TRU's Kamloops and Williams Lake campuses are located on the traditional lands of the Tk'emlúps te Secwépemc (Kamloops campus) and the T'exelc (Williams Lake campus) within Secwépemcúl’ecw. In Kamloops (from the Secwépemc 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

1 MILLION SQ FT OF LEARNING SPACE
40 ACRES OF GREEN SPACE

7 VARSITY WOLFPACK TEAMS & 2 CLUB TEAMS

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

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 heart of Kamloops within walking distance of everything you need

4,000+ INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS FROM OVER 100 COUNTRIES & REGIONS
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 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 4,000 international students from over 100 countries and regions. Wherever you are from, we can help you follow your passion at TRU.

TRU offers:

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

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
KAMLOOPS. A UNIQUE LOCATION

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 over 100,000 friendly residents and is rich with sporting and cultural events and boasts four beautiful 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 contribute 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

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 that are beginning to thrive in the community.

• Hi-Tech
• Green Energy
• Tourism

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

More about Kamloops tinyurl.com/kamvoidtour

100,000 Population count in 2022
Kamloops and surrounding area

Kamloops

Vancouver

British Columbia, CANADA

45 minutes by plane
3.5 hours by car
4.5 hours by bus

Tourism Kamloops / Michelle McAleese

Digital system design engineer

These are approximate seasonal highs and lows, not average temperatures. We might hit the peaks or dips only briefly each
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, 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 to 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.

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/truworl

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, which includes 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 and with Trinidad and Tobago.

For more information, visit gowolppack.ca

Intramural sports

TRU Recreation offers non-competitive intramural and drop-in games of badminton, basketball, dodgeball, floor hockey, soccer, volleyball, pickleball and cricket, 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
WORK OPTIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

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.

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 a job interview. These career counselors have years of experience and are committed to supporting students in reaching their career goals through various 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

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

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

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.

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

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**Co-op student wages by program**

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

KARANVIR SINGH
INDIA

**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.

Minimum wage in British Columbia

$16.75 per hour

For Co-op requirements, fees and more information, go to tru.ca/coop
EXPRESS THE LIFE CYCLE OF A TRU STUDENT

BEGIN → PARTICIPATE IN INTERNATIONAL ORIENTATION → ATTEND CLASSES & MAKE FRIENDS → WORK PART-TIME WHILE STUDYING → DO A CO-OP SEMESTER → BECOME A PEER MENTOR → FINISH PROGRAM → ATTEND CONVOCATION

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

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

Have questions? Speak with us today.
TRU.CA/CONNECT

THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY   |   2024–25 Viewbook
Join a vibrant, active community of students from all over the world. Apply directly out of high school before April 1 and secure a 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: $8,670 CAD
- All rates include a $60 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 rooms.

Rates for September – April
- Four-bedroom suite: $9,390 CAD
- All rates include a $60 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

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: $6,160 CAD
- Two-bed, two-bedroom (shared) suite: $4,180 CAD
- Four/Two-bedroom suite (only available Sept-Aug): $9,165 CAD
- All rates include a $65 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

Note: Rates are for the 2023/24 year and are subject to change without notice. Floor plans may slightly differ from room to room.

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 $1,000 CAD per month, including meals.

Currently under construction, the new student housing development at East Village will feature a mixture of single and shared bedroom studio style suites.

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East Village Floor Plans: 3- and 4-bedroom suites
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 focusing 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 are housing options within walking distance of the 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, study online or by distance.

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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

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MaJeed Nashiru

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.

Program experience

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.

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.
For more than 30 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
- Health and Wellness
- Leadership Skills

Four week Summer Language and Culture Program
July 3 to 26, 2024 $3,765 CAD

Three week Summer Language and Culture Program
August 7 to 23, 2024 $3,365 CAD

Three week Winter Language and Culture Program
February 20 - March 8, 2024 $3,365 CAD

Soccer and Language Camp
Come to TRU for your Intercultural experience, enhance your English proficiency, increase strength and conditioning, while improving your soccer skills. June 24 to July 12, 2024, $3,275 CAD

Language and Culture
Transition Program
Come to TRU three weeks before you start your academic classes, practice your English and prepare for your Accuplacer test.

Customized Training
The International Training Centre (ITC) works with partners around the world on their unique training needs. Ask us about:
- Teacher Training
- Health Care Programs
- Tourism / Adventure Training Programs
- Business Programs

Certificate Programs
The courses within this certificate program, can be scheduled as a in-person cohort or individuals can study online. 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 Citizenship
- Professional Development for Educators
- Professional Development for Health Care
- Standardized Test Preparation

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.

Pathway Program
Take part of your program in Canada for credits
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STUDY ABROAD
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.

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CHINA

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GERMANY

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COLOMBIA

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STUDY OPTIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Please visit trus.ca/programs for full list of programs and most current fees.

DIPLOMA PROGRAMS

Accounting Technician Diploma
2 Y (60 cr) Sept/Jan O Yes 29

Adventure Guide Diploma
2 Y (60 cr) Sept L C 33

Architectural & Engineering Technology (AET) Diploma
2 Y (60 cr) Sept C 33

Associate of Arts
2 Y (60 cr) Sept/Jan/May O Yes 29

Associate of Commerce & Business Administration Diploma
2 Y (60 cr) Sept/Jan O Yes 29

Bachelor of Natural Resource Science
2 Y (60 cr) Sept L O Yes 25

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
2 Y (60 cr) Sept L O Yes 25

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Economics and Management (thees-based) (MScEE)
1 - 2 Y Sept L P 32

Bachelor of Science
4 Y (120 cr) Sept/Jan/May O Yes C 33

Bachelor of Engineering in Software Engineering
5 Y (147 cr) Sept C C

Bachelor of Education (Secondary) Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) (4 Y) (120 cr) Sept C Yes C P 33

Bachelor of Education (Secondary) Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) (5 Y) (180 cr) Sept C Yes C P 33

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering
3 Y (90 cr) Sept C C

Bachelor of Engineering in Software Engineering
3 Y (90 cr) Sept C C

Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies (3rd year entry)
2 Y (60 cr) Sept/Jan L C 26

Bachelor of Science in Nursing
4 Y (120 cr) Sept L C 30

Bachelor of Social Work (3rd year admission)
4 Y (120 cr) Sept L C 31

Bachelor of Tourism Management
4 Y (120 cr) Sept/Jan/May L O Yes C P 31

Concentrations: Adventure studies, Entrepreneurship, Tourism Management

Engineering - first- and second-year transfer to UBC and UVic
1 - 2 Y Sept C C 35

Graduate Certificate in Education Studies (GCES) (Post-MED)
4 m Sept/Jan/May O Yes C 30

Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)
4 m Sept/Jan/May O Yes C 30

ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP)
2 Y (60 cr) Sept L O Yes 25

*Duration: 5 years or 1 year if proper degree was obtained


**Fees subject to change

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**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.

**International Baccalaureate (IB)**
The IB diploma is accepted for admission to TRU. Transfer credit will be granted for A 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 issuing 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 six Advanced (A) level courses and two Advanced Subsidiary (AS) level courses or
- A minimum of three A-level courses and two Ordinary (O) level subjects
- Completion of D 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.

**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 GEDTS 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.
- Once your study permit is approved and prior to your arrival at TRU, you must provide original transcripts or attested copies from the respective Registrar and course outlines (syllabus); otherwise you may not be eligible for transfer credit in your first semester.
- Transcripts and course outlines must be officially translated into English.

**SCHOLARSHIPS**

**For more information visit truworld.ca/scholarships**

**Diversity Scholarships**
- TRU offers a global diversity scholarship 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 86 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 $3,000 CAD award. One student is selected each year.
- **TRU Academic Merit Scholarship**
  - Open to all international students who graduate from a Canadian high school with a minimum GPA 75% in Grade 12. Applicable to any undergraduate program. It is valid for one academic year following high-school graduation.

**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 school/college/university. Applicable to any undergraduate program.
- **Exceptional Student Award**
  - To be considered, students must have a minimum GPA of 90% (A) during last year of high school/college/university and gain direct entry to academic studies (IELTS 6.5+).

**Direct Entry Into Academic Study**

**LEVEL 1**
- **5 EAP COURSES + 1 ACADEMIC COURSE + 1 semester**
  - **REQUIREMENTS:**
    - TRU EAP Level 1
    - IELTS: 5.5+ with no bands below 5.0
    - TOEFL: IBT: 71+
    - TOEFL: PBT: 550–560
    - CAEL: Overall 50+, no subtest below 50
- Upon completion you are awarded the EAP Intermediate Certificate Award and direct entry to Level 3

**LEVEL 2**
- **5 EAP COURSES + 1 ACADEMIC COURSE + 1 semester**
  - **REQUIREMENTS:**
    - TRU EAP Level 2
    - IELTS: 6.0+ with no bands below 5.5
    - TOEFL: IBT: 80–81
    - TOEFL: PBT: 580–590
    - CAEL: Overall 55+, no subtest below 50
- Upon completion you are awarded the EAP Advanced Preparation Certificate and direct entry to Level 5

**LEVEL 3**
- **5 EAP COURSES + 1 semester**
  - **REQUIREMENTS:**
    - TRU EAP Level 3
    - IELTS: 7.0+ with no bands below 6.0
    - TOEFL: IBT: 94–95
    - TOEFL: PBT: 620–630
    - CAEL: Overall 60+, no subtest below 60
- Upon completion you are awarded the EAP Advanced Academic Preparation Certificate and direct entry to Level 4

**LEVEL 4**
- **4 EAP COURSES + 1 ACADEMIC COURSE + 1 semester**
  - **REQUIREMENTS:**
    - TRU EAP Level 4
    - IELTS: 7.5+ with no bands below 7.0
    - TOEFL: IBT: 102–105
    - TOEFL: PBT: 630–650
    - CAEL: Overall 70+, no subtest below 60
- On completion you are awarded the EAP Advanced Academic Preparation Certificate and direct entry to Level 5

**LEVEL 5**
- **2 EAP COURSES + 3 ACADEMIC COURSES + 1 semester**
  - **REQUIREMENTS:**
    - TRU EAP Level 5
    - IELTS: 8.0+ with no bands below 8.0
    - TOEFL: IBT: 116–118
    - TOEFL: PBT: 790–800
    - CAEL: Overall 80+, no subtest below 80
- Upon completion you are automatically considered to receive a $7,500 TRU Academic Merit Scholarship

**TRU EAP Advantage**
- **1.** English Placement Test (EPT) available
- **2.** IELTS and TOEFL scores are accepted
- **3.** Academic EAP designed for university preparation
- **4.** Can combine EAP and academic courses for credit in Levels 4 and 5
- **5.** 20 hours of classroom instruction per week
- **6.** Language labs and activities

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

ADVENTURE, CULINARY ARTS & TOURISM

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

PROGRAM NAME

Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Tourism Destination Development

Build upon your undergraduate degree with a focus on tourism destination development — for career advancement, career change, professional development or the pursuit of life-long learning. This post-baccalaureate can be completed in two years.

tru.ca/tourism/post-baccalaureate-diplomas

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

• A bachelor's degree
• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Destination Marketing/Orchestrations
• Community and Cultural Issues in Tourism
• Tourism and Sustainable Development
• Senior Project Manager
• Sales Agent
• Marketing & Sales Executive

SAMPLE JOBS

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

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Math 11 (60%) or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Culture, History, and Geography
• Destination Marketing
• Hospitality Law
• People, Places, and the Tourism Landscape
• Environmental Issues in Tourism
• Tourist Information Centre Manager
• Travel Agency Manager
• Hotel Manager
• Event Organizer
• Marketing Executive

SAMPLE JOBS

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 B.C.'s exceptional recreational resources for whitewater and ocean pursuits, climbing and skiing.

tru.ca/adventure

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

• All English 12 (60%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Math 11 (67%) or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Search and Rescue Management
• Expedition Planning and Leadership
• The Adventure Tourism Industry
• The Business of Adventure
• Ski Instructor
• Avalanche Technician
• Hiking Guide
• SAR Team Member
• Sea Kayak Guide

SAMPLE JOBS

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, trade show or special event.

tru.ca/ecm

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Math 11 (60%) or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Catering and Service Management
• Managing Festivals and Events
• Fundraising for Non-Profit Organizations
• Conference Planner
• Event Planner
• Festival Organizer
• Trade Show Planner
• Convention Coordinator

SAMPLE JOBS

Resort & Hotel Management Diploma

Get the skills you need to place 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/them

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Foundations of Math 11 (60%) or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Organizational Leadership in Tourism
• Hospitality Law
• Resort and Hotel Operations
• Hotel Resources Management
• Hotel General Manager
• Sales Manager
• Food and Beverage Manager

SAMPLE JOBS

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/seem

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Math 11 (60%) or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• The World of Events
• Staging Special Events
• Sport Event Marketing
• Field Experience
• Entrepreneur
• Sports Team Manager
• Lifeguard/Swimming Event Coordinator
• Fundraising/Marketing Manager

Sample Jobs

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

• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Math 11 (60%) or equivalent
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Marketing and Customer Service
• People, Places, and the Tourism Landscape
• Environmental Issues in Tourism
• Event Manager
• Hotel and Resort Manager
• Travel Counsellor

SAMPLE JOBS

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

• All English 12 (75%) or
IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Math 11 (67%) or equivalent
• 19 years of age by start of program
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Wilderness Travel
• Mountain-wearing
• Skiing
• Swift Water Rescue Technician
• Ocean Surfing
• Ski Instructor
• Sea Kayak Instructor
• Canoe Instructor
• Raft Guide Technician
• Ocean Surfing

Professional Cook 1 & 2 (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 catering. 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

• Grade 10, or equivalent
• Food Safe Level 1
• Successful Entry Assessment: see tru.ca/assesment
Limited seats

SAMPLE COURSES

• Safety and Sanitary Standards
• Menu Planning
• Ingredients and Nutritional Properties
• Production Procedures
• Baker
• Cook/Chef
• Chocolatier
• Restaurant Manager
• Caterer

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

**Master of Arts in Human Rights and Social Justice**

With TRU’s interdisciplinary Master of Arts in Human Rights and Social Justice, you can become a leader in the advancement of a just society — locally and globally.

**Bachelor of Arts**

The BA degree offers a variety of majors and minors while ensuring a comprehensive foundation in the liberal arts. Flexible with opportunities for research, Co-op, field school and study abroad. Cultivate skills like communication, critical thinking, teamwork and leadership, and apply your knowledge in real-world settings.

**Majors:**
- Communications
- Political Science
- History
- Philosophy
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Theatre

**Minors:**
- Creative Writing
- European & International Studies
- Philosophy
- Political Science
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Theatre

**Bachelor of Arts**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Introduction to Psychology
- Race and Ethnic Relations
- Labour Economics
- Social and Political Thought
- Project Coordinator
- Researcher
- Public Relations Specialist
- Teacher
- Counselor
- Communications Specialist
- Author
- Historian

**Bachelor of Communication and Digital Journalism**

Embrace studies in public and strategic communication; media relations, media and technology, multimedia storytelling, digital journalism, visual communication, and digital design. With this degree, you will be ready to navigate flexible opportunities as a digital journalist, a public relations specialist, a media analyst or a content producer.

**Majors:**
- Digital Journalism
- Public Relations
- Media Studies

**Bachelor of Communication and Digital Journalism**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.0, or equivalent
- Advanced Professional Communication
- Introduction to Reporting
- Digital Imaging
- Media Analyst
- Content Producer

**Bachelor of Interdisciplinary Studies**

Explore your interests without committing to a specific major in the BIS degree program. Find your passions through a varied learning experience and customize your curriculum, with opportunities for Co-op.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.0, or equivalent
- See tru.ca/bis for admission requirements

**SAMPLE COURSES**

- Introduction to Psychology
- Race and Ethnic Relations
- Labour Economics
- Social and Political Thought
- Digital Imaging
- Media Analyst
- Content Producer

**SAMPLE JOBS**

- Project Coordinator
- Researcher
- Public Relations Specialist
- Teacher
- Counselor
- Communications Specialist
- Author
- Historian

**REQUIREMENTS**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- A Statement of intent
- CV or resume

**JOBS**

- Job options are endless
- Opportunities to write, edit, design and deliver in all types of media
- Media Relations
- Public Relations
- Social Media Coordinator
- Community Relations Coordinator
- Communications Coordinator

**LEARN MORE**

[tru.ca/bis](https://tru.ca/bis)

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**BUSINESS, ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT**

**Master of Business Administration**

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 are available: project, graduate thesis and course-based completion project.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- 3 or 4-year undergraduate degree (40% GPA on scale of 4.0) or equivalent
- IELTS 6.5 or equivalent
- A Statement of intent
- CV or resume

**SAMPLE COURSES**

- Advanced Financial Management
- Statistics
- Strategic Management
- International Economics
- International Marketing
- International Management
- Research Methods, Preparation and Presentation

**SAMPLE JOBS**

- Strategic Management
- Decision Analysis
- Entrepreneurship
- Research Methods
- Manager

**LEARN MORE**

[tru.ca/mba](https://tru.ca/mba)

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**Master of Environmental Economics and Management**

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.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- 3 or 4-year undergraduate degree (40% GPA on scale of 4.0) or equivalent
- IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- A Statement of intent
- CV or resume

**SAMPLE COURSES**

- Economic Analysis
- Forecasting
- Economic Sustainability
- Business
- Research Methods
- Preparation and Presentation

**SAMPLE JOBS**

- Environmental Analyst
- Project Manager
- Sustainability Coordinator
- Sustainable Community Coordinator
- Environmental Planner

**LEARN MORE**

[tru.ca/environmental](https://tru.ca/environmental)

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**Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Accounting**

Enables students to create, examine and evaluate financial data and documents. Students will complete a variety of courses such as statistics, income taxation, economics, financial accounting and management accounting.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.0, or equivalent
- Business Communications
- Introduction to Marketing
- Accounting Principles
- Advanced Financial Management
- Income Taxation
- Economics
- Business
- Management Information Systems
- Professional Ethics

**SAMPLE COURSES**

- Preparation and Evaluation of Financial Statements
- Income Taxation
- Financial Statement Analysis
- Analysis and Valuation of Financial Statements
- Preparation of Tax Returns
- Analysis of Financial Statements

**SAMPLE JOBS**

- Advanced Financial Manager
- Manager of Finance
- Analyst
- Manager of Accounting
- Accounting Clerk

**LEARN MORE**

[tru.ca/business/post-bacc](https://tru.ca/business/post-bacc)

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**Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Business Administration**

Prepare mature students with a general business or non-business degree to build a strong foundation in all areas of business.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.0, or equivalent
- Business Communications
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- Accounting Principles
- Advanced Financial Management
- Income Taxation
- Economics
- Business
- Management Information Systems
- Professional Ethics

**SAMPLE COURSES**

- Business Communication
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- Introduction to Marketing
- Accounting Principles
- Advanced Financial Management
- Income Taxation
- Economics
- Business
- Management Information Systems
- Professional Ethics

**SAMPLE JOBS**

- Advanced Financial Manager
- Manager of Finance
- Analyst
- Manager of Accounting
- Accounting Clerk

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**Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Economics**

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.

**MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS**

- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.0, or equivalent
- Business Communications
- Introduction to Marketing
- Accounting Principles
- Advanced Financial Management
- Income Taxation
- Economics
- Business
- Management Information Systems
- Professional Ethics

**SAMPLE COURSES**

- Business Communication
- Business Communications
- Introduction to Marketing
- Accounting Principles
- Advanced Financial Management
- Income Taxation
- Economics
- Business
- Management Information Systems
- Professional Ethics

**SAMPLE JOBS**

- Economics of Climate Change
- International Economics
- Government and Business
- International Financial Markets

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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.

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

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

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Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Economics and Political Studies

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

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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.

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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.

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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.

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Bachelor of Business Administration
Gain a foundation in business in the first two years of the flexible BBA program, then pick 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.


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

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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 one 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 in your third and fourth years.

tru.ca/business/certificate_diplomas

Management Diploma
Develop your skills in areas such as accounting, cost 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 one year: Business Foundations Certificate

tru.ca/mgmt

Diplomas Upgrading available while in the program.

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.

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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.

trcu/stem

Bachelor of Education – Elementary

Must be graduate of a four year degree or equivalent (min GPA 2.67 in last 60 credits)
- History of Education
- Language and Life Skills
- Mathematics
- Special Education
- Visual Arts
- School Organization

Primary School Teacher
- Youth Worker
- Community Education Officer
- Education Administrator
- Teaching Assistant

Limited seats

Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies

The Graduate Certificate in Educational Studies (GCES) is designed to help develop the English language and academic skills to successfully meet the MEI entry requirements.

trcu/edw/education/gces

Early Childhood Education Diploma

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

All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- 25 hours of volunteer and/or work experience in a licensed child care facility

Child Guidance
- Introduction to Developmental Psychology
- Childhood 
- Curriculum Development

Limited seats

Human Service Diploma

All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Must be 15 years of age before start of program
- Criminal record check from home country

Introduction to Communications and Helping Relationships
- Introduction to Social Work Practice
- Law and Social Services
- Advanced Interpersonal Skills/Graduated Communications

Limited seats

TESOL Certificate

An IELT (Internet Based TOEFL) score of 86 with a minimum score of 20 in each area.
- IELTS Academic 6.5 with a minimum score of 5.5 in each area

Curriculum and Instruction
- Pedagogical Grammar
- Intercultural Communication Studies
- TESOL Techniques
- TESOL Praxis

Limited seats

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 BWK program has an orientation toward social justice, and respect for diversity and social change.

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History of Education
- Philosophy of Education
- Diversity and Inclusive Education
- Legal Issues
- Management of Technical Facilities

Limited seats

TENSOL 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.

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# Health Sciences & Nursing

## Master of Nursing

The MHN program offers nursing graduates the knowledge, skills and abilities they need for principal and thoughtful leadership through critical and creative approaches that influence innovative change. Graduates will be equipped to meet the demand for advanced nursing roles within complex and dynamic health care systems internationally.

**Program Name:** Master of Nursing  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- Any bachelor’s degree, bachelor of nursing recommended  
- Minimum 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  
  - Reading: 7.0  
  - Listening: 7.0  
  - Reading 6.5  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Knowledge for Advanced Nursing  
- Research in Healthcare  
- Leadership and Managing Change in Healthcare  
- Research Nurse  
- Nurse Educator  
- Health Care Administrator  

**Sample Jobs:**  
- Clinical Nurse Educator  
- Nurse Practitioner  
- Nursing Consultant  
- Public Health Nurse  
- Nursing Administrator

## Bachelor of Nursing in Nursing

This four-year undergraduate program (plus practicum placements) educates students to be competent nurses to work with individuals, families, groups or communities from a health promotion perspective and an ethic of care. Practice experience occurs in acute care, extended care and interprofessional care, and other community health agencies and homes with options for local, regional, provincial, national and international practicums. Upon completion, graduates are eligible to write the National Council Licensure Examination (NCLEX) and apply for registration with the College of Registered Nurses of BC (CRNBC) to practice as a Registered Nurse (RN).

**Program Name:** Bachelor of Nursing in Nursing  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
- Foundations of Math 12 or Pre-Calculus 12 (67%) or equivalent  
- Biology 12 (65%) or equivalent  
- Chemistry 11 (65%) or equivalent  
- One additional Science 11 or Science 12 with a minimum (65%) or equivalent  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Statistics  
- Health and Healing  
- Health and Safety  
- Health Care Ethics  
- Consulated Practice Experience  
- Nursing Research  
- Medical Intensive Care Nurse  
- Advanced Nurse Practitioner  
- Acute Care Nurse Practitioner  
- Nurse Educator  
- Registered Nurse  

**Sample Jobs:**  
- Clinical Nurse Practitioners  
- Nurse Educators  
- Nursing Leaders  
- Practice Development  
- Research Nurse Practitioner

## Practical Nursing Diploma

Learn everything you need to deliver effective and empathetic frontline patient care. This comprehensive program provides you with the knowledge, skills, judgement and attitude to perform to the competencies identified by the College of Licensed Practical Nurses of British Columbia. (Available Lake Campus only)

**Program Name:** Practical Nursing Diploma  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- All English 12 (67%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
- Foundations of Math 11 (60%) or equivalent  
- Human Anatomy and Physiology for Practical Nurses (65%) or equivalent  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Anatomy and Physiology  
- Professional Practice  
- Health and Healing  
- Nursing Practice  

**Sample Jobs:**  
- Care Aide  
- Geriatric Nurse  
- Pediatric Nurse  
- Operating Room Nurse

## Respiratory Therapy Diploma

This two-year diploma trains you as a therapist specializing in cardiovascular disease prevention and education. Learn to assess and treat disorders of the lungs, heart, and vascular system. Includes a one-year clinical at various hospitals.

**Program Name:** Respiratory Therapy Diploma  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent  
- Foundations of Math 12 or Pre-Calculus 12 (67%) or equivalent  
- Biology 12 (65%) or equivalent  
- Chemistry 12 (65%) or equivalent  
- Physics 11 (65%) or equivalent  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Mechanical Ventilation  
- Patient Assessment  
- Anesthesia  
- Assessment and Interventions in Multisystem Disorders  
- General Pathophysiology  
- Respiratory Therapist  
- Radiologic Technology  
- Health Sciences Educator  
- Clinical Education/ Application Specialist  

**Sample Jobs:**  
- Respiratory Therapist  
- Clinical Education Coordinator  
- Respiratory Therapy Program Director  
- Respiratory Therapy Program Coordinator

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# Law & Justice

## Law – Juris Doctor

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 funding, an international law journal, a legal information service and student-run initiatives.

**Program Name:** Law  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- A bachelor’s degree  
- LSAT scores  
- Personal statement  
- 3 references  
- IELTS 7.0, no bands below 7.0  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Research in Legal Research  
- Ethical Lawyering  
- Alternative Dispute Resolution  
- Evidence  
- Civil Procedure

**Sample Jobs:**  
- Research Lawyer  
- Public Defender  
- Judge  
- Contract Negotiator  
- Plea-Settler  
- Corporate Lawyer

## Police & Justice Studies Diploma

This two-year program will prepare you for the challenges of a career in policing, as well as in corrections, parole, custody, and other government services at the federal, provincial or municipal levels. Your diploma credit counts towards completion of an arts, business or criminology degree.

**Program Name:** Police & Justice Studies Diploma

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# Science & Computing Science

## Master of Science in Data Science

Designed to provide students with solid knowledge, techniques, and exposure to the research and applications of data science, and to prepare students to become researchers and leaders in the emerging field of data science. Prospective students are expected to demonstrate experience in the research and applications of data science, and to prepare students to become researchers and leaders in the emerging field of data science.

**Program Name:** Master of Science in Data Science  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- A 4-year bachelor degree or equivalent  
- IELTS of at least 6.5 with no band below 6.0  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Introduction to Data Science  
- Statistics  
- Advanced Python  
- Advanced R  
- Machine Learning  
- Deep Learning  
- Time Series Analysis  
- Business Intelligence  
- Business Intelligence Reporting  
- Project Manager  
- Data Analyst  
- Data Mining or Big Data Engineer  
- Program/Project Manager

## Master of Science in Environmental Science

Designed to provide graduates who are innovative and have multi-disciplinary skills and additional knowledge in the field of environmental science. It is structured to be unique, flexible and relevant.

**Program Name:** Master of Science in Environmental Science  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- Must have a TRU four-year degree before you apply  
- IELTS of 6.5 or higher  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Environmental Science: Theory, Philosophy, and Concepts  
- Environmental Science: Conducting Research  
- Thesis: Master’s Thesis  
- English Language for Researchers  
- Public Defender  
- Judge  
- Contract Negotiator  
- Plea-Settler  
- Corporate Lawyer

## Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Applied Data Science

Program description: Develop strong analytical, technical and professional skills and foundations in the principles and practice of Mathematics, Statistics, and related Computing technologies. These skills sets will help open career opportunities in the field of Applied Data Science and Data Analytics.

**Program Name:** Post-Baccalaureate Diploma in Applied Data Science  
**Minimum Requirements:**  
- A 3-year undergraduate degree in any discipline, with a minimum 3.00 GPA on scale of 4.0 in last 60 credits  
- IELTS of at least 7.0 with no band below 7.0  

**Sample Courses:**  
- Introduction to applied data science with Python  
- Artificial intelligence  
- Data mining  
- Data Analyst  
- Business Analyst  
- Data and Analytics Manager  
- Database Administrator
Bachelor of Computing Science
Explore a career in the technology industry—software and hardware design, system architecture, operating system structure and modeling and simulation. The BCS degree consists of two years of general study followed by two years of concentrated computing studies. Double degree option with Business Administration is available.

• All English 12 (75%) or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
• Pre-Calculus 12 or Math 12 (87%) or equivalent
• Discrete Structures
• Computer Network Security
• Software Engineering
• Advanced Web Design and Programming
• Artificial Intelligence
• Web, Design, and Integration Developer
• Project Manager
• Mobile Application Developer
• Computer Programmer

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Bachelor of Science
Enjoy both depth and breadth in your science education. The rigorous BSc program offers opportunities for practical experience. Core, undergraduate research and mentorship by internationally recognized faculty researchers across a spectrum of disciplines.

Majors: Animal Biology, Biology, Cellular, Chemical Biology, Chemistry, Computing Science, Computer Science & Mathematics, Data Science, Ecology & Environmental Biology, Environmental Chemistry, General Science, Mathematics, Mathematics & Economics, Molecular & Microbial Biology, Physics, Pre-professional Health Science
Minors: Environmental Economics & Sustainable Development
tru.ca/bsc

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering
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 in the right choice. Join the fastest growing and in-demand profession to be part of teams producing software-enabled products of high technical complexity.

• BC Grade 12 or equivalent
• English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 with a minimum of 75% or equivalent
• Pre-Calculus 12 (87%) or equivalent
• Chemistry 11 (87%) or equivalent
• Physics 11 (87%) or equivalent
• Software Engineering Design, Process & Principles
• Software Design Pattern
• Software Quality Engineering
• Embedded Systems design
• Hardware design engineer
• Network engineer
• Autonomous system design engineer
• Software engineering Operations
• Digital system design engineer

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Bachelor of Engineering in Software Engineering
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 in the right choice. Join the fastest growing and in-demand profession to be part of teams producing software-enabled products of high technical complexity.

• BC Grade 12 or equivalent
• English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 with a minimum of 75% or equivalent
• Pre-Calculus 12 (87%) or equivalent
• Chemistry 11 (87%) or equivalent
• Physics 11 (87%) or equivalent
• Software Engineering Design, Process & Principles
• Software Design Pattern
• Software Quality Engineering
• Software Application Development
• Software Testing
• Software Design
• Database Management
• Network Management and Operations
• Security Analysis and Protection

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Bachelor of Natural Resource Science
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, and range recreation. The BNRS program provides hands-on learning in the field and opportunities for undergraduate research and study abroad.

Majors: Environmental Economics & Sustainable Development
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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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Regenerative Agriculture Diploma
This program allows you to gain practical experience on farms or ranches of your choice. Learning hands on skills for the enterprises you are interested in pursuing. From beef and sheep production to pasture poultry or pork as well as greenhouse vegetable, fruit and berry enterprise — the program has it. Learn for you.

tru.ca/ranching

Architectural & Engineering Technology Diploma (ARET)
This nationally accredited program is a three-year diploma that emphasizes the design processes in buildings, civil and mechanical technologies, building structures, municipal services, electrical, plumbing, and HVAC systems.

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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 any of 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.

tru.ca/et

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.

tru.ca/et

Mathematics for Computing Science
Web Design and Development
Database Systems
Computer Programming
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MultiMedia Developer
Game Developer
Human Computer Interface Designer
Network and Telecommunication System Administrator
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Building Technology
Civil Engineer
Architectural Designer
Mechanical Technician
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Chemical Engineer
Civil Engineer
Mechanical Engineer
Electrical Engineer
Computer Engineer
tru.ca/compsci

Electronic Engineer
Aerospace Engineer
Biomedical Engineer
Software Engineer
tru.ca/compsci

Environmental Economics & Sustainable Development
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and Guide
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TRADES & TECHNOLOGY

PROGRAM NAME

Horticulture

This program contributes to the knowledge and experience required to create and preserve sustainable urban environments while pursuing careers in landscape design, installation and maintenance, either as an independent entrepreneur or within a horticulture business or municipal park department.

tru.ca/horticulture

- All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 11, or equivalent
- Limited seats
- Greenhouse Production
- Soil Science
- Landscaping
- Nursey Production and Retailing
- Turfgrass Management
- Hardscaping
- Nurseries
- Garden centres
- Municipal parks
- Commercial greenhouses
- Orchards
- Golf courses

Power Engineering Technology Diploma

As power engineers, graduates will maintain and operate heating and power plants, refrigeration systems and auxiliary equipment like pumps, compressors, steam turbines, electrical generators, cooling towers and water treatment systems.

tru.ca/powereng

- All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 12 with 70%
- Recommended: Physics 11
- Safety and Environment
- Welding and Pyro
- Electricity and Instrumentation
- Refrigeration Systems
- Plant Boiler Simulation
- Power Engineer
- Construction
- Millwright
- Industrial Mechanic
- Power Systems Operator
- 100 job openings 2020-2030

Water and Wastewater Technology Diploma

Develop marketable expertise in the operation and maintenance of water and wastewater treatment, distribution, re-use and disposal facilities and in monitoring source water quality. This state-of-the-art program encompasses chemistry, microbiology, math, mechanical and electrical systems, instrumentation and treatment technologies as they are applied in the increasingly vital water industry.

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- All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 11, or equivalent
- Recommended: Chemistry 11, or equivalent and Biology 11, or equivalent
- Limited seats
- Microbiology and Toxicology
- Management and Leadership Skills
- Source Water Protection Management
- Wastewater Utility
- Mechanical Systems
- Hazardous Materials Specialist
- Water Quality Technician
- Municipal Water and Wastewater Quality Technician

Water and Wastewater Utilities Certificate

Learn to effectively operate and maintain water and wastewater treatment, distribution and collection systems and start your career in an in-demand trade with this entry-level eight-month program. Your certificate credits count towards the Wastewater and Water Technology diploma program.

tru.ca/water

- All English 12, or IELTS 6.5, or equivalent
- Math 11, or equivalent
- Recommended: Chemistry 11, or equivalent and Biology 11, or equivalent
- Limited seats
- Filtration
- Coagulation and Particle Settling
- Water Chemistry
- Water Treatment
- Introduction to Wastewater
- Lab Technician
- Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator
- Eco-toxicologist
- Landfill Engineer

Trades Foundation Program

These programs give you the basic entry-level skills you need to start working in a trade and prepare for apprenticeship.

- Automotive Service Technician, Carpenter, Diesel Engine Mechanic, Electrician, Electrical/Industrial Mechanic, Heavy Duty Equipment Technician, Instrumentation & Control Technician, Industrial Mechanic (Millwright), Machinist, Metal Fabricator, Plumber, Welder
- 21 – 36 weeks
- Red Seal: Many trades allow you to earn extra certification so you can work across Canada.

tru.ca/trades

HOW TO APPLY

1 Choose your program and start date

Programs are found on pages 24 to 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

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

Mail: International Admissions
Thompson Rivers University
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Transcripts and documents
- Submit all required supporting documents including proof of language proficiency.
- 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 $150 CAD must accompany your application.

TRU Refund Rules

Students should familiarize themselves with TRU 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.

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 $300 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.

3 Next steps

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

Offer letter: TRU will send a pre-acceptance letter indicating (a) the program to which you have been accepted and (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: after making 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 to apply.

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

4 Payment

Tuition and deposits 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

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