



Strong Start: University Transfer - Business

Winter 2021

ACADEMICS

COMMUNITY

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Agenda

- Introductions and Greetings
- Housekeeping rules
- Recording of the webinar (Not Q&A)
- Post-arrival Webinar preview
- Q&A

Topics

- Credentials at Douglas
- Transfer to UBC Sauder
- Transfer to SFU Beedie
- Douglas CBA Programs
- Resources



Understanding Credentials at Douglas

For students with high school credentials	For students with Bachelor's Degree
1 year Certificate (30 credits)	1 year Post-Degree Diploma (30 CR)
2 year Diploma (60 credits)	2 year Post-Baccalaureate Diploma (60 CR)
2 year Associate Degree (60 credits)	
4 year Bachelor Degree (120 credits)	

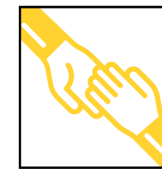
Bachelor of Business Administration and Specializations

Accounting (BBA), Financial Services (BBA), Management (BBA) available at Douglas

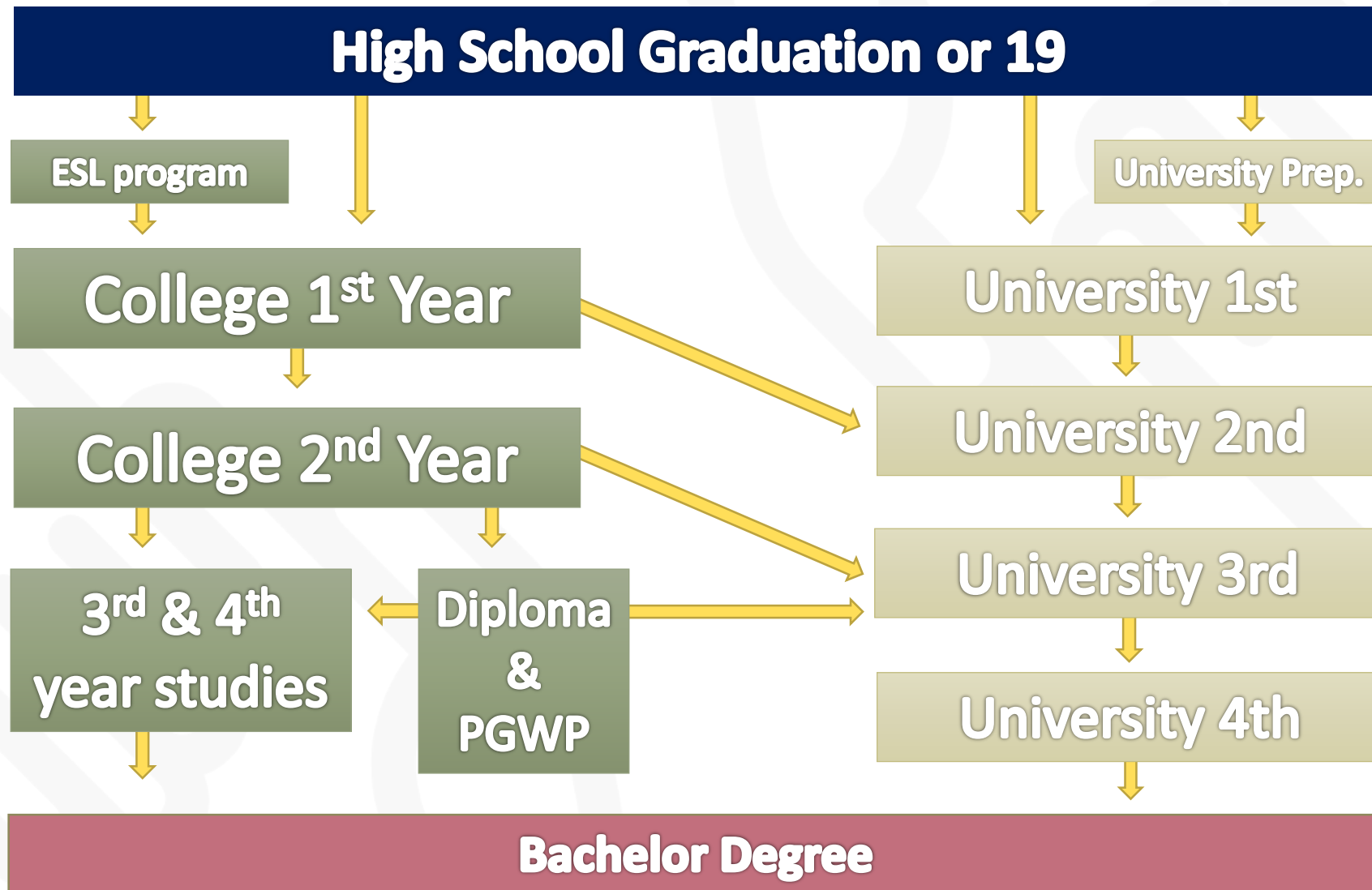
Note: BBA programs are 121.5 credits

Select one from the following Management Concentrations:

Financial Service Management	21.00
Hospitality Management	21.00
Human Resource Management	21.00
International Business Management	21.00
Project Management	21.00
Supply Chain Management	21.00
Trades Management (see note 8)	21.00
Total Credits	121.50



Flow of Transfer





Transfer to a university

General Admission Requirements

24 transferable credits – max. 60 transferable credits

English proficiency

Math/Quantitative requirement*

Application deadline

Faculty Requirements (e.g. Arts, Science)

Required courses

GPA

Non-academic requirements – e.g. personal profile

Program Requirements (e.g. Political Science, Chemistry)

required courses

pre-requisite courses

Degree Requirements of the university – for course planning & graduation*

Transfer to UBC Vancouver

General Admission Requirements	
24 transferable credits – max. 60 transferable credits	Must have a minimum of 24 transferrable UBC credits (max. 60 credits) - GPA at least 2.0 (calculated on most recent 30 credits)*
English proficiency	9 ways, including: 2 ENGL courses or IELTS or TOEFL, etc.* - e.g. ENGL 1130 = WRDS 150 & ENGL 1109 = ENGL 110)
Math/Quantitative requirement*	N/A
Application deadline	Winter session (September)/Summer session (May) intake*

<https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/requirements/university-college-transfer/>

<https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/requirements/english-language-competency/>

<https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/dates-deadlines/>



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Transfer to UBC Sauder School of Business

Application Deadlines and English Requirement

- **Fall (September) intake ONLY**
 - Application deadline will be **January 15** of the admission year.
*December 1 for early admission, entrance awards; January 31 for interim transcripts
 - The online application system will open early September the year before.
 - **English language admission requirements must be met by February 15**
 - 2 transferable ENGL courses (completed by December the year before) or
 - IELTS 6.5 or TOEFL 90 with each skill requirements
- *ENGL 1130 is required course in Year 1



Transfer to UBC Sauder School of Business

GPA Requirements

- Minimum requirement of 65% (2.50 GPA on 4 pt. scale) for both overall and core average)
- How is your GPA calculated?
 - 2 GPAs are calculated and considered:
 - Core Average: all core courses (ECON, ENGL, transferable COMM and required MATH; all attempts)
 - Overall Average: most recent 30 transferable credits (all transferable courses including repeats)
- What GPA do I need?
 - Aiming for higher than 3.50 is suggested – it's competitive!

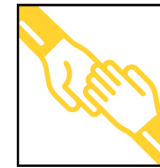
*This GPA does not guarantee acceptance. Accepted GPA varies each intake.



Transfer to UBC Sauder School of Business

Admissions decisions are based on a combination of the following:

- Transcripts
- The Personal Profile
 - Short written essays and video responses to interview questions
 - A chance to show your leadership skills and non-academic experience
 - Start volunteering now and build your experience (DSU, Douglas clubs, etc.)
 - Reference contact (someone who knows you very well – an instructor or employer)
- The Video Interview
 - Two prerecorded questions
 - Talk about your opinions and experiences
 - Critical thinking, ability to deal with pressure, communicative skills



Transfer to UBC Bachelor of Commerce Program

Courses to complete for transfer

- **Admission to Year 2**

- Minimum of 24 transferrable credits (including 4 core courses) by the end of April (except ENGL courses)
- Core courses: ECON 1150, ECON 1250, MATH 1125, ENGL 1130

- **Admission to Year 3**

- Minimum of 48 transferable credits (including the core courses) by the end of April (except ENGL courses)
- Core courses: ECON 1150, ECON 1250, MATH 1125, ENGL 1130, BUSN 2429 + BUSN 2290 + BUSN 3431, SOSC 2140, and
- Minimum 4 of the following: ACCT 1235 (or ACCT 1110+1210), ACCT 2320, ECON 2350, MARK 1120, and ECON 2298

- https://www.sauder.ubc.ca/Programs/Bachelor_of_Commerce/Admission_Requirements
- <https://www.sauder.ubc.ca/sites/default/files/2020-09/Transfer%20Student%20Handout%20UBCV%20-%20FINAL.pdf>

Transfer to SFU

General Admission Requirements	
24 transferable credits – max. 60 transferable credits	Must have a minimum of 24 transferrable SFU credits (max. 60 credits)
English proficiency	1 W course (ie ENGL 11xx) or IELTS or TOEFL, etc.*
Math/Quantitative requirement*	1 Q course (ie MATH 1125 or MATH 1120) or high school Math*
Application deadline	3 intakes a year: Fall (September), Spring (January), Summer (May)

<http://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/transfer/college-university.html>

<https://beedie.sfu.ca/programs/undergraduate/bba-major/how-to-apply>

https://www.sfu.ca/ugcr/for_faculty/certified_wqb_courses.html



Transfer to SFU Beedie School of Business

Application Deadlines and W/Q Requirements

- 3 intakes per year
 - Fall (September) Spring (January) Summer (May)
 - Application deadlines are:

TERM OF ADMISSION	APPLICATION PERIOD	DOCUMENT DEADLINE	APPEALS DEADLINE
Spring 2021 (Jan)	Aug 1 - Sept 15	October 15	Jan 15
Summer 2021 (May)	Oct 1 - Jan 31	February 28	May 15
Fall 2021 (Sept)	Oct 1 - Feb 28	March 31	Sept 15

- English language requirements – W Requirement
 - One W course (C-), from core courses or
 - IELTS (6.5 with no bands than less 6.0)/TOEFL, etc.
- Quantitative Skills Requirement
 - One Q course (C-), from core courses
 - Senior level high school Math or Pre-calculus



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GPA 2.80 – Two Ways to Meet the Requirements!

1) GPA ONLY

- Must have a GPA of **3.30** or higher on a minimum of 5/8 required courses, with remaining required courses in progress

2) GPA with Supplemental Application

- GPA of **2.80 – 3.29** on a minimum of 5/8 required courses, with the remaining 3 courses in progress
 - Supplemental includes: written essays, video interview response, references etc.
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- GPA Calculator is available on SFU website.
 - Students may repeat a maximum of 2 of the 8 required courses

<https://beedie.sfu.ca/programs/undergraduate>



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What are the 8 required courses?

1. BUSN 2429 or BUSN 3431 or MATH 2260
2. CSIS 2200
3. ACCT 1235 or (ACCT 1110 & ACCT 1210)
4. SOSOC 2140 or (BUSN 1210 & BUSN 3310)
5. ECON 1150
6. ECON 1250
7. MATH 1125 or MATH 1120 or 1123
8. ENGL 1102, ENGL 1106, ENGL 1109, ENGL 1114, ENGL 1115, ENGL 1130, PHIL 1101, PHIL 1102, PHIL 1103, PHIL 1152 or PHIL 3300

<https://beedie.sfu.ca/programs/undergraduate>

<https://beedie.sfu.ca/uploads/Douglas-College-Transfer-2021.pdf>

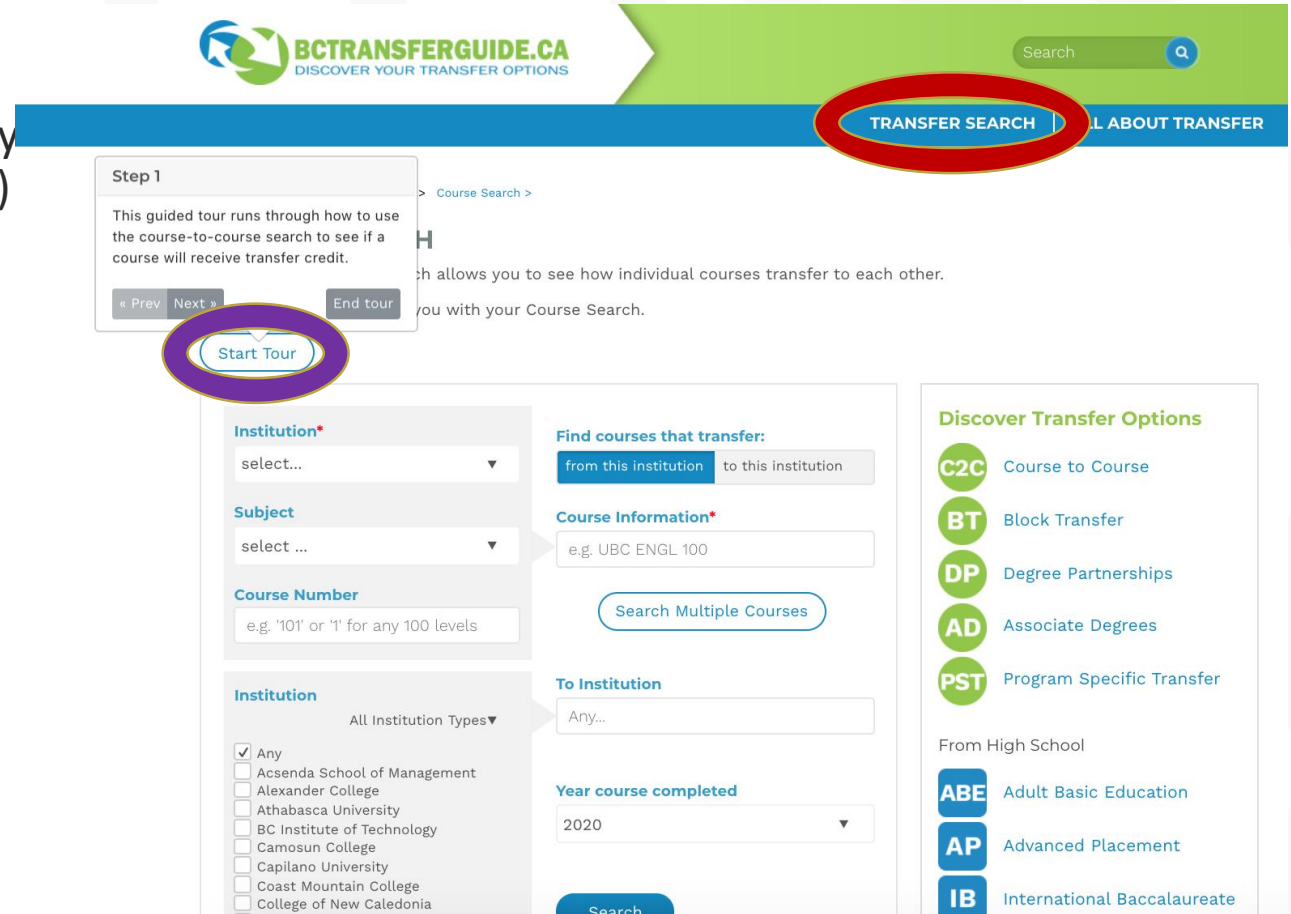
University Transfer Resources

- [BC Transfer Guide](https://www.bctransferguide.ca/)

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- University Transfer Guide (just for the reference, always check the target school page for updated information)

<https://www.douglascollege.ca/student-services/advising/academic-advising/university-transfer>



The screenshot shows the BCTransferGuide.ca website. At the top, there is a logo for BCTransferGuide.ca with the tagline "DISCOVER YOUR TRANSFER OPTIONS". A search bar is located in the top right corner. Below the search bar, there are two navigation links: "TRANSFER SEARCH" and "ALL ABOUT TRANSFER". A guided tour window is open, titled "Step 1", with the text: "This guided tour runs through how to use the course-to-course search to see if a course will receive transfer credit." The tour window has "Start Tour" (circled in purple), "End tour", and "Prev Next" buttons. Below the tour window, there are search filters for "Institution*", "Subject", and "Course Number". The "Institution*" dropdown is set to "select...". The "Subject" dropdown is set to "select ...". The "Course Number" field contains "e.g. '101' or '1' for any 100 levels". To the right of these filters, there are options to "Find courses that transfer:" from "from this institution" or "to this institution". Below that, there is a "Course Information*" field with "e.g. UBC ENGL 100" and a "Search Multiple Courses" button. Further down, there is a "To Institution" field with "Any..." and a "Year course completed" dropdown set to "2020". At the bottom right, there is a "Search" button. On the right side of the page, there is a section titled "Discover Transfer Options" with a list of options: C2C (Course to Course), BT (Block Transfer), DP (Degree Partnerships), AD (Associate Degrees), and PST (Program Specific Transfer). Below this list, there is a section titled "From High School" with options: ABE (Adult Basic Education), AP (Advanced Placement), and IB (International Baccalaureate).

Your Program at Douglas

- Commerce and Business Administration Diploma - <https://www.douglascollege.ca/programs-courses/catalogue/programs/DPCOMM>
- 60 credits Diploma designed for university transfer Business students → satisfies most of the lower division and group requirements of SFU's Bachelor of Business Administration degree program
- **Some courses don't transfer to specific universities**
 - Check BC Transfer Guide
 - You can decide whether to pursue the credential or just take what you need to transfer
- General Business Diploma / certificate (not ideal for transfer...)

Where to start?

- ***Plan ahead!***
 - Study your University Transfer Guide, Associate Checklist, University's program websites
 - Be aware of deadlines and plan backward
 - Know your pre-requisites
 - Talk to an Academic Advisor
 - Get in touch with a program advisor at your target institution
 - Attend Course Planning workshops and Course Registration workshops



Strong Start: Upcoming Academic Workshops

- MON ○ JAN 25** **STRONG START: UNIVERSITY TRANSFER FOR BUSINESS STUDENTS**
An info session for business students planning to transfer to a university
10:00 - 11:00 AM
[Register here](#)
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- FRI ○ JAN 29** **STRONG START: ELIGIBILITY FOR WORKING IN CANADA**
Topics Covered:
- Eligibility and requirements for working on/off campus
 - Scheduled vs academic semesters at Douglas College
 - Co-op and Career Centre services
- 3:30 - 5:00 PM
[Register here](#)
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- MON ○ FEB 01** **STRONG START: UNIVERSITY TRANSFER FOR ARTS & SCIENCES STUDENTS**
An info session for Arts & Sciences students planning to transfer to a university
10:00 - 11:00 AM
[Register here](#)

<https://www.douglascollege.ca/international-students/current-international-students/international-student-workshops>

Academic Advising Services

- email us at: dciadvising@douglascollege.ca
- drop-in via Zoom (Meeting ID: [615-5605-1455](#))
 - 15-20 minutes per student
 - sign-in 10 minutes before each drop-in session



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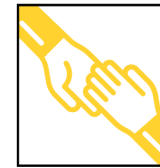
- appointments available by request via email

Advising services are subject to change. Please always check the following webpage for updates.

<https://www.douglascollege.ca/international-students/current-international-students/advising-services>

Questions?





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Thank you!

See you at the next workshop.