have a bachelor's degree from a recognized university with a cumulative GPA of 2.33 out of 4.33 or higher. To get into the MBA program, you must earn an overall B grade to successfully complete the MBAF program.

The MBA Foundation program includes courses in the following areas:

- Business and Academic Writing
- Quantitative Skills for Business
- Economics from a Business Perspective



KEY FACTS

INTAKES

Fall (October)
Winter (January)
Spring (April)
Summer (July)

PROGRAM LENGTH

3 months

DELIVERY

On-Campus, Online

2022 MBAF Tuition Fees International Students

On-Campus: \$7,375
Online: \$3,687

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Entrance awards,
scholarships and
grants are available
to new students.

European Grant

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

This entrance grant is offered by special arrangement and is intended to provide tuition support for entering students who wish to pursue educational opportunities outside of Europe.

Eligibility: This grant is open to international students that are citizens of a European country. The grant is awarded automatically when you are admitted.

Award Value: Associate of Arts: \$12,789.
BCom or BA: \$25,578. MBA: \$12,771.

Americas Tuition

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts, MBA Foundation, University Access Program

The Americas Tuition is offered by special arrangement and is intended to provide tuition support for prospective students from North America, Central America, South America and the Caribbean. This tuition is intended to make Canadian education more accessible for these students.

Eligibility: This grant is open to international students from North America, Central America, South America and the Caribbean. This grant will automatically be applied when you are admitted.

Award Value: The Americas Tuition amount is calculated as the difference between international and domestic student rates and will be applied as a tuition credit each term. Disbursements will be pro-rated based on the number of courses in which students are registered. Students who qualify for Americas Tuition are eligible to take University Access Program courses at \$4,950 per course.

Continuance: Recipients must remain in Good Academic Standing to receive this Bursary.

Associate of Arts	BCom & BA	MBA	MBA Foundation
International tuition for 20 courses: \$36,540	International tuition for 40 courses: \$73,080	International tuition for 15 courses: \$36,840	International tuition for 3 courses: \$7,375
Americas Tuition rate for 2-year degree: \$26,040	Americas Tuition rate for 4-year degree: \$52,080	Americas Tuition rate for 2-year degree: \$25,740	Estimated total for Foundation: \$4,915
Student saves: \$10,500	Student saves: \$21,000	Student saves: \$11,100	Student saves: \$2,460

Scholarships, awards and grants do not apply to online programs.

Scholarships for Academic Excellence

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

Eligibility: These scholarships are for international and domestic students with excellent academic grades, who wish to go on to excel in their chosen field of study and work. These scholarships are applied automatically when you are admitted to UCW.

Total scholarship for duration of Associate of Arts		Total scholarship for duration of BCom or BA		Total scholarship for duration of the graduate (MBA) program	
Cumulative GPA	Amount	Cumulative GPA	Amount	Cumulative GPA	Amount
4.3	\$6,000	4.3	\$12,000	4.3	\$6,000
4	\$4,000	4	\$8,000	4	\$4,000
3.8	\$2,000	3.8	\$4,000	3.8	\$2,000
Continuance: Scholarship recipients of the Undergraduate award must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.67 out of 4.33 to remain eligible for the second and subsequent award disbursements.		Continuance: Scholarship recipients of the Undergraduate award must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.67 out of 4.33 to remain eligible for the second and subsequent award disbursements.		Continuance: Scholarship recipients of the Graduate award must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.0 out of 4.33 to remain eligible for the second and subsequent award disbursements.	

Commonwealth of Independent States (CIS) Grant

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

This entrance grant is offered by special arrangement and is intended to provide tuition support for international students from CIS countries, who wish to pursue educational opportunities outside of the CIS. A limited number of Commonwealth of Independent States Regional Grants will be awarded each term to new applicants for admission. The grants are awarded automatically.

Eligibility: This grant is open to international students from: Azerbaijan / Armenia / Belarus / Georgia / Kazakhstan / Kyrgyzstan / Moldova / Russia / Tajikistan / Turkmenistan / Uzbekistan / Ukraine.

Award Value: Associate of Arts: \$9,450.
BCom or BA: \$18,900. MBA: \$9,720.

To be considered for this scholarship, you must apply to UCW by May 16, 2022.

Southeast Asia (SEA) Regional Grant

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

This entrance grant is offered by special arrangement and is intended to provide tuition support for entering students who wish to pursue educational opportunities outside of the SEA region. A limited number of Southeast Asia Regional Grants will be awarded each term to new applicants for admission. The grants are awarded automatically.

Eligibility: This grant is open to international students from: Brunei / Cambodia / Indonesia / Laos / Malaysia / Myanmar / Philippines / Singapore / Thailand / Timor-Leste / Vietnam.

Award Value: Associate of Arts: \$6,804.
BCom or BA: \$13,608. MBA: \$7,000.

To be considered for this scholarship, you must apply to UCW by May 16, 2022.



Special Targeted Regional Award Program

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

This entrance award is offered by special arrangement for students who apply to UCW by May 16, 2022. A limited number of Special Targeted Regional Awards will be granted to new applicants for admission. These awards are applied automatically when students are admitted to UCW.

Eligibility: This grant is open to international students from: Mauritius / Morocco / Mongolia / South Korea / Turkey.

Award Value: Up to \$5,000.

Middle East Regional Grant

Applicable Program: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

This entrance grant is offered by special arrangement and is intended to provide tuition support for students who wish to pursue educational opportunities outside of the Middle East region. A limited number of Middle East Regional Grants will be awarded each term to new applicants for admission. These grants are awarded automatically.

Eligibility: This grant is open to international students from Iran.

Award Value: Associate of Arts: \$9,450.
BCom or BA: \$18,900. MBA: \$9,720.

To be considered for this scholarship, you must apply to UCW by May 16, 2022.

MBA Foundation Study Grant

Applicable Program: MBA with MBA Foundation

This grant is for students, who demonstrate leadership potential and commitment to their chosen field of endeavour.

Eligibility: To be considered for the Award, you must meet the following requirements:

- Submit a completed scholarship application form when applying for admission to UCW;
- Submit a Personal Statement describing how undertaking the Master of Business Administration and MBA Foundation programs will impact your career and personal goals;
- Complete the MBA Foundation program and the MBA degree program within 36 months of starting your MBA Foundation courses; and
- Have a minimum GPA of 3.00 out of 4.33.

Award Value: \$5,000. The MBA Foundation Study Grant is subject to full payment of the MBA Foundation course fees and is issued as a credit towards payment of the last course credits of the MBA program.

Second Language Excellence Scholarship

Applicable Programs: MBA, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication, Associate of Arts

These scholarships are for international students with an Academic IELTS overall score of 7.0 and a minimum 6.5 in all bands (or equivalent).

Eligibility: These scholarships are applied automatically when you are admitted to UCW.

Award Value: Associate of Arts: \$2,000.
BCom or BA: \$8,000. MBA: \$4,000.

Continuance: Scholarship recipients of the Undergraduate award must maintain a minimum GPA of 2.67 out of 4.33 to remain eligible for the second and subsequent award disbursements.

Scholarship recipients of the Graduate award must maintain a minimum GPA of 3.00 out of 4.33 to remain eligible for the second and subsequent award disbursements.

Pathway to Knowledge Bursary

Applicable Programs: Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Arts in Business Communication

This bursary was created to help students in bachelor's degree programs reach their potential.

Eligibility: To be considered for this scholarship, candidates must meet these requirements:

- Apply to UCW by May 31, 2022.
- Have a minimum GPA of 2.33 out of 4.33.

Students who have not applied for any other scholarships will be automatically offered this bursary.

Award Value: Eligible international students will receive a tuition reduction valued at 30 credits (\$17,400) toward their BCom or BA degree.
Terms and conditions may apply.

MBA Excellence Scholarship for Continuing Students

Applicable Programs: MBA

UCW will award a limited number of MBA Excellence Scholarships each term to current MBA students who have completed MBA degree Tier 2 courses (MBA level courses numbered 600 and higher) equivalent to at least 27 credits.

Eligibility: This scholarship is open to current domestic and international students in the MBA program who have demonstrated academic excellence during their MBA courses. Students who have received an entrance scholarship are not eligible to apply for the MBA Excellence Scholarship for Continuing Students.

Candidates will be considered for the scholarship based on:

- The cumulative GPA of the courses included in the 2 Tiers of their MBA degree program (MBA courses numbered 600+ equivalent to 27 credits).

Award Value: The MBA Excellence Scholarship is valued at a maximum of \$2,000 and will be disbursed as a tuition credit to successful students for the last four courses of their Master of Business Administration degree.

Continuance: To remain eligible for the Scholarship and receive the tuition disbursement, students must maintain a 3.80 cumulative GPA in all MBA courses.



University Entry Requirements

Undergraduate Entry Requirements

- Canadian High School (Grade 12) diploma or equivalent with an overall average grade of C or better (GPA of 2.00 out of 4.33)

AND

- IELTS 6.5 or better with a minimum of 6.0 in the writing band or equivalent documentation of English proficiency. (For students whose first language is not English). Students who do not meet the minimum English language requirements for the Associate of Arts program can still improve their English skills and qualify for their degree by starting in the University Access Program (UAP).

Special Admission

The Admissions Committee may consider an applicant for special admission if the applicant does not otherwise qualify for admission but demonstrates a combination of education and work experience that indicates the ability to be successful in their program of study. Generally, such applicants must:

- Be over 21 years of age on or before the first day of classes;
- Have been out of high school for at least two years; and
- Approval by the Admissions Committee.

Graduate Entry Requirements

Applicants to the MBA program may qualify for admission based on the following requirements:

- If your first language is not English, submit an IELTS score of at least 6.5 (minimum 6.0 in the writing band) or equivalent (TOEFL, PTE, Duolingo etc.) OR successful completion of UCW's University Access Program (UAP) with a Grade Point Average of at least 70%. If your first language is English and you can demonstrate that you graduated from a recognized degree program in an English-speaking country, the English IELTS score or equivalent requirement is waived.

AND

- A cumulative GPA of 3.00 (on a 4.33 scale) or better in a bachelor's degree OR successful completion of UCW's MBA Foundation (MBAF) with a Grade Point Average of at least 72%.

AND

- One of the following:
 - A suitable score on a Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) or the Graduate Record Examinations (GRE) that has been written in the last five years.
 - A relevant Canadian professional designation or equivalent international designation (e.g., CPA, CA, CGA, CMA, CHRP or P.Eng).
 - Bachelor degree in business (e.g., Business Administration [BBA] degree or Bachelor of Commerce [BCom]).
 - A minimum of three (3) years documented professional or management experience with evidence of career progression and relevant education and/or training.

How to Apply



CHECK OFF YOUR COMPLETED STEPS

Undergraduate Students	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Consult with a UCW Recruitment Advisor to choose the program that best meets your needs and commit to a start date for the first term at UCW.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ensure all requirements for the program and English language proficiency have been met.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Complete the application form.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Arrange to have official proof of English (if applicable) sent directly to the UCW Registrar's Office. NOTE: Where transcripts are in a language other than English, the applicant must provide an official English translation of the original transcripts from a certified translator or from the university, on official letterhead, in addition to the original official transcripts.
MBA Students	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Consult with a UCW Recruitment Advisor to choose a start date that best meets your needs and commit to a start date for the first term at UCW.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Ensure all requirements for the program and English language proficiency have been met.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Complete the application form.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submit a resumé/CV.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submit a photocopy of the information page of a valid passport or existing student permit or student visa.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Submit an official proof of English language proficiency test scores (if available).



To apply online,
visit ucanwest.ca/admissions/apply



Helpful Resources

Library

The UCW Library supports students' success in their academic and professional careers. The library is committed to providing students and faculty with high-quality resources and services. The library facilities include a computer lab, individual and group study spaces, as well as printing and scanning tools.

The UCW Library can help you with:

- Access to scholarly journals, newspapers, magazines, books, e-books, images, videos and more
- Reference and research support (how to find and evaluate information)
- APA Citation Style support (how to properly cite your sources)
- Workshops on APA Style, Plagiarism, Research Skills, Literature Reviews, etc.

Students and faculty have 24/7 access to all online library resources via the UCW Library portal, which connects users to:

- Over 380,000 e-books
- The Harvard Select Case Study Collection and the Harvard Business Core Curriculum
- Over 60,000 full text scholarly journals
- Tens of thousands of magazines, periodicals and trade publications
- Close to 25,000 business case studies
- Other resources including company profiles, industry and market research reports, economic country reports, plus SWOT analyses

Microsoft Office 365

All UCW students have access to a complimentary Microsoft Office 365 account, which includes Word, Excel, PowerPoint, OneNote and more, as well as personal cloud storage.

These tools help our students complete their classwork and collaborate on assignments and projects with their professors and classmates.

Students' accounts remain active as long as they are a student at UCW, and our alumni have access to their Office 365 account for six months after graduation.

Grammarly Premium

The Microsoft Office 365 account credentials also gives UCW students access to Grammarly Premium, an online writing assistant and grammar checker. Grammarly not only picks up and corrects mistakes, but it also explains why it was a mistake.

Writing Coaches

The free writing coach service at UCW is available to assist all students with academic writing. Students can send in a draft of an assignment for review or writing coaches can provide advice on writing processes and help find resources.

Tutors

UCW offers free 30-minute tutoring sessions to all students. Tutors can help students understand concepts or tackle class problems. Tutors are available for Microsoft Office, Economics, CAPSIM Simulation, Operations and Statistics.

Virtual Appointments

With the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic and online classes, UCW services are now available online.

- Students can book virtual appointments with the Registrar's Office on weekdays (Monday – Friday) between 10 am and 12 pm (PST).
- Students can call the Enrolment Services Team at +1 604-260-5111 during weekdays (Monday – Friday) between 2 and 4 pm (PST).
- The UCW Library Virtual Help Desk is available to give students the chance to connect one-on-one with a UCW Librarian live through Microsoft Teams.
- Academic Advisors have three virtual meeting options available for students:
- Advisor Flash Meetups are for quick questions and quick answers and can last up to 10 minutes.
- Virtual Advising sessions are for questions that take a bit more time to answer and can run up to 20 minutes in length.

- Virtual Advising Appointments can last up to 30 minutes, giving Academic Advisors time to discuss course planning, degree requirements, elective areas and other topics.
- Students can book a virtual 10-minute appointment with UCW's Finance Department. Appointments are available Monday to Friday between 10 am and 12 pm (PST) and from 3 pm to 4 pm (PST).
- Students can book a 20-minute virtual appointment with a UCW Learning Strategist to help them improve their success strategies or overcome learning challenges.
- UCW's Career Development Centre has virtual drop-in office hours Monday, Wednesday and Friday between 10 am and 12 pm (PST), or students can email to request a virtual one-on-one meeting.
- UCW's Student Affairs staff hold both Virtual Appointments and Virtual Drop-In sessions three days a week:

Monday	Tuesday	Friday
9 am to 12 pm (PST) - Virtual Drop-In	9 am to 12 pm (PST) - 10-minute Virtual Appointment	9 am to 12 pm (PST) - Virtual Drop-In
1 pm to 4 pm (PST) - 10-minute Virtual Appointment	1 pm to 4 pm (PST) - Virtual Drop-In	1 pm to 4 pm (PST) - 10-minute Virtual Appointment



Student Services

UCW offers a range of services for students who wish to enrich their UCW experience or who require assistance in variety of areas related to their educational goals and personal pursuits. Our Student Affairs and Academic Affairs staff work together with students to assist, support and develop their academic performance and foster an environment that supports undergraduate and graduate students.

Academic Advising

Student Services will work with you in planning your academic development by providing some assistance and guidance below:

- Program and course selections consistent with your academic and career goals;
- Advice consistent with rules, regulations and policies;
- Course registration, changes, drop requests and withdrawals;
- Resources to aid your learning and development within UCW; and
- Assistance to help you graduate in a timely manner.

New Student Orientation

Our Student Affairs department coordinates New Student Orientation (NSO) the week before each new term starts.

NSO is a mandatory online orientation week that offers guidance to help new students transition as smoothly as possible to Canada and University Canada West. New students will have the opportunity to virtually meet professors, program chairs, the President and current students.

Centre for Learning Success

The Centre for Learning Success provides access to evidence-based integrated learning programs designed to support student achievement. As part of our network of campus resources, the student-centered programs described in this module are available to UCW students throughout their education.

A major component of the Centre for Learning Success is the mandatory Learning for Success workshops.

These weekly workshops start in the first week of classes. Every week in the first four weeks of their first term, new students are required to complete a different Learning for Success workshop where they learn about things like academic integrity, improving their academic writing, preparing to study for and take exams, and key skills to collaborate successfully.

The Centre for Learning Success then provides ongoing workshops that are available to all UCW students covering key skills like effective presentations, academic reading, time management and befriending their challenge response.

Students are also able to book one-on-one appointments with a Learning Strategist where they can build their skills toolkits and work on learning what matters the most to them.

Social Activities and the Peer2Peer Program

UCW's student body is rapidly growing and diversifying. Engaging students in informal and social events plays an important role in academic life. Not only does it help shape a student's experience, but it also fosters a sense of community and a culture of understanding and respect. Our Student Affairs department provides opportunities for students to participate in activities and events outside the classroom, coordinated and organized by Student Affairs staff and students from the Peer2Peer program.

Bi-weekly First Year Friday events are organized by Peer Leaders specifically for new students and include virtual games, or a chance to have a coffee and chat with other new students.

Interested students can visit the Student Affairs section in the MyUCW Student Portal for more information about UCW's Peer2Peer program.

Student Clubs

At UCW, our students take pride in their leadership and clubs' development. Students can apply to have their student clubs, groups or organizations officially recognized as part of UCW Student Life by contacting Student Affairs.

UCW-recognized student groups are voluntary organizations that have "registered" or gained recognition from the Student Affairs Office. Group leaders can apply for recognition through Student Affairs. Student groups can include cultural groups, hobbies, advocacy, social justice and much more. We support students in formal and informal leadership positions through clubs, groups and organizations that are formed by the UCW community.

Taking part in Student Life opportunities as well as participating or leading a student group and advocating for students are great ways to develop a variety of power skills and competencies. It is also one of the best ways to get involved with the UCW community, as well as contributing to the community our students want to build.

Centre for Teaching Excellence

UCW's Centre for Teaching Excellence (CTE) aims to recognize and inspire excellence and innovation in curriculum and all aspects of the learning experience of UCW students.

The Centre collaborates with UCW's faculty, staff, students and partners to cultivate an engaging and supportive faculty environment through informed dialogue. CTE staff support faculty to forge new connections and to deepen and expand their knowledge, skills and expertise through creative, innovative and research-driven teaching and technological approaches. In pursuit of teaching excellence, the Centre aims to promote UCW's unique teaching culture and to serve as a resource for faculty as they evolve and build best practices and learner-centred teaching methods.

International Student Advisors

University Canada West is committed to supporting its students throughout their academic journey, and International Student Advisors (ISAs) assist international students before they arrive in Canada and throughout their time at UCW.

ISAs can help students in several areas:

- Student arrival and transitioning into life in Canada
- Connecting students with resources available both on and off-campus
- Understanding UCW policies and procedures
- Making referrals to academic support programs and acting as a liaison with faculty
- Answering general questions about study permits, Post-Graduation Work Permits, Social Insurance Number and work eligibility
- Advice about how to get involved at UCW
- Medical insurance and health care
- Non-academic questions and additional support

Students can book a virtual 15-minute appointment with an ISA, or attend one of the events, workshops or info sessions hosted each term.





Career Development Centre

University Canada West’s Career Development Centre was created to facilitate an engaging partnership with students and alumni as they transition from higher education into the workforce environment and beyond. Through these partnerships, the Career Development Centre bridges the gap between employers’ needs and employment opportunities for our students and alumni.

The Career Development Centre includes resources and workshops in group and one-on-one settings, but are not limited to assistance with:

Resumés and cover letters
Interviewing skills
Job search techniques
Networking and volunteer opportunities
Career advising
Career exploration
Personal branding on social media/LinkedIn
Job fair preparation
Career panels
Accessing the hidden job market
Internship resources
Career treks
Career fairs

Our Career Development Specialists will help you prepare to enter the working world with your best foot forward.

Our student-centric services include help with resumés and cover letters, interviewing techniques, networking and various other workshops, on-campus employer info sessions, business social networking and internship resources, scholarships, volunteer expos and job fairs.

On-Campus vs. Online Study

	Face-to-face	Online
Location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> On-campus 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Online
Schedule	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Classes scheduled each week. When possible, multiple sections with different schedules are available. During registration, students choose a section that is convenient for them. Syllabus identifies materials, activities and assignments for planning purposes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No scheduled classes. Asynchronous, self-paced learning so you can study around your work, family and busy life. All course materials are made available at the start of term, except exams and quizzes, so students can manage their time and plan accordingly.
Attendance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weeks 1-10: Students attend a minimum of 2 hours of scheduled synchronous (in-person/on-campus) sessions per week or virtually (via Microsoft Teams during COVID). Weeks 11-12: Students attend review and final assessment (presentations/exam) sessions. Instructors record attendance in the MyUCW Student Portal. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weeks 1-10: Students access course content online and complete tasks. Weeks 11-12: Students complete review activities and final assessments (examinations). Instructors consider student participation in forum discussions and completion of online activities when taking attendance in the MyUCW Student Portal.
Participation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students participate in the applied interactive activities with instructors and classmates during scheduled class time (minimum 2 hours per week) plus prepare for class session in online forum discussions, activities, homework before or after class time (minimum 2 hours per week). 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students participate in Online Applied Interactive Activities (minimum 4 hours per week) with instructors and classmates through discussion forums and by completing other individual or group activities.
Course Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Syllabus Course materials provided plus additional items added by the instructor, readings, videos, etc. in the MyUCW Student Portal. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Syllabus Course materials provided plus additional items added by the instructor, textbooks, PPT slides, readings, videos, etc. in the MyUCW Student Portal. All course materials made available at start of term except exams and quizzes.
Instructional Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applied Interactive Activities: mini lectures, case studies, Riipen employer projects, simulations, debates, discussions, homework, assignments, tasks, projects, etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applied Online Interactive Activities: recorded mini lectures, case studies, simulations, discussion forums, homework, assignments, tasks, projects, etc.
Interaction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students can ask questions during the scheduled synchronous sessions, through emails to instructors, or during scheduled in-person office hours. 2 hours of scheduled office hours per week per course section. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students can ask questions through discussion forums in the MyUCW Student Portal and emails to instructors, or during scheduled virtual office hours. 2 hours of scheduled virtual office hours per week per course section.
Assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diversified assessments: group projects/ presentations, assignments, quizzes and examinations, etc. Quizzes and examinations are proctored on campus or facilitated by Examity (online invigilation platform). Assignments are submitted through Turnitin for Academic Integrity. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Diversified assessments: group projects/ presentations, assignments, quizzes and examinations, etc. Quizzes and examinations are proctored by Examity (online invigilation platform). Assignments are submitted through Turnitin for Academic Integrity.