TRU’s Kamloops and Williams Lake campuses are located on the traditional territory of the Secwepemc peoples, in British Columbia’s southern interior. In Kamloops (from the Secwepemc word for “meeting of the waters”), the main campus overlooks the junction of the North Thompson and South Thompson rivers, from which the university gets its name.

Visit our YouTube channel for campus experience videos at tru.ca/videos
Upper College Heights (UCH)

East Village

SQ FT OF LEARNING SPACE

40 ACRES OF GREEN SPACE

1 MILLION

U-Pass for students provides free access to the Kamloops transit system and the Aquatic Centre.

SOCCER, BASKETBALL, VOLLEYBALL, SWIMMING, RUGBY, CURLING, CHEERLEADING & BASEBALL

7 VARSITY WOLFPACK TEAMS & 2 CLUB TEAMS

31 AVERAGE CLASS SIZE

9 FACULTIES AND SCHOOLS

BUSES TO CAMPUS EVERY 15 MINUTES

U-Pass for students provides free access to the Kamloops transit system and the Aquatic Centre.

OVER 80 STUDENT CLUBS ACADEMIC, ATHLETIC, ETHNIC, POLITICAL, RELIGIOUS, COMMON INTEREST

TRU is in the

3,300+ INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FROM OVER 100 COUNTRIES

of Kamloops

within walking distance of everything you need
TRU. A CAMPUS UNLIKE ANY OTHER

At Thompson Rivers University, we provide quality education and strive for excellence while ensuring our students get the support they need to succeed. We welcome all people and cultures, and promote intercultural understanding.

TRU offers more than 140 on-campus programs and more than 60 Open Learning programs in areas such as arts, business, computer science, education, environment, law, nursing, sciences, social work, tourism and trades and technology. Our average class size is 31 students.

A vibrant community of more than 14,000 students studying on campus are working towards graduate and undergraduate degrees, diplomas, apprenticeships, professional certificates, continuing studies and English for Academic Purposes (EAP). We have more than 3,300 international students from over 100 countries. Wherever you are from, we can help you follow your passion at TRU.

TRU Offers:

- Juris Doctor
- Master’s degrees
- Graduate certificates
- Post-Baccalaureate diplomas
- Bachelor’s degrees
- Certificates and diplomas
- Associate degrees
- English for Academic Purposes (EAP)
- Short-term customized training programs
- University preparation

As a university located in the city known as the Tournament Capital of Canada, TRU has thriving sports programs and students have access to amazing fitness facilities like the Tournament Capital Centre (TCC), Olympic-length swimming pool and a FIFA-certified artificial turf field.

TRU has always had a strong international contingent of student athletes. Countries represented include athletes from England, Spain, Australia, Netherlands, Portugal and Trinidad and Tobago.

Take a virtual tour: tru.ca/tours
Our picturesque campus is in the heart of Kamloops, British Columbia, where it overlooks the meeting of the North and South Thompson rivers. Kamloops is home to 100,000 friendly residents and is rich with sporting and cultural events, and boasts four beautiful, changing seasons to enjoy outdoor adventures.

This region is part of the traditional lands of the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc Indigenous people and spans grasslands, pine forests, lakes and mountains. Their presence and history contributes to the diversity that influences TRU’s campus.

You’ll discover parks, museums, art galleries, year-round outdoor activities, shopping, movies, theatre, vineyards and BC’s second largest ski resort. Kamloops is also home to numerous churches, a mosque, Sikh temples and a Buddhist temple.

Discover more about Kamloops at tourismkamloops.com

More about Kamloops tinyurl.com/kamvidtour

The city of Kamloops’ economy is strong and diverse. Forestry, mining, retail and agriculture have always anchored the economy of Kamloops as core industries. Today, the emerging areas are strengthening our economic base and contributing to the city’s dynamic growth.

**CORE INDUSTRIES**

The following industries are marked by significant export activity, bring new dollars into the economy, root supply chains and will continue to serve as driver industries for years to come.

- Transportation & Logistics
- Healthcare
- Forestry
- Manufacturing
- Agriculture
- Retail
- Mining

**EMERGING INDUSTRIES**

These are newer industries in the early stages of growth and are starting to stake their claim to compete in the community.

- Hi-Tech
- Green Energy
- Tourism

**British Columbia, CANADA**

100,000
Population count in 2022
Kamloops and surrounding area

Kamloops
45 minutes by plane
Kamloops to Calgary (70 minutes)
Kamloops to Toronto (seasonal) (4.25 hours)
These are approximate seasonal highs and lows, not average temperatures. We might hit the peaks or dips only briefly each season.

**Free Public Transit**

There is limited parking on campus. Take advantage of UPASS, which includes an unlimited City of Kamloops Transit pass. Buses arrive on campus every 15 minutes. [bctransit.com/Kamloops](https://bctransit.com/Kamloops)
CAMPUS LIFE

Beyond the classroom
Get involved on campus and reach your full potential

TRU has student clubs for almost every interest. Join one of the existing clubs or start your own! You’ll meet like-minded people and make new friends, showcase your talents, create lasting memories and have fun.

Get involved in student clubs such as: Adventure U Club, Bangladesh Club, Caribbean Club, Chinese Students & Scholars Club, Enactus, Finance Club, Japanese Club, Modern Marketing Club, Music Clubs, Muslim Association Club, Pan-African Club, Pride Club, Spanish Conversation Club, Vegan Club, Vietnamese Club, Women in Business and more.

Find a full list of clubs at tru.ca/clubs

TRU Generator
Get involved in entrepreneurship on campus. Join the TRU Generator, where you can network and participate in a vibrant startup community. It’s open to TRU alumni, faculty, staff and students.

Visit tru.ca/generator

TRU Library Makerspace
Bring your ideas into reality at TRU’s makerspace. Join a supportive community where sharing, experimentation and play is encouraged. Experiment with 3D printers, podcasting studios, VR rooms and more.

SPORTS, RECREATION & ACTIVITIES

TRU’s Kamloops campus is right next to the City of Kamloops’ top-notch athletic facilities in the Tournament Capital Centre (TCC) sports complex, where there’s an Olympic-length swimming pool, indoor and outdoor tracks and numerous recreation spaces. Access to TCC’s Aquatic Centre is included in TRU’s student fees and all TRU students receive 50% off additional usage fees.

Varsity athletics
The WolfPack have nine teams: seven of them compete in USPORTS/Canada West which is the highest level of university sports in Canada. Those sports are men’s and women’s soccer, men’s and women’s volleyball, men’s and women’s basketball along with co-ed swimming.

The other two club sports are cheerleading and baseball.

TRU has always had a strong international contingent of student-athletes. Countries represented in the past include athletes from England, Spain, Australia, Netherlands, Portugal along with Trinidad and Tobago.

For more information, visitgowolfpack.ca

Intramural sports
TRU Recreation offers non-competitive intramural and drop-in games of badminton, basketball, dodgeball, floor hockey, soccer and volleyball, as well as various fitness classes, events and tournaments.

tru.ca/recreation

Off-campus sports
Kamloops, the Tournament Capital of Canada, has top-level coaching and club competition in many different sports including figure skating, football, gymnastics, rowing, rugby, swimming and skiing. Students interested in competitive/club sports can attend TRU while pursuing their sport off campus.

Other Student Services
• Medical Clinic
• Wellness Centre
• Writing Help Centre
• Math Help Centre
• Supplemental Learning
• Career Education
• Language Learning Centre

International Days Festival (IDays)
International Days is our award-winning, week-long celebration of cultures from around the globe. Learn how diverse TRU really is. IDays is an opportunity to share culture, international experience, research and interests while celebrating TRU’s international community and international collaborations.

Find out more at tru.ca/idays

Watch IDays videos at youtube.com/truworld
Explore BC with LEAP
The Leisure Exploration Activity Program (LEAP) provides students with educational, fun and exciting experiences each semester for a nominal fee. This is a great way to meet new people, explore the area, experience local culture and try new activities such as:

- camping
- canoeing/kayaking
- curling
- day trips to Vancouver
- ice skating
- ice hockey
- rock climbing
- seasonal parties
- skiing/snowboarding
- whitewater rafting
- wine tours

Follow @truleap on Instagram to learn more
Work during your studies

International students are eligible to work on and off campus while studying full-time, and qualify for a full-time work permit after graduation. You can work up to 20 hours a week while studying and full-time during scheduled breaks.

Find out about opportunities for international students at cic.gc.ca/english/study/work.asp

Jumpstart your career

The Career & Experiential Learning department helps students plan their careers from building a professional resume to getting selected for the job interview. These career counsellors have years of experience and are committed to supporting students in reaching their career goals through a variety of initiatives including on-campus job fairs and seminars.

Work after graduation

As an international student graduating from a Canadian post-secondary institution, you are eligible to remain in Canada to work. Students completing a minimum two-year program of study may be eligible to work for up to three years after graduation.

Many of our international graduates have successfully found jobs in Canada in their area of study. Companies that hire TRU graduates include banks, crown corporations, major retailers, municipal governments, non-profits and universities (including TRU).

Here are some of the many companies that hire TRU graduates:

**Banks**
- Bank of Canada
- Bank of Montreal
- CIBC
- HSBC Bank
- Interior Savings
- Royal Bank of Canada
- Scotiabank
- TD Bank Group

**Crown Corporations**
- BC Hydro
- BC Public Service
- BCLC
- Interior Health Authority

**Higher Education**
- BCIT
- Thompson Rivers University
- University of British Columbia

**Major Retailers**
- Air Canada
- Best Buy
- BlackBerry
- Canadian Tire
- Hootsuite Media Inc.
- Re/Max Real Estate
- KPMG
- Loblaw Companies
- Shaw Communications
- Telus Corporation
- Tolko Industries Limited

**Municipal Governments**
- City of Kamloops
- City of Surrey
- City of Vancouver

**Non-Profit Organizations**
- Canadian Cancer Society

Get more information at cic.gc.ca/english/study/work-postgrad.asp

Bachelor of Business Administration

Co-op helped me gain relevant skills before graduation, and I received an immense amount of experience in my eight months working for TRU World. TRU’s Career Education Department provided resources to help me build a career plan. I would recommend every new student visit the department for any career-related services.

KARANVIR SINGH
INDIA

Get more information at cic.gc.ca/english/study/work-postgrad.asp

$15.65 per hour
Minimum wage in British Columbia
CO-OPERATIVE EDUCATION

Co-operative education combines academic studies with paid work experience. Students alternate between terms of full-time study and full-time employment.

Why co-op?
- Get paid for career-related work experience while studying
- Earn academic credits and transcript distinction
- Maximize job opportunities upon graduation
- Choose from co-op placements in Kamloops and across Canada
- TRU co-op office prepares students for interviews and job placements
- Choose to work up to four semesters

Students can receive academic credit for co-op work terms.

Co-op student wages by program

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Sample co-op schedule (based on a 4-year degree)

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For co-op requirements, fees and more information, go to tru.ca/coop

93% graduates in the labour force
(source: BC Student outcomes)
EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

TRU offers many places for students to learn through experiences whether in classes (curricular), outside the classroom, or in the community (co-curricular and extra-curricular).

For more details visit tru.ca/cel

THE LIFE CYCLE OF A TRU STUDENT

BEGIN → PARTICIPATE IN INTERNATIONAL ORIENTATION

ATTEND CLASSES & make friends

JOIN clubs

STUDY A SEMESTER ABROAD

become a PEER MENTOR

work Part-Time while studying

DO A co-op SEMESTER

attend CONVOCATION

finish PROGRAM

This is the BEGINNING of ANYTHING YOU WANT!
SUPPORTING OUR STUDENTS

TRU has Canada’s largest and most comprehensive international student services and support team.

International admissions

Our international admissions team:
- processes applications
- provides course registration
- collects payments
- assists with admission inquiries
- assists with registration inquiries

International academic advisors

Once you’re accepted, our international academic advisors:
- plan your courses before you arrive
- monitor your academic performance
- provide counselling support
- advise on program requirements
- hold workshops

International student advisors & homestay

This multilingual team helps with personal counselling and assistance in most aspects of student life in Canada, including:
- housing
- visas, study permit and work permit applications
- orientation and welcome services including airport reception, city tours and peer programs
- academic liaison
- cultural support
HOUSING

Join a vibrant, active community of students from all over the world. Apply directly out of high school before April 1, 2023 and secure guaranteed space in North Tower or McGill Residence. After that date, applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.

For more information about on-campus housing, visit tru.ca/housing

North Tower (On Campus)

Enjoy one of the best views in the city at the 11-storey North Tower. Access premium amenities such as a cardio room, dance studio, patio with large BBQ, games room and regular social activities.

Rates for September – April

- Two- or four-bedroom suite: $8,110 CAD
- All rates include a $50 CAD mandatory residence life activity fee which is non-refundable.
- Non-refundable application fee: $100 CAD

For more options and the most current pricing, truworld.ca/housing

McGill Residence (On Campus)

This community is ideal for students looking for an active, close-knit, communal experience. The newly renovated McGill Residence has amenities that include laundry, games room, kitchen and study room.

Rates for September – April

- Four-bedroom suite: $5,416 CAD
- All rates include a $50 CAD residence life activity fee which is non-refundable.
- Non-refundable application fee: $100 CAD

For more options and the most current pricing, truworld.ca/housing

Note: Rates are for the 2022/23 year and are subject to change without notice. Floor plans may slightly differ from room to room.
East Village (Off Campus)

Have the independence of off-campus living, with the convenience of on-campus life at East Village. This location is ideal for students looking for a more independent, mature community, with student-friendly amenities.

Rates for September – April

- Four-bedroom suite: $5,763 CAD
- Four-bed, two-bedroom suite: $3,909 CAD
- Two/Three-bedroom suite (only available Sept-Aug): $8,568 CAD
- All rates include a $50 CAD mandatory residence life activity fee which is non-refundable.
- Non-refundable application fee: $100 CAD

For more options and the most current pricing, truworld.ca/housing

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East Village Floor Plans: 2- and 4-bedroom suites

Homestay: Live with a Canadian family

Managed by TRU World staff, TRU’s homestay program is a great way to experience Canadian culture and practice English by living with local families or individuals. More than 450 carefully selected Canadian homestay providers are in this program. Students get a private, furnished bedroom, three meals a day (and snacks) and a chance to live as part of a Canadian family while sharing their own culture.

Cost is approximately $1000 CAD per month, including meals.

Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Human Resource Management

Living with a host family has helped me adapt and learn more about the Canadian culture. I love traveling, camping and fishing with my host family and I feel comfortable talking to them. They are always supportive and willing to help in anything they can. I definitely feel like part of their family!

TATIANA SUMINA
RUSSIA
WILLIAMS LAKE CAMPUS

Williams Lake is a long-time ranching and farming community with an economy based on area resources such as forestry and mining. TRU Williams Lake has the only ranching program in BC, which focuses on regenerative agriculture.

In Williams Lake, the cost of living is affordable and people know their neighbours. Williams Lake has an expanding hospital and extended-care homes, so there is a demand for university-trained healthcare workers.

The campus boasts small class sizes, usually between 15 and 20 students, depending on the program. There are benefits to such an intimate educational setting — faculty get to know their students and the campus is safe, friendly and close knit.

TRU Williams Lake is located in a residential area and there is housing within walking distance of campus.

For more information, visit tru.ca/williamslake

DISTANCE EDUCATION

Learn wherever you are

As BC’s leading online and distance education provider, TRU Open Learning offers over 60 programs and 500 courses. More than 17,000 TRU students study online or by distance.

You can complete some courses before you arrive to study on campus, saving you time and money.

While on campus, you can take blended studies combining in-class and online Open Learning courses. This allows you to maintain a flexible schedule while still getting credit for courses that count toward your full degree.

Get the details at truopen.ca

Applied Sustainable Ranching Diploma

Growing up in Ghana, West Africa, I saw an opportunity for agriculture to raise the population’s standard of living. Seeking an effective approach to making a difference in the world, I’ve completed my first year of TRU’s Applied Sustainable Ranching two-year program and already feel confident managing a farm.

MAJEED NASHIRU
GHANA

Applied Sustainable Ranching Diploma

Watch Majeed’s ranching program experience
RESEARCH AT TRU

As one of six members of the Research Universities’ Council of British Columbia, TRU is committed to distinguishing itself among BC’s research leaders. We support efforts to achieve excellence with research facilities, internal funding, research chairs, knowledge mobilization resources and student research.

Research at TRU is making a difference. Many of our most important research discoveries stem from community-based research questions that result in real-life solutions with immediate and far-reaching impact. They influence policy, enrich culture, improve programs and build more vibrant cities. Our faculty are engaged in training the next generation of world-class researchers at both the graduate and undergraduate level.

General inquiries, email research@tru.ca | tru.ca/research

TRU Centre for Optimization and Data Science

The Centre for Optimization and Data Science at Thompson Rivers University is an intellectual hub to foster multi-disciplinary research and to enhance the quality of research, not only in the theoretical study of optimization and decision-making science, as well as applications of optimization to real-world problems.

Learn more: tru.ca/cods

Let the cars do the talking

Dr. Ning Lu,
Assistant professor
Computer Science

We’re 10 years from 100% of vehicles communicating through the Internet of Vehicles, Dr. Ning Lu predicts, but basic foundations must be established. Lu’s research project, Real-Time Scheduling of Internet of Vehicles, is supported by an NSERC Discovery Grant and begins with developing algorithms to improve energy conservation, traffic control, transportation scheduling and safety.

TRU Centre for Respiratory Health and Sleep Science

The TRU Centre for Respiratory Health and Sleep Science promotes and facilitates research into best practices for respiratory health and sleep science.

Learn more: tru.ca/sleepcentre

Visiting research students

TRU places a high priority on providing undergraduate and graduate research opportunities for students. Inquiry-based and creative learning are recognized as academic foundations in the Academic Plan. No matter what your discipline, there are opportunities at TRU for you to engage in independent research and artistic inquiry. TRU professors are committed to mentoring and helping you meet your research goals.
SHORT-TERM STUDIES

For more than 25 years, TRU has been delivering some of the best customized learning experiences in the world. Our programming options vary from on-campus and online language and culture programs to professional development training and customized programming created to specifically meet your needs. Everyone, no matter where they are in their educational journey, will enjoy what we have to offer!

Programs may include:

- Accommodation, homestay (including meals) or dormitory
- Scheduled recreational and cultural activities
- Airport pick-up and drop off within Kamloops
- TRU campus and city orientation
- Support from TRU advisors and instructors

For more information and to apply for short-term programs, visit truworld.ca/itc

See what students experience during our short-term programs

Language and Culture Open Programs

These open programs are available to large and small groups. In-person and online options provide opportunities to meet the educational needs of all our students. Both options include intensive English language training, as well as cultural and recreational activities.

Online and in-person programming may include an elective of your choice:

- Applied English
- Global Citizenship
- Healthy Choices
- Leadership Skills
- STEM Skills
- Study Skills
- Workplace English

Four-week Summer Language and Culture Program
July 5 – 28, 2023, $3,450 CAD

Three-week Summer Language and Culture Program
July 10 – 28, 2023, $1,320 CAD (online only)
August 9 – 25, 2023, $3,075 CAD
August 8 – 25, 2023, $1,320 CAD (online only)

Three-week Winter Language and Culture Program
February 14 – March 3, 2023, $3,075 CAD
February 14 – March 3, 2023, $1,230 CAD (online only)

Language and Culture Transition Program

Prepare yourself to achieve the best possible scores on the Accuplacer test and to learn practical ideas for making your study time at TRU as efficient as possible!

Certificate Programs

These programs give you the flexibility to invest as much or as little time as you want, depending on workload or other commitments. Once you complete all six courses you will receive a certificate of completion from TRU.

Our online programs are offered live with one of our certified instructors. Certificate programs include:

- Excellence in Professional English
- Global Citizen
- Professional Development for Educators
- Professional Development for Health Care
- Standardized Test Preparation

$450 CAD/course

Courses are offered monthly throughout the year. Take five courses and get the sixth one for free.
INTERNATIONAL PARTNERSHIPS

TRU's transnational education and study abroad programs offer students unique and exciting ways to gain global experience and earn TRU credits with a wide range of partner institutions.

TRANSNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Take a TRU program at your home institution
TRU works with partner institutions to deliver our programs in partners' home countries. Over 700 students are currently enrolled in TRU adventure, business and computing science programs in China, Iceland and India.

Articulation Program
Transfer your credits towards a degree at TRU
Students can transfer credits earned at partner institutions towards TRU arts, business, computing science, education, science, technology and tourism programs.

Pathway Program
Transition from preparatory studies to TRU
TRU partners with high schools and English language schools in Canada and abroad so qualified students can complete their preparatory studies, then transition to university studies at TRU.

Visiting Student Program
Take part of your program in Canada for credits
TRU has partnered with other institutions worldwide to offer a Visiting Student Program which provides students with a study opportunity in Canada. All courses taken at TRU will be counted towards university credits at the student's home institution, based on the agreement between TRU and the partner institution. Students will receive a certificate of completion at TRU and academic electives completed are eligible to receive credits from TRU.

Find out more at tru.ca/visiting-student

STUDY ABROAD PROGRAMS

Expand your studies at TRU
Don’t be limited to just completing your degree in Canada. Expand your experience by participating in one of TRU’s many international mobility opportunities.

Student Exchange
International students may choose from a list of partner institutions to study for one or two semesters in another country. Tuition is paid to TRU and credits are applied towards your TRU degree.

Short-Term Summer Exchange Programs
If you’re not sure about a full semester abroad, consider an all inclusive two- to four-week short-term summer program with a partner institution. All while earning credit towards your TRU degree.

International Field Schools
TRU provides a range of exciting and specialized faculty-led field schools, taking learning beyond the classroom and earning credits while exploring the world.

For more information, visit tru.ca/studyabroad

Megan Graham, Natural Resource Science
Study Abroad in Japan

2018 Respiratory Therapy Field School to Cuzco, Peru. Faculty of Science Health 3200 Cardiopulmonary Health
OUR STORIES

What’s better than real life experiences? See what our students have to say.

VERA WU
CHINA

Computing Science Diploma
TRU’s School of Computing Science instructors have been instrumental in helping me achieve my goals. They have provided invaluable guidance and support throughout my studies.

YASSIIR CHADY
MAURITIUS

Master of Business Administration
TRU’s Master of Business Administration program not only provides expertise in your field of study, but faculty members also prepare you to enter the professional world by helping to perfect your application documents. TRU’s MBA program exceeded all my expectations.

BENNO BEHRNDT
GERMANY

Bachelor of Arts, Major in Psychology
The time I’ve spent at TRU has been the best. I’ve met amazing people that, even though I’m far from home and my family, always make me feel good and at home. TRU has also given me many opportunities to discover who I am and want to be through activities, events, classes, programs and so many other things that enhance daily my university experience. TRU is, with no doubt, where I belong.

MANUELA CEBALLOS
COLOMBIA

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
TRU’s School of Nursing instructors have supported me throughout the program, which has been a difficult journey at times. The faculty are always looking for opportunities for students to practice skills and apply their knowledge in clinical settings, helping us to better retain course material.

ADETOUN ODUBOTE
NIGERIA

Master of Education
TRU’s Master of Education program has a flexible structure that allows you to focus on your interests in the field. While you’ll learn how to do a teaching job in your Bachelor of Education, the Master of Education teaches you how to reflect and improve to sustain learning and growth.

VERA WU
CHINA

TRU’s MBA program exceeded all my expectations.
and alumni have to say about all that TRU offers.

**Bachelor of Business Administration, Economics**
I came to TRU for a degree but got so much more. I made amazing friends in a picturesque city, worked on a United Nations agency project, got involved with student governance and was a student club leader. TRU offers unparalleled resources and services for its students to thrive.”

ARIA MARTA KORNAS
POLAND

**Master of Business Administration**
I’d like to launch my own start-up in the near future and I’m confident TRU’s MBA program will help me reach this goal. The MBA faculty are highly skilled, and the program has supplied me with the academic background, experience and leadership skills to succeed in our ever-changing world.”

MARIO REYES CASTRO
MEXICO

**Visual Arts Diploma**
Choosing TRU to take the visual arts program has been one of the best decisions I’ve ever made. It offers academic resources, facilities and the support I need as I learn more about arts and media. I’ve also met friends from different parts of the world and got to learn so much about multicultural diversity, which in my opinion is what makes TRU one of a kind!”

JOLLAN ESPINA
PHILLIPPINES

**Post-Baccalaureate Diploma, Business Administration**
Choosing TRU for my Post-Baccalaureate Diploma has been a great experience. It’s very welcoming and I’ve felt at-home here since the first day. I’ve met people from all over the world, enjoyed breathtaking views every day, and am inspired to succeed both academically and personally.”

ANYA BOHACH
UKRAINE

**Bachelor of Science, Animal Biology**
Moving away from home to a new city can be scary, but I was welcomed at TRU with warm smiles and open arms. I’ve had the opportunity to explore topics beyond my major and participate in numerous activities. I’m encouraged to embrace my diversity while learning from other cultural perspectives.”

ANDREA VALCÁRCEL ABUD
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

**Bachelor of Business Administration, Economics**
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POLAND
### STUDY OPTIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

All course and admission information subject to change.

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<td>Post-Baccalaureate Diplomas in Tourism Management Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Tourism, Managing Festivals and Events, Resort Experience Management, Tourism Destination Development, Tourism Experience Management</td>
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<td>Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Tourism *All students must complete 3 credits of English and this can be done as part of the program.</td>
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<td>Bachelor of Arts Majors: Communication (New Media Studies &amp; Public Relations), Criminology, Economics, Economics &amp; Math, Economics &amp; Political Studies, English, Geography &amp; Environmental Studies, History, Mathematics, Philosophy, Psychology, Sociology, Theatre</td>
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Please visit tru.ca/programs for full list of programs and most current fees.
## Undergraduate Tuition (U-Prep and Academic)
- $7,894/semester (up to 12 credits/4 courses)
- $9,610/semester (15 credits/5 courses)
- each additional credit: $572 (fall/winter) / $658 (summer)

## Graduate Tuition
- MAHRSJ (2 years/4 semesters): $28,335
- MBA (2 years): $48,065
- MEEM/MSc EEM (2 years): $50,690
- MSc (2 years/6 semesters): $37,781
- MSc Data Science (2 years/4 semesters): $38,499
- MN (2 years/6 semesters): $33,720
- GCES (Pre-MEd): $8,500
- MEd (4 semesters): $8,500/semester, $2,834/4th semester

## Post-Baccalaureate Diploma Tuition
- $1,973/course ($658/credit)
- $7,894/semester (12 credits/4 courses)
- $9,420/semester (15 credits/5 courses)

## English for Academic Purposes (EAP)
- $6,900/semester (up to 12 credits/4 courses)
- $8,400/semester (15 credits/5 courses)
INTERNATIONAL ACCREDITATIONS AND TRANSFER CREDIT

International Baccalaureate (IB)
The IB diploma is accepted for admission to TRU. Transfer credit will be granted for higher level courses completed with a score of 5 or higher. Students have the option to decline the transfer credit if they wish to complete the course(s) at the university.

To transfer credits to arts, business or science, you must have:
- Official IB transcript (sent to International Admissions office directly from the testing centre)
- Higher learning courses only
- Grade of 5, 6 or 7

Advanced Placement (AP)
AP exams will be accepted for admission to TRU. Official transcripts must be provided from the College Board. To transfer credits you must have:
- Official AP transcript
- Grade of 4 or 5

General Certificate of Educational Studies (GCE)
Students completing their GCE will be considered for admission based on different factors. For admission to TRU you will need:
- A minimum of two Advanced (A) level courses and two Advanced Subsidiary (AS) level courses or
- A minimum of two A-level courses and three Ordinary (O) level subjects
- Completion of O levels (university preparation courses will need to be completed at TRU)
- Math and English A Level completion is required. Otherwise University Preparation or upgrade will be required where applicable.

GCE Advanced level (A-level exams)
Transfer credit to arts, science, or business programs are available for approved A-level courses with a passing grade of A or B. To transfer credits, you must provide official GCE transcripts of A-level courses.

General Education Development (GED) test
GED is an accepted high-school equivalent for admission to TRU under the following conditions:
- Must be at least 17 years of age
- Will need IELTS score
- Will need to take Accuplacer math assessment at TRU

Transfer credit
If you have completed courses at another recognized post-secondary institution, you may be able to transfer those courses to TRU. You will need to indicate your intention to apply for transfer credits on your application form. You must provide original transcripts or attested copies from the respective Registrar and course outlines (syllabus) at least four months prior to your arrival at TRU, otherwise you may not be eligible for transfer credit in your first semester. Transcripts and course outlines must be officially translated into English.

tru.ca/transfercredits-international

SCHOLARSHIPS

International Athletic Scholarships
Considered for students on TRU’s varsity sports teams.

Engineering Scholarships
International students accepted and enrolled in TRU’s two-year engineering transfer program will be considered.

Jorge Campos Award for Mexican citizens
This scholarship is open to Mexican citizens currently enrolled in a full-time program of studies in Mexico.

Scholarships for US Citizens
US citizens admitted to a TRU undergraduate program of two years or longer are eligible for an automatic scholarship of $2,000 CAD per student.

Diversity Scholarships
TRU offers global diversity scholarships to new international students that demonstrate excellent academics and are from countries that are underrepresented on campus. To be considered, students should meet one of the following: 3.0 GPA or 6.5 IELTS or 88 TOEFL iBT.

Scholarships for Residents of the Bahamas
Students from the Bahamas entering an undergraduate program in the Faculty of Adventure, Culinary Arts and Tourism or the School of Business and Economics will automatically be considered to receive a $7,500 CAD award. One student is selected each year.

International Social Media Ambassador Awards
A limited number of awards are available for international and Canadian students interested in promoting TRU globally as a study destination.

Academic Excellence Award
To be considered, students must have a minimum GPA of 86% (A) during last year of high school/college/university.

Exceptional Student Award
To be considered, students must have a minimum GPA of 80% (A-) during last year of high school/college/university and gain direct entry to academic studies (IELTS 6.5+).

For more information visit truworld.ca/scholarships
ENGLISH LANGUAGE UPGRADES AND U-PREP

TRU offers English for Academic Purposes (EAP) and University preparation (U-prep). Our EAP program provides quality language training for students who plan to go on to post-secondary study, focusing on English for academic purposes.

Each of the five levels of TRU's EAP program take one semester to complete. Students with no official test score will take an English Placement Test (EPT) upon arrival at TRU and will be placed in the appropriate level of English language study as indicated in the chart below. Students with an official test score can enter EAP or academic courses without taking the TRU EPT. Please refer to the chart for entry levels.

Note: To secure registration for the courses you need, please submit your English test scores two months before arriving at TRU.

Academic requirements

- Secondary school completion (high school graduation)
- Transcripts from all previous post-secondary institutions (if applicable)
- Other requirements vary by program
- For detailed requirements, please refer to pages 24–36
- For English requirements and exemptions, go to tru.ca/englishrequirements

We accept more test results, for more details visit tru.ca/eap
Programs & Admission Requirements

ADVENTURE, CULINARY ARTS & TOURISM

Please refer to tru.ca/programs for the most up-to-date programs and admission requirements.

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| Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Adventure Studies | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• Math 12 or equivalent  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • Contemporary Perspectives in Eco and Adventure  
• Adventure and Sport Marketing  
• Consulting in Adventure | • Eco-Designer  
• Search and Rescue Responder  
• Avalanche Technician |
| Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Innovation and Entrepreneurship in Tourism | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • Adventure and Sport Marketing  
• Consulting in Adventure  
• Programming Experiential Activities | • Small Business Owner  
• Travel Consultant  
• Events Manager |
| Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Managing Festivals and Events | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • The Culture of Events  
• Event Tourism  
• Event Logistics | • Festival Coordinator  
• Event Planner  
• Tourism Coordinator |
| Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Resort Experience Management | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • Resort Management  
• Managing Small Tourism Enterprises  
• Resort Hospitality Operations and Performance | • Guest Experience Manager  
• Resort Manager  
• Customer Relations Coordinator |
| Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Tourism Destination Development | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • Destination Marketing Organizations  
• Community and Cultural Issues in Tourism  
• Tourism and Sustainable Development | • Senior Project Manager  
• Sales Agent  
• Marketing & Sales Executive |
| Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Tourism Experience Management | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • Managing the Tourist Experience  
• The Social Side of Tourism  
• Programming Experiential Activities | • Events Manager  
• Travel Operations Coordinator  
• Guest Services Manager |
| Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Tourism | • Any bachelor’s degree  
• IELTS 6.5 no bands below 6.0 or TOEFL 88 no section less than 20 Limited seats | • Tourism Behaviour  
• Recreation and Tourism Management  
• Tourism in a Global Environment | • Reservations Agent  
• Guest Experience Centre Representative  
• Travel Consultant |
**Bachelor of Tourism Management**

Become a leader and manager in the expanding field of tourism. The BTM focuses on key issues in local, regional, national and international tourism, with opportunities for international experience through study abroad and field schools. Gain the skills and confidence to develop your own tourism business and fill industry demand for managers. Receive a Tourism Management Diploma after two years.

**Concentrations:** Adventure Studies, Festivals & Events, Innovation & Entrepreneurship, Resort Experience

tru.ca/btm

| Bachelor of Tourism Management | All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | Culture, History, and Geography | Tourist Information Centre Manager 
| | Math 11 (60%), or equivalent | Destination Marketing | Travel Agency Manager 
| **Limited seats** | | Hospitality Law | Hotel Manager 
| | **Limited seats** | People, Places, and the Toured Landscape | Event Manager 
| | | Environmental Issues in Tourism | Marketing Executive |

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**Adventure Guide Diploma**

Setting the standard around the world for a broad spectrum of wilderness guide training, this intensive program will prepare you for exciting leadership positions in outdoor skills instruction and guiding. The field portion of your classes access BC’s exceptional recreational resources for whitewater and ocean pursuits, climbing and skiing.

tru.ca/adventure

| Adventure Guide Diploma | All English 12 (67%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | Search and Rescue Management | Ski Instructor 
| | Math 11 (67%), or equivalent | Expedition Planning and Leadership | Avalanche Technician 
| | Completed Adventure Studies application form | The Adventure Tourism Industry | Hiking Guide 
| | 19 years of age by start of program | The Business of Adventure | SAR Team Member 
| **Limited seats** | | | Sea Kayak Guide |

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**Events & Conventions Management Diploma**

Apply your creativity and keen eye for detail toward a career in event management. This program provides a practical overview of the functions, skills and knowledge required to successfully plan, organize, manage, promote and evaluate a festival, convention, tradeshow or special event.

tru.ca/ecm

| Events & Conventions Management Diploma | All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | Catering and Service Management | Conference Planner 
| | Math 11 (60%), or equivalent | Managing Festivals and Events | Event Planner 
| | **Limited seats** | Fundraising for Non-Profit Organizations | Festival Organizer 
| | | | Trade Show Planner 
| | | | Convention Coordinator |

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**Resort & Hotel Management Diploma**

Get what you need to go places in the hospitality industry as a tourism professional. A blend of theory and hands-on learning gives you the technical and managerial skills you need to work in the hotel and resort industry in Canada and abroad.

tru.ca/rhm

| Resort & Hotel Management Diploma | All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | Organizational Leadership in Tourism | Hotel General Manager 
| | Foundations of Math 11 (60%), or equivalent | Hospitality Law | Sales Manager 
| | **Limited seats** | Resort and Hotel Operations | Food and Beverage Manager |

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**Sport Event Management Diploma**

Develop your business skills and event management expertise. Learn to organize and market sports events, recruit and motivate volunteers, and how to raise funds.

tru.ca/sem

| Sport Event Management Diploma | All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | The World of Events | Entrepreneur 
| | Math 11 (60%), or equivalent | Staging Special Events | Sports Teams Manager 
| | **Limited seats** | Sport Event Marketing | Lifestyle/Sporting Event Coordinator 
| | | Field Experience | Fundraising/Marketing Manager |

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**Tourism Management Diploma**

Explore your options with a two-year diploma that gives you a good sampling of the specialties you can take in Tourism Management. Students enrolled in Bachelor of Tourism Management who wish to exit the program upon completion of Year 2 can apply for this diploma.

tru.ca/tourism

| Tourism Management Diploma | All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | Marketing and Customer Service | Event Manager 
| | Math 11 (60%), or equivalent | People, Places, and the Toured Landscape | Hotel and Resort Manager 
| | **Limited seats** | Environmental Issues in Tourism | Travel Counsellor |

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**Adventure Guide Certificate**

This entry-level, eight-month program combines classroom instruction with courses in canoeing, rock climbing, ice climbing, mountaineering, whitewater kayaking and more.

tru.ca/adventure

| Adventure Guide Certificate | All English 12 (67%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent | Wilderness Travel | Ski Instructor 
| | Math 11 (67%), or equivalent | Mountaineering/Rescue Skiing | Sea Kayak Guide 
| | 19 years of age by start of program | Swift Water Rescue Technician | Canoe Instructor 
| **Limited seats** | | Ocean Surfing | Raft Guide Technician 
| | | | Ocean Surfing |

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**Culinary Arts Certificate (Red Seal)**

Learn the fundamentals and the artistry of food preparation in a hands-on environment that includes practical experience producing international gourmet fare for our on-campus public cafeteria. Earn Professional Cook 1 and 2 certifications in three semesters (44 weeks), with the option to complete a Professional Cook 3 Apprenticeship (Red Seal).

tru.ca/culinary

| Culinary Arts Certificate (Red Seal) | Grade 10, or equivalent | Safety and Sanitary Standards | Baker 
| | Food Safe Level 1 | Menu Planning | Cook/Chef 
| | Successful Entry Assessment: see tru.ca/assessment | Ingredients and Nutritional Properties | Chocolatier 
| **Limited seats** | | Production Procedures | Restaurant Manager 
| | | | Caterer |

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*Students who do not meet direct entry requirements to join Tourism Faculty programs will be offered a seat in the Pre-Tourism program. This program allows students to do all required upgrades to qualify for Tourism.*
## ARTS, HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCE

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<td>(in an appropriate discipline (sociology, political science, history, anthropology)</td>
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<td>• Various levels of government</td>
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<td>• IELTS score of 7.0 (with no band below 6.5), or equivalent</td>
<td>• Problem Solving in the Field: Study Techniques and Methods</td>
<td>• Private sector companies adhering to corporate social responsibility</td>
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<td>• A Statement of intent highlighting your experience and enthusiasm related to issues of human rights and/or social justice.</td>
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<td><strong>Bachelor of Fine Arts (Visual Arts)</strong></td>
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# Business, Economics & Management

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<td><strong>Master of Business Administration</strong>&lt;br&gt;The TRU MBA is designed to meet the needs of our students, who can customize their learning experience with maximum flexibility and unparalleled choice. Three program completion options: graduate project, graduate thesis and course-based completion project. <a href="http://tru.ca/mba">tru.ca/mba</a></td>
<td>• 3 or 4-year undergraduate degree (min GPA 3.0 on scale of 4.0 in last 60 credits)&lt;br&gt;• IELTS score of 7.0, no bands below 6.5 (TOEFL of 94 no bands below 20) or completion of four years of secondary and/or post-secondary education in which the primary language is English in a recognized English-speaking country including an Academic Writing English course with a B or better&lt;br&gt;• Quantitative and computing skills</td>
<td>• Strategic Management&lt;br&gt;• Decision Analysis and Management&lt;br&gt;• Innovation and Entrepreneurship&lt;br&gt;• Research Methods, Preparation and Presentation</td>
<td>• Management Consultant&lt;br&gt;• Investment Banker&lt;br&gt;• Management Analyst&lt;br&gt;• Marketing Manager</td>
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<td><strong>Master of Environmental Economics and Management</strong>&lt;br&gt;OR&lt;br&gt;<strong>Master of Science in Environmental Economics and Management</strong>&lt;br&gt;A course-based program providing graduates with a broad knowledge of the business environment, advanced management skills and specialized knowledge in environmental economics and sustainability. MScEEM will complete their studies through a graduate thesis or project. <a href="http://tru.ca/meem">tru.ca/meem</a></td>
<td>• 3 or 4-year undergraduate degree (min GPA 3.0 on scale of 4.0 or local equivalent) in last 60 credits&lt;br&gt;• Successfully completed each course in the GDBA with a minimum overall GPA of 3.00&lt;br&gt;• IELTS score of 7.0, no bands below 6.5 (TOEFL of 94 no bands below 20) or completion of TRU ENGL 1110 or 1111 and CMNS 1290 or 1291 with a B or higher&lt;br&gt;• Interview and references required&lt;br&gt;• Quantitative and computing skills</td>
<td>• Policy and Regulation for Sustainable Management&lt;br&gt;• Principles of Environmental Economics and Natural Resource Economics&lt;br&gt;• Applied Macroeconomics for Sustainable Management&lt;br&gt;• Sustainable Macroeconomic Development&lt;br&gt;• Sustainable Community Economic Development</td>
<td>• Commodities Broker&lt;br&gt;• Environmental Coordinator&lt;br&gt;• Sustainability Manager&lt;br&gt;• Environmental Technical Salesperson&lt;br&gt;• Energy Auditor&lt;br&gt;• Environmental Planner</td>
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<td><strong>Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Accounting</strong>&lt;br&gt;Enables students to create, examine and evaluate financial documents. Students will complete a variety of courses such as statistics, income taxation, economics, financial accounting and management accounting. <a href="http://tru.ca/business/post-bacc">tru.ca/business/post-bacc</a></td>
<td>• ALL English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Math 12 or MATH 0610 or MATH 1000 (67%), or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• ENGL 1100 (67%), or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• A bachelor's degree</td>
<td>• Advanced Financial Accounting&lt;br&gt;• Assurance&lt;br&gt;• Intermediate Management Accounting</td>
<td>• Machine Processing Accountant&lt;br&gt;• Tax Analyst&lt;br&gt;• Financial Control Officer</td>
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<td><strong>Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Business Administration</strong>&lt;br&gt;Prepares mature students with a general business or non-business degree to build a strong foundation in all areas of business. <a href="http://tru.ca/business/post-bacc">tru.ca/business/post-bacc</a></td>
<td>• All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Math 12 or MATH 0610 or MATH 1000 (67%), or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• ENGL 1100 (67%), or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• A bachelor's degree</td>
<td>• Management Information Systems&lt;br&gt;• Commercial Law&lt;br&gt;• Strategic Management</td>
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<td><strong>Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Economics</strong>&lt;br&gt;Students acquire essential knowledge of Canadian financial markets, economic analysis, forecasting, sustainable economic development, public finance and other disciplines that prepare students to become professionals in the economics sector. <a href="http://tru.ca/business/post-bacc">tru.ca/business/post-bacc</a></td>
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<td>• Economics of Climate Change&lt;br&gt;• International Economics&lt;br&gt;• Government and Business&lt;br&gt;• International Financial Markets</td>
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### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Entrepreneurship
Entrepreneurship majors will learn to research new business ideas, prepare formal business plans, secure initial financing and manage small businesses on an ongoing basis.

- All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 12 or MATH 0610 or MATH 1000 (67%), or equivalent
- ENGL 1100 (67%), or equivalent
- A bachelor's degree

### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Finance
Students acquire a foundation in finance-related subjects including financial management, financial accounting, investments and equity analysis.

- All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 12 or MATH 0610 or MATH 1000 (67%), or equivalent
- ENGL 1100 (67%), or equivalent
- A bachelor's degree

### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Human Resource Management
Topics include leadership, teamwork in organizations, planning and staffing, employment law and organizational development.

- All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 12 or MATH 0610 or MATH 1000 (67%), or equivalent
- ENGL 1100 (67%), or equivalent
- A bachelor's degree

### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Economics and Political Studies

### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in International Business
Prepares students for positions as managers and entrepreneurs in the global economy.

### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Marketing
Students acquire a foundation in marketing-related subjects including consumer behaviour, marketing research, strategy, e-commerce, professional selling, brand management and forecasting.

### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Mathematics and Economics
This diploma is of interest to students who have a non-business degree and want to return to university for one or two years to acquire a specialty in a functional area of business. Students with a first degree in business, but who want to change their area of focus, may complete a post-baccalaureate diploma as well.

### Post-Baccalaureate Diplomas
Provide mature students with general business or non-business degrees with a specialization in a functional area of business, to enhance their employment opportunities. International students can learn English while experiencing Canadian culture, and studying in a compressed format.

**Minimum Requirements:** Students may commence their studies while they upgrade their mathematics and English.
### Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Supply Chain Management

Program focuses on fundamental aspects of supply chain management like logistics and transportation, operations management, commercial law and global management.

- tru.ca/business/post-bacc

### Bachelor of Business Administration

Gain a foundation in business in the first two years of the flexible BBA program, then find your passion in a choice of majors and minors. Co-op and study abroad opportunities are available to enhance your career options. Double degree option with Computing Science is available.

**Majors:** Accounting, Economics, Entrepreneurship, Finance, Human Resource Management, International Business, Marketing, Supply Chain Management

**Minors:** Environmental Economics & Sustainable Development, Financial Markets & Institutions, Financial Services, Leadership, Management Information Systems, Project Management

- tru.ca/bba

**DOUBLE DEGREES:** Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) and Bachelor of Computing Science (BCS), Bachelor of Business (BBA) and Bachelor of Arts (BA)

- tru.ca/business/degrees/double_degree

### Accounting Technician Diploma

Develop the skills to become an accounting para-professional working alongside professional accountants in industry and public practice. Your diploma credits count towards completion of the Bachelor of Business Administration.

**Exit Certificate after first year:** Business Foundations Certificate

- tru.ca/accounting

### Associate of Commerce & Business Administration Diploma

This certificate allows you to complete the lower level requirements of a business degree at TRU, before transferring to another university such as Simon Fraser University or University of British Columbia for your third and fourth years.

- tru.ca/business/certificates_diplomas

### Management Diploma

Develop your skills in areas such as accounting, oral and written communications, problem-solving, marketing, human relations, economics, information systems and business ethics. Your diploma credits count towards completion of the Bachelor of Business Administration.

**Exit Certificate after first year:** Business Foundations Certificate

- tru.ca/mgmt

**Diplomas:** Upgrading available while in the program.
EDUCATION, SOCIAL WORK, & HUMAN SERVICES

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| Master of Education                                     | • 4-year undergraduate degree or equivalent with a min GPA 3.0 (on scale of 4.33) in last 60 credits  
• IELTS score of 6.5 no bands below 6.5 or completion of undergrad degree at an English language university in a country where English is their first official language  
• 3 reference letters  
Limited seats                                                  | • Legal Issues in Education  
• Multimedia in the Curriculum  
• Theories in Counselling  
• Intervention and Programming in Inclusive Education                 | • Instructional Technologist  
• Educational Superintendent  
• Counsellor  
• Academic Dean                                                          |
| Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies             | • 4-year undergraduate degree or equivalent with a min GPA 2.5 (on scale of 4.33) in last 60 credits  
• IELTS score of 6.0 no bands below 5.5 or completion of undergrad degree at an English language university in a country where English is their first official language | • Legal Issues in Education  
• Multimedia in the Curriculum  
• Theories in Counselling  
• Intervention and Programming in Inclusive Education                 | • Instructional Technologist  
• Educational Superintendent  
• Counsellor  
• Academic Dean                                                          |
| Bachelor of Education – Elementary                      | • Must be graduate of a four year degree or equivalent (min GPA 2.67 in last 60 credits) normally in arts, fine arts, math, science, music or physical education  
• 100 hours volunteer experience                                        | • History of Education  
• Language and Literacy  
• Mathematics  
• Special Education  
• Visual Arts  
• School Organization                                                      | • Primary School Teacher  
• Youth Worker  
• Community Education Officer  
• Education Administrator  
• Teaching Assistant                                                        |
### Bachelor of Education – Secondary (STEM)

This one-year (12-month) program prepares students to teach science and mathematics in the context of engineering and technology in secondary school settings. Graduates qualify for a professional teaching certificate from the BC Ministry of Education, Teacher Regulation Branch (TRB), certifying them to teach science and mathematics subjects in any secondary school setting. Graduates often teach in other provinces or territories in Canada and in other countries.

[tru.ca/stem](http://tru.ca/stem)  

- Must be graduate of a four year (120 credit hours) bachelor of science degree or equivalent in mathematics or science (such as Physics, Biology, Chemistry, or General Science) with a 2.67 GPA on the most recent 60 credits completed  
- One teachable major or two teachable minors (courses taught in secondary schools)  
- Successful completion of six credits of English Literature and Composition at any level  
- 100 hours of relevant volunteer or paid teaching experience

**Competitive admission**

### Bachelor of Social Work

Learn the skills you need for a rewarding career as a generalist social work practitioner in various fields of practice, such as child welfare, mental health, addictions, women’s services, family justice, corrections, health and Indigenous people. The BSW program has an orientation toward social justice, and respect for diversity and social change.

[tru.ca/bsw](http://tru.ca/bsw)  

- Third year entry  
- A minimum of 54 credits (60 recommended) with a min GPA of 2.33  
- Human Service diploma or certificate with a minimum GPA of 2.67

**Limited seats**

### Early Childhood Education Diploma

This program provides excellent learning techniques to acquire necessary knowledge and skills to become educators. Completion of ECE Diploma satisfies the requirements of CCFB and BC Government for a license to practice as an Early Childhood Educator.

[tru.ca/ece](http://tru.ca/ece)  

- All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
- 25 hours of volunteer and/or work experience in a licensed child care facility

**Limited seats**

### Human Service Diploma

Prepare for a helping career with agencies that provide support and assistance to individuals coping with economic disadvantage, mental health issues, developmental, gender and diversity issues, addictions and other challenges. Your certificate credits count towards completion of child and youth care or social work degree programs.

[tru.ca/humanservice](http://tru.ca/humanservice)  

- All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
- must be 19 years of age before start of program  
- Criminal record check from home country

- Introduction to Communications and Helping Relationships  
- Family and Marriage  
- Introduction to First Nations  
- Introduction to Social Work Practice  
- Law and Social Services  
- Advanced Interpersonal Skills/Guided Communications

**Limited seats**

### TESL Certificate

Get the knowledge, skills and confidence to start a career teaching English as a second language in Canada or around the world. Teaching English is a great way to collect unforgettable experiences, be in high demand and make a real difference in peoples’ lives. Our program is nationally accredited by TESL Canada.

[tru.ca/ttesl](http://tru.ca/ttesl)  

- An IBT (Internet Based TOEFL) score of 88 with a minimum score of 20 in each area.  
- IELTS Academic 6.5+ with a minimum score of 6.5 in each area

- Curriculum and Instruction  
- Pedagogical Grammar  
- Intercultural Communication Studies  
- TESL Techniques  
- TESL Practicum

**Program Administrator**

- Program Coordinator  
- Develop and write curricula  
- Teach at universities and colleges  
- Teach globally

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## HEALTH SCIENCES & NURSING

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| **Master of Nursing**               | • Any bachelor’s degree, bachelor of nursing recommended  
• Min GPA 3.0 on scale of 4.0 in last 60 credits  
• Introductory Statistics 12 (or equivalent) C+  
• Two letters of reference (one academic and one professional)  
• Verification of registration as an active practicing nurse from the regulatory body of the jurisdiction where you live  
• A minimum IELTS score of 7.0: Speaking 7.0, Writing 7.0, Listening 7.5, Reading 6.5  | • Knowledge for Advanced Nursing  
• Research in Healthcare  
• Leadership and Managing Change in Healthcare  | • Research Nurse  
• Nurse Educator  
• Health Care Administrator |
| **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**  | • All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
• Foundations of Math 12 or Pre-Calculus 12 (67%), or equivalent  
• Biology 12 (67%), or equivalent  
• Chemistry 11 (67%), or equivalent  
• One additional Science 11 or Science 12 with a minimum (67%), or equivalent  | • Health and Healing  
• Composition  
• Health Care Ethics  
• Consolidated Practice Experience  
• Nursing Research  | • Medical Intensive Care Nurse  
• Advanced Nurse Practitioner  
• Acute Care Nurse Practitioner  
• Nurse Educator  
• Registered Nurse  |
| **Practical Nursing Diploma**       | • All English 12 (67%), or IETS 6.5, or equivalent  
• Foundations of Math 11 (60%), or equivalent  
• Human Anatomy and Physiology for Practical Nurses (67%), or equivalent  | • Anatomy and Physiology  
• Professional Practice  
• Health and Healing  
• Nursing Practice  | • Ambulance Care Aid  
• Geriatric Nurse  
• Pediatric Nurse  
• Operating Room Nurse  |
| **Respiratory Therapy Diploma**     | • All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
• Foundations of Math 12 or Pre-Calculus 12 (67%), or equivalent  
• Biology 12 (67%), or equivalent  
• Chemistry 12 (67%), or equivalent  
• Physics 11 (67%), or equivalent  | • Mechanical Ventilation  
• Patient Assessment  
• Anesthesia  
• Assessment and Interventions in Multisystem Disorders  
• General Pathophysiology  | • Respiratory Therapist  
• Radiological Technologist  
• Health Sciences Educator  
• Clinical Education/Application Specialist  |

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<td><strong>Law – Juris Doctor</strong>&lt;br&gt;Obtain a dynamic legal education with a three-year, full-time Juris Doctor degree program. Understand law, master the realities of practice and be prepared to serve the profession of law and the interests of justice. Opportunities include competitive mootings, an international law journal, a legal information service and student-run initiatives.</td>
<td>• A bachelor degree</td>
<td>• Advanced Legal Research&lt;br&gt;• Ethical Lawyering&lt;br&gt;• Alternate Dispute Resolution&lt;br&gt;• Evidence&lt;br&gt;• Civil Procedure</td>
<td>• Research Lawyer&lt;br&gt;• Public Defender&lt;br&gt;• Judge&lt;br&gt;• Contract Negotiator&lt;br&gt;• Plaintiff Attorney&lt;br&gt;• Corporate Lawyer</td>
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<td><strong>Police &amp; Justice Studies Diploma</strong>&lt;br&gt;This two-year program will prepare you for the challenges of a career in policing, as well as in corrections, parole, customs, and other government services at the federal, provincial or municipal levels. Your diploma credits count towards completion of an arts, business or criminology degree.</td>
<td>• All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Any Math 11&lt;br&gt;• Statement of Career Objectives&lt;br&gt;• Résumé</td>
<td>• Human Behaviour&lt;br&gt;• Conditioning&lt;br&gt;• Tactical Communication Skills for Criminal Justice&lt;br&gt;• Introduction to Criminal Justice Services in Canada&lt;br&gt;• Police Skills</td>
<td>• Police Officer&lt;br&gt;• Bylaw Enforcement Officer&lt;br&gt;• Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Officer&lt;br&gt;• Criminologist&lt;br&gt;• Federal Air Marshal</td>
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## SCIENCE & COMPUTING SCIENCE

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<td>• 4-year Bachelor degree or equivalent in a Science, with a minimum 3.00 GPA in the last 60 credits.&lt;br&gt;• IELTS of at least 6.5 with no band below 6.0, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Additional requirements found here: <a href="https://www.tru.ca/science/masters-degrees/mscds/admission/admission-requirements.html">https://www.tru.ca/science/masters-degrees/mscds/admission/admission-requirements.html</a></td>
<td>• Advanced Modelling Techniques&lt;br&gt;• Advanced Optimization Methods&lt;br&gt;• Applied Statistics in Data Mining&lt;br&gt;• Exploratory Data Analysis and Data Visualization</td>
<td>• Business Intelligence Reporting Professional&lt;br&gt;• Statistician&lt;br&gt;• Data Analyst&lt;br&gt;• Data Mining or Big Data Engineer&lt;br&gt;• Program/Project Manager</td>
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<td><strong>Master of Science in Environmental Science</strong>&lt;br&gt;Designed to produce graduates who are innovative and have multidisciplinary skills and broad knowledge in the field of environmental science. It is structured to be unique, flexible and relevant.</td>
<td>• Must have a TRU thesis supervisor before you apply&lt;br&gt;• 3.3 GPA of a scale of 4.33 in the last 60 credits&lt;br&gt;• IELTS of 6.5 with no bands below 6.0</td>
<td>• Environmental Science: History, Philosophy, and Concepts&lt;br&gt;• Environmental Science: Conducting Science&lt;br&gt;• Thesis: Master’s Thesis</td>
<td>• Environmental Policy Director&lt;br&gt;• Project Manager&lt;br&gt;• Environmental Coordinator</td>
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<td><strong>Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Applied Data Science</strong>&lt;br&gt;Program description: Develop strong analytical, technical, and professional skills and foundations in the principles and practice of Mathematics, Statistics, and related Computing technologies. These skill sets will help open career opportunities in the field of Applied Data Science and Data Analytics.</td>
<td>• 3 or 4-year undergraduate degree in any discipline, with a minimum 3.00 GPA on scale of 4.0 in last 60 credits&lt;br&gt;• IELTS of at least 7.0 with no band below 6.5, or equivalent</td>
<td>• Introduction to applied data science with Python&lt;br&gt;• Artificial intelligence&lt;br&gt;• Data mining</td>
<td>• Data Analyst&lt;br&gt;• Business Analyst&lt;br&gt;• Data and Analytics Manager&lt;br&gt;• Database Administrator</td>
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<th>Bachelor of Engineering in Software Engineering</th>
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<td>If you want to be a professional with the technical knowledge and skills to design, develop, test and maintain problem-solving software by applying systematic engineering principles, a software engineering degree is the right choice. Join the fastest growing and in-demand profession to be part of teams producing software-enabled products of high technical complexity.</td>
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<td>• BC Grade 12 or equivalent</td>
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<td>Gain a broad and in-depth understanding of natural resources, including not only biology, ecology and scientific method, but sector-specific resource management for forestry, fisheries, range and recreation. The BNRS program provides hands-on learning in the field and opportunities for undergraduate research and study abroad.</td>
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| Limited seats  |
| Upgrading available while in the program  |

| Competitive admission  |
### Computing Science Diploma

Become proficient in the application of computers to solve business-related problems. Develop your technical and computer skills in combination with communication and business skills. Your diploma credits count towards completion of the Bachelor of Computing Science degree.

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<td>• Pre-Calculus 12 or Math 12 (67%), or equivalent</td>
<td>• Multimedia Developer</td>
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<td>• Mathematics for Computing Science</td>
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### Architectural & Engineering Technology Diploma (ARET)

This nationally accredited program is a three-year diploma that emphasizes the design processes in building, civil and mechanical technologies, building structures, municipal services, electrical, plumbing and HVAC systems.

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<td>• Computer Aided Design and Drafting</td>
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### Engineering Transfer (Year 1)

Get started on your engineering degree at TRU by taking one year of general study courses that are common to all engineering disciplines. This program transfers into the second year of a full engineering program at either the University of British Columbia or the University of Victoria, or stay at TRU to complete Year 2, Electrical or Computer for entry into third year at UVic.

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### Engineering Transfer (Year 2, Electrical or Computer)

Complete second-year engineering courses in either electrical or computer engineering, plus a four-to eight-month co-op term. Study circuit analysis and digital electronics, design and test microcontroller circuits and learn to control various mechanical systems. Transfers to the third-year electrical or computing stream at the University of Victoria.

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<td>• Completion of first year of the Engineering Transfer Program at TRU (38 credits) with a cumulative grade point average of 2.50</td>
<td>• Differential Equations</td>
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<td>• A minimum grade of C- or better in all courses that are part of the first-year transfer program.</td>
<td>• Calculus</td>
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<td>• Forest Mensuration</td>
<td>• Digital Electronics</td>
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<td>• Electrical Properties of Materials</td>
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### Forestry Transfer Program

Complete the first two years of UBC’s four-year forestry degree program at TRU. A general year of forestry is followed in second year by forest resource management, forest operations, forest science and natural resource conservation. With a GPA of at least 2.50 in the required courses, you are eligible to apply for admission to the UBC Faculty of Forestry.

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<td>• Pre-Calculus 12 (67%), or equivalent</td>
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<td>• Two of Biology 11, Chemistry 11, or Physics 11, or equivalent</td>
<td>• Two of Biology 12, or Physics 12 (73%), or equivalent</td>
<td>• Fisheries and Wildlife Officer</td>
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<td>• One of Biology 12, Chemistry 12, or Physics 12 (73%), or equivalent</td>
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### Applied Sustainable Ranching

Students will gain the expertise to build sustainable ranching enterprises in BC and apply that expertise to any agriculture enterprise in any region. Learn about carbon-neutral ranching and land management practices with a focus on innovation, reducing stress on livestock and financial and environmental sustainability. During this program, students live with a host ranch family and gain hands on skills and work experience concurrently with their academic studies. Come and experience Canadian ranching in the Cariboo region of Canada.

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<td>• A good working knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel</td>
<td>• Farm or Ranch Manager</td>
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<td>• Two letters of reference</td>
<td>• Business Strategy</td>
<td>• Range and Land Use Manager</td>
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<td>• Agriculture Marketing</td>
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<td><strong>Horticulture</strong></td>
<td>• All English 12 (73%), or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Math 11 (60%), or equivalent&lt;br&gt;&lt;br&gt;<em>Limited seats</em></td>
<td>• Greenhouse Production&lt;br&gt;• Soil Science&lt;br&gt;• Landscaping&lt;br&gt;• Nursery Production and Retailing&lt;br&gt;• Turfgrass Management</td>
<td>• Landscaping&lt;br&gt;• Nurseries&lt;br&gt;• Garden centres&lt;br&gt;• Municipal parks&lt;br&gt;• Commercial greenhouses&lt;br&gt;• Orchards&lt;br&gt;• Golf courses</td>
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<td><strong>Instrumentation Engineering Technology Diploma</strong></td>
<td>• Pre-Calculus 12 with B (73%) or better&lt;br&gt;• Physics 12 with B (73%) or better&lt;br&gt;• Chemistry 11 (12 is highly recommended) with B (73%) or better&lt;br&gt;• English 12/English 12 First Peoples with 73% or better (or equivalent)&lt;br&gt;&lt;br&gt;<em>Limited seats</em></td>
<td>• Instrumentation Engineering Technology&lt;br&gt;• Engineering Mechanics&lt;br&gt;• Engineering Graphics&lt;br&gt;• Introduction to Engineering Measurements&lt;br&gt;• Chemical Bonding and Organic Chemistry</td>
<td>Diploma graduates can pursue ITA Red Seal designation, having completed two of the four levels of training. Upon completion of UVic engineering degrees, they can practice as engineers in training (EITs) and work towards professional engineering certification (P.Eng.).</td>
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<td><strong>Power Engineering Technology Diploma</strong></td>
<td>• All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Math 12 with 67%&lt;br&gt;• Recommended: Physics 11&lt;br&gt;&lt;br&gt;<em>Limited seats</em></td>
<td>• Safety and Environment&lt;br&gt;• Welding and Piping&lt;br&gt;• Electricity and Instrumentation&lt;br&gt;• Refrigeration Systems&lt;br&gt;• Plant Boiler Simulation</td>
<td>• Power Engineer&lt;br&gt;• Construction Millwright&lt;br&gt;• Industrial Mechanic&lt;br&gt;• Power Systems Operator&lt;br&gt;• 1300 job openings 2020-2030</td>
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<td><strong>Water and Wastewater Technology Diploma</strong></td>
<td>• All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Math 11, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Recommended: Chemistry 11, or equivalent and Biology 11, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;&lt;br&gt;<em>Limited seats</em></td>
<td>• Microbiology and Toxicology&lt;br&gt;• Management and Leadership Skills&lt;br&gt;• Source Water Protection Management&lt;br&gt;• Wastewater Utility&lt;br&gt;• Mechanical Systems</td>
<td>• Hazardous Materials Specialist&lt;br&gt;• Water Quality Technician&lt;br&gt;• Municipal Water and Wastewater Quality Technician</td>
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<td><strong>Water and Wastewater Utilities Certificate</strong></td>
<td>• All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent&lt;br&gt;• Recommended: Math 11, or equivalent, Chemistry 11, or equivalent and Biology 11, or equivalent</td>
<td>• Filtration&lt;br&gt;• Coagulation and Particle Removal&lt;br&gt;• Water Chemistry&lt;br&gt;• Water Treatment&lt;br&gt;• Introduction to Wastewater</td>
<td>• Lab Technician&lt;br&gt;• Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator&lt;br&gt;• Eco-toxicologist&lt;br&gt;• Landfill Engineer</td>
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<td><strong>Trades Foundation Programs</strong></td>
<td>• Automotive Service Technician, Carpenter, Diesel Engine Mechanic, Electrician, Electrical/Industrial Mechanic, Heavy Duty Equipment Technician, Instrumentation &amp; Control Technician, Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Machinist, Metal Fabricator, Plumber, Welder&lt;br&gt;21 – 36 weeks</td>
<td>• Red Seal: Many trades allow you to earn extra certification so you can work across Canada.</td>
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1 Choose your program and start date

Programs are found on pages 24–36. Check admission requirements and make your program choice.

**Application deadlines:** Some programs may have alternate applications deadlines. Please check your individual program of interest.

2 Apply

Apply online at [truworld.ca/apply](https://truworld.ca/apply)

**Email:**
iapply@tru.ca (undergraduate and post-graduate studies)
igrad@tru.ca (graduate studies)

**Mail:**
International Admissions
Thompson Rivers University
805 TRU Way
Kamloops, BC Canada V2C 0C8
Tel: +1-250-828-5252

**Transcripts and documents**
- Submit all required supporting documents including proof of language proficiencies.
- Current high school students, submit final grade 11 and interim grade 12 transcripts.
- Submit transcripts from all previous post-secondary institutions (if applicable).
- Original transcripts must be provided **before your arrival at TRU**, otherwise you will not be allowed to register for courses at TRU.

**Application fee**
A non-refundable application fee of $100 CAD must accompany your application.

3 Next steps

**Processing:** completed applications will normally be processed within 10-15 business days.

**Offer letter:** TRU will send a pre-acceptance letter indicating (a) the program to which you have been accepted (b) any conditions of your acceptance.

**Payment:** you should submit the required fees as outlined in your pre-acceptance letter, through PayMyTuition.

**Final acceptance:** upon receiving your transcripts, and payment of tuition and general fees, TRU will send an official letter of acceptance.

**Student visa:** use your official TRU letter of acceptance to apply to the nearest Canadian Embassy or consulate for a student visa.

**Housing:** either make arrangements with the accommodation directly or use the TRU World service to secure your room. Students must pay a $150 CAD accommodation application fee when using the service through TRU World. Visit [truworld.ca/housing](https://truworld.ca/housing) to apply.

**Airport pickup:** airport pickup is available only at the Kamloops Airport. Additional charges may apply.

4 Payment

**Online application fees** can be paid by bank transfers, debit/credit card in home currency, eWallet payments, and other local options through PayMyTuition [tru.ca/future/tuition/pay](https://tru.ca/future/tuition/pay)

**Send a copy of your financial payment confirmation to iapply@tru.ca for undergraduate studies and to igrad@tru.ca for master’s studies.**

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TRU Refund Rules
Students should familiarize themselves with TRU’s refund rules prior to submitting payment for their studies. All new international applicants to TRU should be aware that their first semester tuition fees are non-refundable and non-transferable. After receiving the Letter of Acceptance the applicant is expected to begin their studies at TRU.

Students withdrawing due to a failure to obtain a student permit prior to arrival at TRU will be entitled to a full refund of tuition and general fees invoiced less a $200 CAD administration fee. Students must notify TRU in writing and provide documentation prior to the start of the semester. Processing time may take up to eight weeks.

New students who wish to defer the start of their first semester of study to a future semester may do so only once and up to a maximum of one calendar year.