



**THOMPSON RIVERS UNIVERSITY**

INTERNATIONAL RECRUITMENT

2022-2023





TRU



**THOMPSON  
RIVERS  
UNIVERSITY**





**ABOUT TRU**

**Founded in 1970**, TRU is accredited by the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (NWCCU) and is a member of Universities Canada (AUCC) and Colleges and Institutes Canada (CICan).

# ABOUT TRU



**3<sup>rd</sup> LARGEST**  
PUBLIC UNIVERSITY  
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA



**14,000 +**  
ON-CAMPUS  
STUDENTS



**1 OF 6**  
RESEARCH  
UNIVERSITIES IN  
BRITISH COLUMBIA



**31 STUDENTS**  
ON AVERAGE PER CLASS



**3,000 +**  
INTERNATIONAL  
STUDENTS



**103 COUNTRIES**  
CURRENTLY  
REPRESENTED ON  
CAMPUS





# TRU OFFERS

- Juris Doctor
- Master's degrees
- Graduate certificates
- Post-baccalaureate diplomas
- Bachelor's degrees
- Associate degrees
- Certificates and diplomas
- English as a Second Language (ESL)
- Short-term customized training programs
- University transfer credit
- University preparation

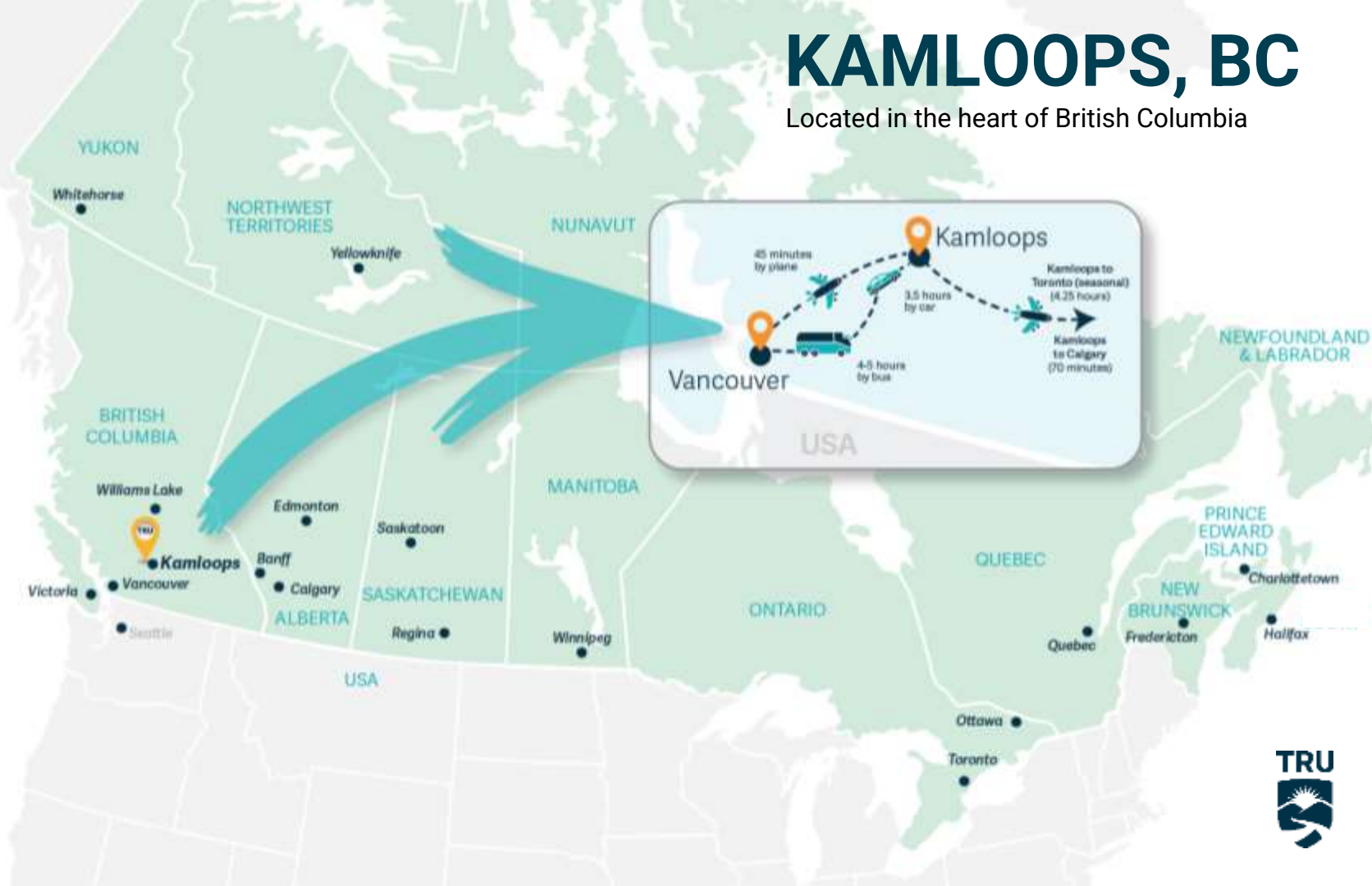




**KAMLOOPS**

# KAMLOOPS, BC

Located in the heart of British Columbia





# A PLACE FOR ALL SEASONS

Kamloops has four distinct seasons and enjoys more than 2,000 hours of sunshine annually.

Summers are hot and dry, while winters offer the best of both worlds, with mild temperatures in low-lying areas and snow at higher elevations.

## Kamloops Climate Facts

- Hours of sunshine: 2075 hrs
- Median high temp: +21.0°C
- Median minimum temp: -4.2°C
- Annual rainfall: 217.9mm



**WINTER** (-5°C to +4°C)  
DECEMBER - FEBRUARY



**SPRING** (10°C to 22°C)  
MARCH - MAY



**SUMMER** (27°C to 33°C)  
JUNE - AUGUST



**FALL** (10°C to 22°C)  
SEPTEMBER - NOVEMBER

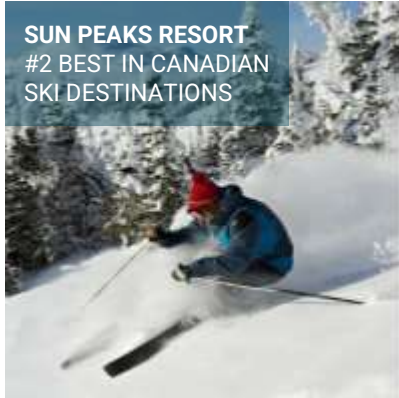


# KAMLOOPS, BC



**200+ LAKES  
NEARBY**

**SUN PEAKS RESORT**  
#2 BEST IN CANADIAN  
SKI DESTINATIONS



**VIBRANT DOWNTOWN**  
BC's FRIENDLIEST CITY

**ONE OF THE SUNNIEST CITIES  
IN BRITISH COLUMBIA**



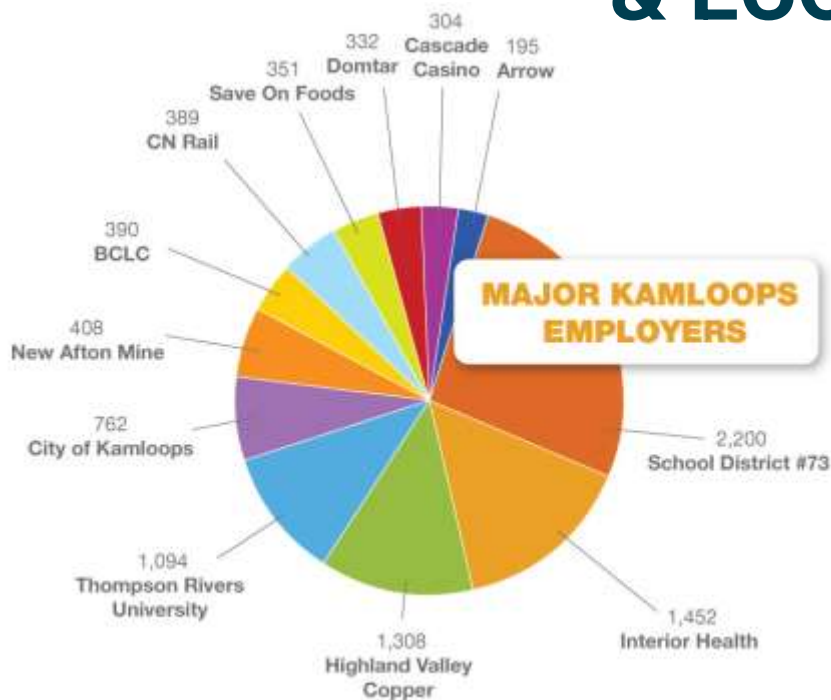
# RECREATION

Kamloops is the centre of many attractions.

- Over 200 lakes nearby
- Sun Peaks Ski Resort – 45-minute drive from city centre (world-class skiing & snowboarding)
- Summer events and festivals
- Ice hockey, curling, fishing, hiking, water sports and much more!



# KAMLOOPS INDUSTRIES & ECONOMIC SECTORS



## CORE INDUSTRIES

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

## EMERGING INDUSTRIES

- Tourism
- Hi-Tech
- Green Energy

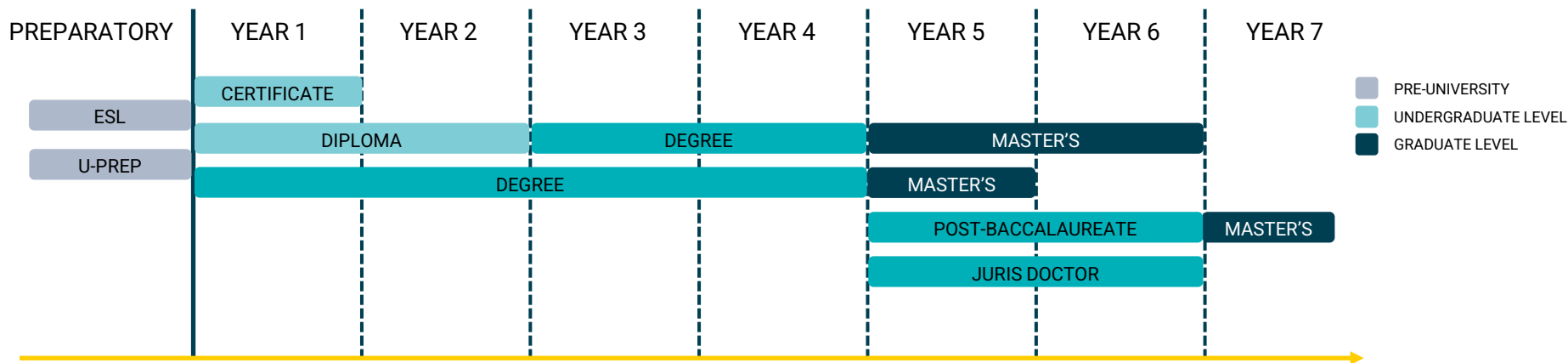




**PROGRAMS**

# STUDY AT TRU

Choose from over 140 programs



## PROGRAM OPTIONS

- ARTS
- BUSINESS
- COMPUTING SCIENCE
- EDUCATION & SOCIAL WORK
- SCIENCE
- ENGINEERING
- HEALTH SCIENCES & NURSING
- LAW & JUSTICE
- TOURISM
- TRADES & TECHNOLOGY

For a complete program list, visit [truworld.ca/programs](https://truworld.ca/programs)



# FACULTY OF ADVENTURE, CULINARY ARTS & TOURISM

## POST-BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMAS

Adventure Studies  
Innovation & Entrepreneurship in Tourism  
Managing Festivals & Events  
Resort Experience Management  
Tourism Destination Development  
Tourism Experience Management

## BACHELOR OF TOURISM MANAGEMENT

### **Concentrations:**

Adventure Studies	Innovation & Entrepreneurship
Festivals & Events	Resort Experience

## DIPLOMAS

Adventure Guide  
Resort & Hotel Management  
Culinary Arts  
Sport Event Management  
Tourism Management  
Events & Conventions Management







# FACULTY OF ARTS

## BACHELOR DEGREES

### BACHELOR OF ARTS

**Majors:** Criminology, Economics, English, History, Mathematics, Communications (New Media Studies & Public Relations), Psychology, Economics & Math, Economics & Political Studies, Geography & Environmental Studies, Sociology, Theatre Arts, Philosophy

### BACHELOR OF JOURNALISM

### BACHELOR OF FINE ARTS

### BACHELOR OF INTERDISCIPLINARY STUDIES

## DIPLOMAS

General Studies

Associate of Arts

Police & Justice Studies

Fine Arts

Visual Arts

## CERTIFICATES

Aboriginal Tourism

Literary & Art History

Modern Languages

Visual Arts Studio





# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS

## GRADUATE PROGRAMS

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT**

**MASTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS AND MANAGEMENT**

**MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

**GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

(YEAR 1 FOR MEEM / MScEEM)

## POST-BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMAS

Accounting

Business Administration

Economics

Economics and Political Studies

Mathematics and Economics

Entrepreneurship

Finance

Human Resource Management

International Business

Marketing

Supply Chain Management





# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS & ECONOMICS

## BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

**Majors:** Accounting, Economics, Entrepreneurship, General BBA, Finance, Marketing, Mathematics and Economics, Human Resource Management, International Business, Supply Chain Management.

## DOUBLE DEGREE: BBA + BCS

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION +  
BACHELOR OF COMPUTING SCIENCE

## DOUBLE DEGREE: BBA + BA

BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION +  
BACHELOR OF ARTS

## DIPLOMAS

Accounting Technician Diploma  
Associate of Commerce & Business Administration Diploma  
Management Diploma







# FACULTY OF SCIENCE

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN DATA SCIENCE**

**MASTER OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE**

**BACHELOR DEGREES**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

**Majors:** Animal Biology, Biology, Cellular, Chemical Biology, Chemistry, Computing Science, Computing Science & Mathematics, Ecology & Environmental Biology, Environmental Chemistry, General Science, Mathematics, Mathematics & Economics, Mathematical Sciences, Molecular & Microbial Biology, Physics, Pre-professional Health Science

**BACHELOR OF COMPUTING SCIENCE**

**BACHELOR OF SOFTWARE ENGINEERING**

**BACHELOR OF NATURAL RESOURCE SCIENCE**

**ENGINEERING TRANSFER PROGRAM**

**DIPLOMAS**

Applied Sustainable Ranching Diploma

Computing Science Diploma

Forestry Transfer Diploma





# HEALTH SCIENCES & NURSING



**MASTER OF NURSING**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING**

**RESPIRATORY THERAPY DIPLOMA**

**PRACTICAL NURSING DIPLOMA (Sept. 2022)**



# SCHOOL OF TRADES & TECHNOLOGY

## DIPLOMAS

Horticulture Management Diploma  
Instrumentation Engineering Technology Diploma  
Power Engineering Diploma  
Architecture and Engineering Technology  
Water and Wastewater Technology Diploma

## CERTIFICATES

Water and Wastewater Utilities Certificate

## TRADES FOUNDATIONS / VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Metal Fabricator	Instrument & Control Technician
Carpentry	Industrial Mechanic (Millwright) Machinist
Electrical	Carpentry/Residential Construction
Plumbing	Electrical/Industrial Mechanic
Welding	Heavy Duty Equipment Technician
	Automotive Service Technician







# FACULTY OF EDUCATION & SOCIAL WORK

**MASTER OF EDUCATION**

**GRADUATE CERTIFICATES OF EDUCATIONAL STUDIES**

**BACHELOR DEGREES**

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION - ELEMENTARY**

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION - SECONDARY (STEM)**

**BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK**

**DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES**

**HUMAN SERVICES DIPLOMA**

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION DIPLOMA**

**EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION SPECIALIZATION CERTIFICATES**

- Special Needs Certificate
- Infant & Toddler Certificate





# FACULTY OF LAW



**JURIS DOCTOR IN LAW**

**POLICE & JUSTICE STUDIES DIPLOMA**



**FEATURED  
PROGRAMS**





# CULINARY ARTS CERTIFICATE

Learn the fundamentals and artistry of food preparation in a hands-on environment.

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 2 Years

**INTAKE:** August

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 10 or equivalent
- Food Safe Level 1
- Successful entry assessment: [tru.ca/assessment](https://tru.ca/assessment)

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Baker, Cook/Chef, Chocolatier, Restaurant Manager, Caterer



# BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION & NEW MEDIA STUDIES

Study the aesthetics, narrative and theoretical aspects of technology, as well as computer-mediated communication.

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 4 Years

**INTAKES:** September, January, May

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 12
- IELTS 6.5 (with no bands below 6.0)

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Communications Specialist,  
Public Relations Specialization



# MASTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS & MANAGEMENT

Guide the world towards sustainable businesses.

TRU is the highest-rated university in AASHE (Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education).

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 1–2 Years

**INTAKES:** September, January, May

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Bachelor's Degree
- Minimum GPA 3.0/4.0 in last 60 credits
- IELTS 7.0 (with no bands below 6.5)
- Interview and references required

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Commodities Broker, Environmental Coordinator, Sustainability Manager, Energy Auditor





# POST-BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA VS. MBA

## POST-BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMAS IN BUSINESS

Students who have a non-business degree and want to acquire a specialty in an area of business.

2 years of length

- Bachelor's Degree
- IELTS 6.5 (no bands below 6.0)

**SAMPLE JOBS:**  
Merchandising Technician, Financial and Investment Analyst, Campaign Manager

## MASTER OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

Students who want to gain corporate-level business training to pursue higher level positions in business.

1 - 2 years of length

- 3 to 4-year Undergraduate Degree
- Min. GPA 3.0/4.0 in last 60 credits
- IELTS 7.0 (no bands below 6.5)

**SAMPLE JOBS:**  
Management Consultant, Investment Banker, Management Analyst





# APPLIED SUSTAINABLE RANCHING DIPLOMA



Participate in real-life ranching operations in BC, Canada.

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 2 Years

**INTAKES:** August, November, January, May

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 12
- IELTS 6.5
- two letters of reference

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Farm or Ranch Manager,  
Agriculture Producer or Entrepreneur

# ENGINEERING TRANSFER PROGRAM



## 1<sup>st</sup> YEAR ENGINEERING TRANSFER



### UBC (2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR)

#### VANCOUVER CAMPUS

- BIOMEDICAL
- CHEMICAL & BIOLOGICAL
- CIVIL
- ELECTRICAL & COMPUTER
- ENGINEERING PHYSICS
- ENVIRONMENTAL
- GEOLOGICAL
- MATERIALS
- MECHANICAL
- MINING

#### OKANAGAN CAMPUS

- CIVIL
- MECHANICAL
- SOFTWARE

*Co-op optional*

### UVIC (2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR)

- BIOMEDICAL
- ELECTRICAL
- COMPUTER
- MECHANICAL
- SOFTWARE
- CIVIL

*Co-op mandatory*

### 2<sup>nd</sup> YEAR ENGINEERING TRANSFER



### UVIC (3<sup>rd</sup> YEAR)

- ELECTRICAL
  - COMPUTER
- Co-op mandatory*





# BACHELOR OF SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

Meet the demand for Canada's most in-demand skilled workers. The average Software Engineer salary in Canada is \$90,000/year or \$46.15/hour.

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 4 Years academic + 1 Year mandatory Co-op

**INTAKE:** September

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 12
- IELTS 6.5
- Pre-Calculus 12, Chemistry 12, Physics 12 (all with minimum 67% or equivalent)

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Software Application Development, Software Testing, Network Management and Operations



# SOFTWARE ENGINEERING VS. COMPUTER SCIENCE

## BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING IN SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

Deals with building and maintaining software systems, and systematic practices to ensure products are reliable and safe.

4 years academic + 1-year Co-op

- English 12, Pre-Calculus 12, Chemistry 12, Physics 12 (all with min. 67% or equivalent)
- IELTS 6.5 (no bands below 6.0)

### **SAMPLE JOBS:**

Software Application Developer, Software Design, Database Management, Network Management and Operations

## BACHELOR OF COMPUTING SCIENCE

Focuses on understanding, designing and developing programs and computers. It concentrates on data and algorithms.

4 years in length

- Pre-Calculus 12 (with min. 67% or equivalent)
- IELTS 6.5 (no bands below 6.0)

### **SAMPLE JOBS:**

Web Design & Integration Developer, Project Manager, Mobile Application Developer



# BACHELOR OF EDUCATION SECONDARY (STEM)

Canada needs high school science and math teachers  
83,438 openings in the next 10 years.  
(Work BC Labour Market Outlook Profile)

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 5 Years

**INTAKE:** July

## **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Bachelor's Degree (Math, Science or equivalent)
- 1 teachable Major or 2 teachable Minors
- 6 credits of English Literature and Composition
- 100 hours of relevant volunteer/work experience

**SAMPLE JOBS:** High School Science Teacher,  
Education Administrator





# EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION DIPLOMA

Have a profound impact on a child's development.  
12,000 ECEs will be needed in the next 10 years.  
(Government of British Columbia).

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 2 Years

**INTAKE:** September

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 12
- IELTS 6.5
- 25 hours of volunteer/work experience in a licensed childcare facility

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Early Childhood Educator,  
Early Literacy Specialist

**PROGRAM LADDERING:** Eligible to ladder into Bachelor of Education (Elementary) upon completion of ECE Diploma and ECE Specialization Certificates







# WATER & WASTEWATER TECHNOLOGY DIPLOMA

TRU graduates have 100% employment rate.  
3,320 new hires needed in British Columbia  
(BC Water & Wastewater Association)

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 2 Years

**INTAKE:** August

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 12
- IELTS 6.5
- Math 11 or equivalent
- Recommended: Chemistry 11 & Biology 11

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Water Quality Technician,  
Hazardous Materials Specialist





# POWER ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY DIPLOMA

Become a certified power engineer in two years and perform an essential role in society. You will learn the details of power engineering, maintenance and operation in order to work in industrial and commercial workplaces, including oil and gas, mining, pulp and paper, food processing, agriculture, hospitals, cities, power plants, manufacturing and more.

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 2 Years

**INTAKE:** September

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Grade 12
- IELTS 6.5
- Math 12 or equivalent (67%)
- Recommended: Physics 11

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Power Engineer, Construction Millwright, Industrial Mechanic, Power Systems Operator





# MASTER OF NURSING

Canada needs health care professionals.  
142,000 full-year jobs by 2035 – an annual growth rate  
of 3.4% (The Conference Board of Canada).

**PROGRAM DURATION:** 2 Years

**INTAKE:** September

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:**

- Any Bachelor's Degree
- Min. GPA 3.0/4.0 in last 60 credits
- IELTS 7.0 (S 7.0, W 7.0, L 7.5, R 6.5)
- Two reference letters, professional & academic
- Verification of registration as an active practicing nurse from the regulatory body of the jurisdiction where you live

**SAMPLE JOBS:** Research Nurse, Nurse Educator





**THE TRU EXPERIENCE**



# RESEARCH AT TRU



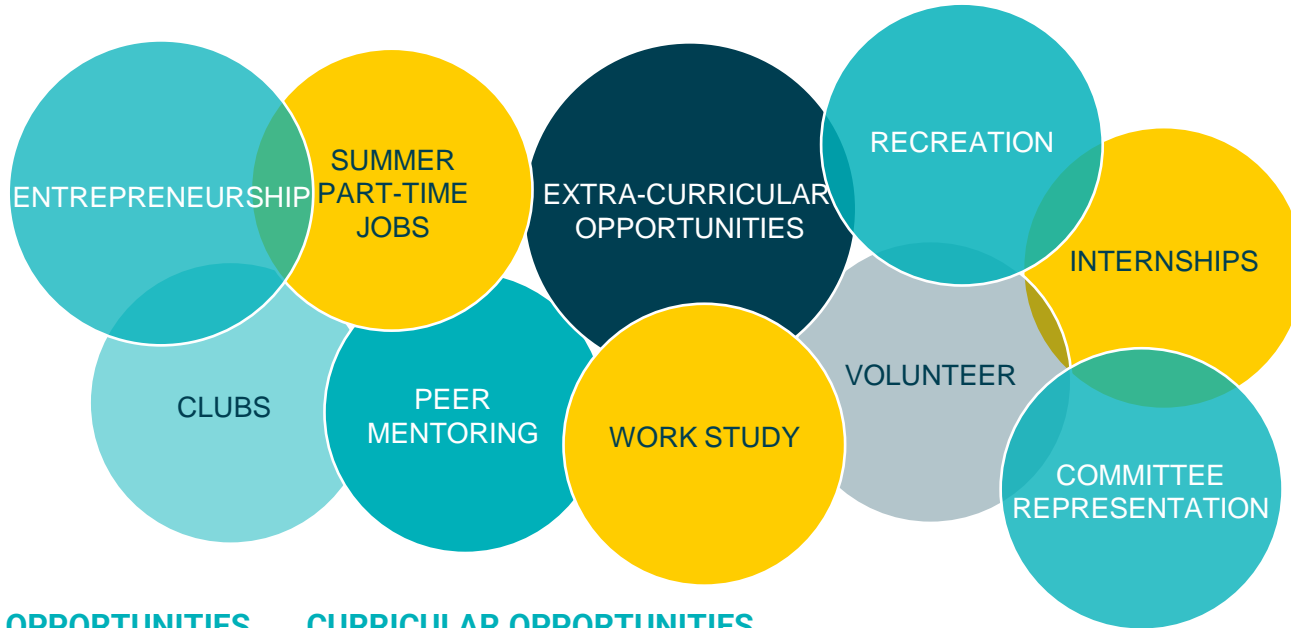
- Become involved in Research as early as your first year
- Work with faculty as a Research Assistant or Apprentice
- Over 300 students involved in Undergraduate Research

## UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH EXPERIENCE AWARD PROGRAM (UREAP)

The Undergraduate Research Experience Award Program (UREAP) is a **\$6,000 scholarship** that can help you get started in your own original research. It is a way to improve your resume, increase your academic and professional success, and make your time in university more interesting and rewarding.



# EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING



## CO-CURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES

- Conference Presentation
- Publications
- Workshops
- Undergrad Research
- Student Clubs
- Peer Mentor Activities

## CURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES

- Co-op Terms
- Study Abroad
- Apprenticeships
- Field Schools
- Internships
- Capstone



# CO-OP EDUCATION

Get paid for career-related work experience & maximize job opportunities upon graduation

The Co-op program is available to students in the following programs.

- Bachelor of Arts
- Bachelor of Business Administration
- Bachelor of Computing Science
- Bachelor of Natural Resource Science
- Bachelor of Science
- Bachelor of Software Engineering
- Bachelor of Tourism Management
- Engineering Transfer Program



**BUSINESS**  
\$15 - 20  
\$2,800/month



**SCIENCE**  
\$15 - 22  
\$3,100/month



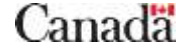
**ARTS**  
\$13 - 18  
\$2,500/month



**COMP. SCIENCE**  
\$15 - 30  
\$4,200/month



**TOURISM**  
\$13 - 18  
\$2,500/month






# CO-OP EDUCATION

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Sample Co-op Timetable

	YEAR 1	YEAR 2	YEAR 3	YEAR 4	YEAR 5
SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 1	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 3	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 5	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 7	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 8
JANUARY - APRIL	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 2	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 4	ACADEMIC SEMESTER 6	CO-OP TERM 3	
MAY - AUGUST		CO-OP TERM 1	CO-OP TERM 2	CO-OP TERM 4	 GRADUATION



# WORK OPPORTUNITIES

## AS A STUDENT

- On-campus and off-campus work

## AFTER GRADUATION

- Post-graduation Work Permit (PGWP)

## REMAINING IN CANADA

- Provincial Nominee Program
- Canadian Experience Class (Express Entry)

## MINIMUM WAGE IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

- The current minimum wage in BC is \$14.60 per hour





**CAMPUS LIFE**





# ACCOMMODATIONS

Join a vibrant, active community of students from all over the world.



## NORTH TOWER

### (On Campus)

Enjoy one of the best views in the city at the 11-storey North Tower.

## MCGILL RESIDENCE

### (On Campus)

The newly renovated McGill Residence has amenities that include laundry, games room, kitchen, and study room.

## EAST VILLAGE

### (Off-Campus)

Have the independence of off-campus living, with the convenience of on-campus life at East Village.

## HOMESTAY

### (Live with a Canadian family)

TRU's homestay program is a great way to experience Canadian culture and practice English by living with local families or individuals





# NORTH TOWER



## NORTH TOWER

### (On Campus)

Enjoy one of the best views in the city at the 11-storey North Tower.

### FALL & WINTER SEMESTERS:

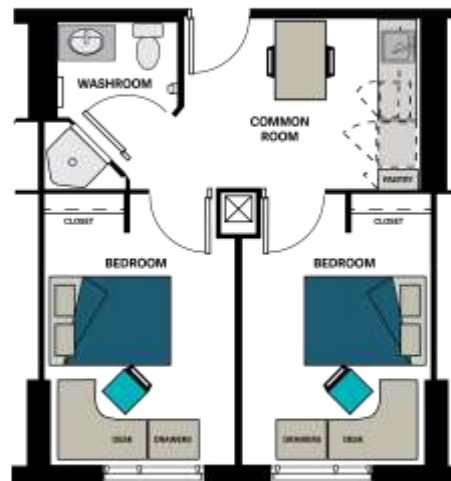
\$7,950 CAD

### APPLICATION FEE & SECURITY DEPOSIT:

\$100 CAD

### ACTIVITY FEE:

\$50 CAD  
PER SEMESTER



For 3D tours and videos, visit [tru.ca/housing](https://tru.ca/housing)



# MCGILL RESIDENCE



## MCGILL RESIDENCE

### (On Campus)

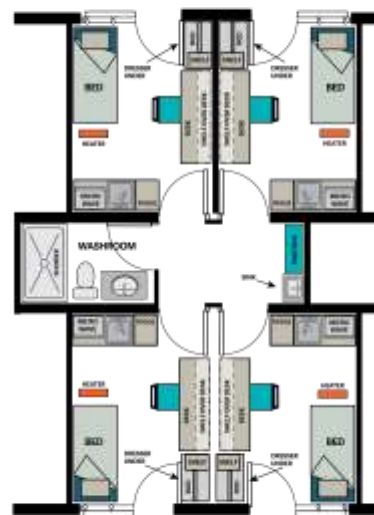
The newly renovated McGill Residence has amenities that include laundry, games room, kitchen, and study room.

### FALL & WINTER SEMESTERS:

\$5,310 CAD

### APPLICATION FEE & SECURITY DEPOSIT:

\$100 CAD



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# EAST VILLAGE



## EAST VILLAGE

### (Off-Campus)

Have the independence of off-campus living, with the convenience of on-campus life at East Village.

### FALL & WINTER SEMESTERS:

\$5,650 CAD

### APPLICATION FEE & SECURITY DEPOSIT:

\$100 CAD



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# HOMESTAY



## HOMESTAY

### (Live with a Canadian family)

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### HOMESTAY RATES:

\$1000 CAD/month  
\*INCLUDING MEALS



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visit [tru.ca/housing](https://tru.ca/housing)

# FACILITIES & TRANSIT

Complete range of facilities and city bus service to and from campus

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**CANADA GAMES  
AQUATIC CENTRE**



**INDOOR SPORTS  
FACILITIES**



**TOURNAMENT CAPITAL  
CENTRE**



**LIBRARY**



**24x7 STUDY SPACES**



**STUDENT-OPERATED  
CAFETERIA**





# AWARD WINNING STUDENT SUPPORT

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

You can meet our teams  
virtually at [tru.ca/meet](https://tru.ca/meet)



## INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADVISORS (ISA) AND REGULATED INTERNATIONAL STUDENT IMMIGRATION ADVISOR (RISIA)

Settlement Services, Medical Insurance,  
Accommodation, Support with immigration, Study Permits  
and Work Permits



## INTERNATIONAL ADMISSIONS



## INTERNATIONAL ACADEMIC ADVISING

# OTHER SUPPORTS ON CAMPUS



## ACADEMIC SUPPORTS

Math Help Centre, The Writing Centre, School of Business and Economics Help Centre, Supplemental Learning, Career Education Department and more



## LIFE AND WELLNESS SUPPORTS

Therapy Dog Thursdays, Medical Clinic, Wellness Centre, Chaplaincy, Counselling, Cultural Events, Intercultural Awareness and more



# HERE WE COME

**10** VARSITY  
TEAMS

BASKETBALL  
SOCCER  
VOLLEYBALL  
SWIMMING

CROSS-COUNTRY  
BASEBALL  
CHEERLEADING

- Compete against top-level athletes
- World-class training facilities
- Learn more at [gotruwolfpack.ca](http://gotruwolfpack.ca)





# LEISURE EXPLORATION ACTIVITY PROGRAM (LEAP)





# IDAYS

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# Over 80 clubs on campus

TRU has over 80 clubs that students can choose to get involved with. Some examples include:

## ACADEMIC

- Adventure U Club
- ARET Club
- Biology Club
- Chemistry Club
- Economics Club
- Human Resources Club
- MBA Club
- The Marketing Association

## COMMON INTEREST

- Business Law Club
- Game Development Club
- Innovation, Creativity and Entrepreneurship Club
- Ski and Snowboarding Club
- Cricket Club
- Swing Dance Club
- Writers Club

## ETHNIC

- Bangladesh Club
- Chinese Students Club
- Pakistani Students Association
- Persian Students Association
- SAASRC

For a full list of clubs, visit [tru.ca/clubs](https://tru.ca/clubs)



# STUDENT EMPLOYABILITY

With only 4.3%, BC has the lowest unemployment rate in Canada (2019)

## BACHELOR'S DEGREE

**92%** in labour force

**\$52,000** yearly salary (main job)

**40** weekly hours worked (main job)

## DIPLOMA STUDENTS

**95%** in labour force

**\$20** hourly wage (main job)

**38** weekly hours worked (main job)



**HIGHEST EMPLOYMENT RATE**  
compared to other similar BC universities



**HIGHEST JOB EARNINGS**  
compared to other similar BC universities

# WHERE STUDENTS GO AFTER GRADUATION



Graduates may choose to stay in Kamloops or move anywhere in Canada or abroad.





**BORA HOANG**

TRU MBA 2020  
Vietnam



***"I am proud to be an international student at Thompson Rivers University. Every single day, I've discovered more of myself than I have ever known."***

***"Studying here at TRU motivates me to step outside of my comfort zone and become the best version of myself."***





# SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS

### All programs include:

- Homestay accommodation (including meals)
- All recreational and cultural activities
- Airport pick-up and drop-off
- TRU campus and city orientation
- Support from advisors and instructors

# SHORT-TERM PROGRAMS



[truworld.ca/itc](https://truworld.ca/itc)

### LANGUAGE AND CULTURE OPEN PROGRAMS

3-week and 4-week summer and winter programs

### LANGUAGE AND CULTURE TRANSITION PROGRAM

3-week summer program

### UNIVERSITY SUCCESS PROGRAM

2-week summer program

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR EDUCATORS

Various dates

### NEW ONLINE PROGRAMS

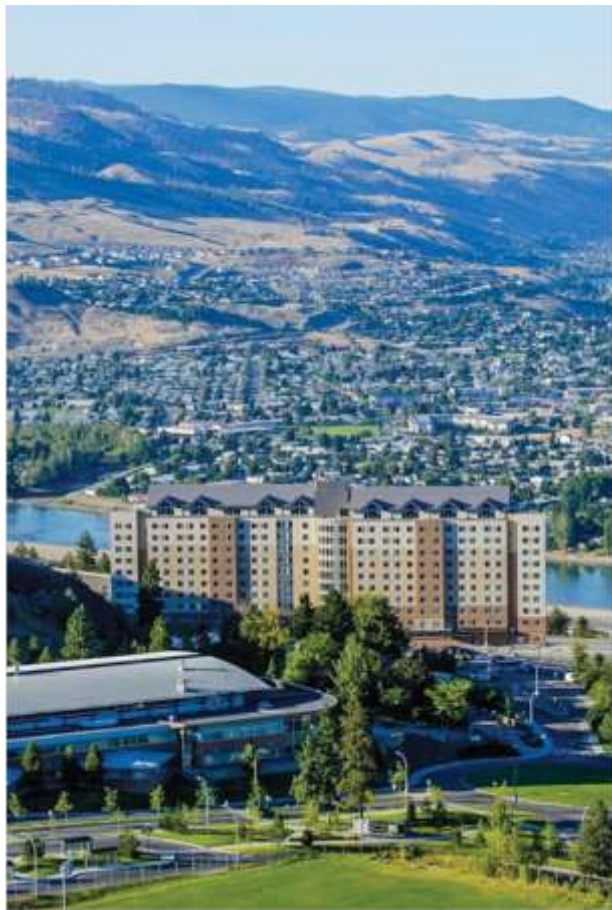
- Language and Culture Online Summer Program
- Language and Culture Online Transition Program
- Maple Leaf Intensive English Program
- Certificate Programs



# ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE UPGRADES & DIRECT ENTRY

YEAR 1	IELTS	TOEFL iBT	COURSES
Direct entry	6.5+	88+	5 Academic
ESL Level 5	6.0+	80+	2 ESL + 3 Academic
ESL Level 4	5.5+	71+	4 ESL + 1 Academic
ESL Level 3	5.0+	61+	5 ESL
ESL Level 2	EPT	EPT	5 ESL
ESL Level 1	EPT	EPT	5 ESL



# 5 GREAT REASONS TO STUDY AT TRU



## 1. Personalized path

Create your path by choosing from 140+ programs, Co-op opportunities, Study Abroad and more.

## 2. Global leader in sustainability

TRU is the highest-rated university in the Association for the Advancement of Sustainability in Higher Education.

## 3. Work & study opportunities

Gain career-related work experience before graduation with TRU's Co-op program (paid internship).

## 4. Award-winning student support

Recognized by BC Council for International Education for its excellence in the field of international education.

## 5. Safe community to call home

Study in the heart of BC. Kamloops offers a safe, relaxed lifestyle with a warm climate and over 2,000 hours of sunshine annually.



# ESTIMATED TUITION FEES AND COSTS

Average tuition fees: undergraduate programs

**\$15,000 - \$18,500 per year**

Tuition fees are estimates for reference only and are subject to change

Average tuition fees: Post-baccalaureate diplomas

**\$17,000 per year**

Average tuition fees: Master's programs

**\$33,000 - \$47,000 per year**

Cost of living

**\$1,000 - \$1,500 per month**

For updated tuition fees, visit <https://www.tru.ca/truworld/future-students/dates-fees.html>

# TUITION FEES

## ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE (ESL)

- \$6,900/semester (up to 12 credits/ 4 courses)

## UNDERGRADUATE TUITION (UPREP / ACADEMIC)

- \$7,540/semester (up to 12 credits/4 courses)
- \$9,177/semester (up to 15 credits/5 courses)
- each additional credit: \$546 (fall/winter) or \$628 (summer)

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## POST-BACCALUAREATE DIPLOMAS

- \$1,885/course (\$628/credit) or \$7,540/semester (12 credits/4 courses)

## GRADUATE PROGRAMS

MBA	2 years	\$45,908
Master of Environmental Economics and Management (MEEM/MScEEM)	2 years	\$48,669
MSc in Environmental Science	2 years	\$36,090
MSc in Data Science	2 years	\$36,771
Master of Nursing	2 years	\$32,206
Master of Education	1.5 – 2 years	\$27,069
- If needed, GCES (Pre-Master of Education)		\$8137/sem
- If needed, 4th semester		\$947.22/sem

# OTHER COSTS



## Housing expenses

McGill Residence	\$5,310	per 8 months
East Village	\$4,788 - \$8,400	per 12 months
TRU North Tower	\$7,950	per 8 months
TRU Homestay	\$8,000	per 8 months
Off-campus Housing	\$10,000 - \$12,000	per 12 months

## Other expenses

General Fees	\$1,100	per 8 months
Medical Insurance	\$900	per 12 months
Extended Health & Dental Plan	\$248	per 12 months
Personal expenses such as groceries and phone bills	\$5000 - \$6,000	per 12 months
Off-campus housing	\$10,000 - \$12,000	per 12 months

**ESTIMATED TOTAL PER YEAR**  
**\$30,000 - \$36,000**



Other costs are estimates for reference only and are subject to change

# ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS



## INTERNATIONAL ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS

Considered for students qualifying for one of TRU's varsity sports teams.



## ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

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+).



## DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

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.



## INTERNATIONAL SOCIAL MEDIA AMBASSADOR AWARDS

A limited number of awards are available for international and Canadian students interested in promoting TRU worldwide as a study destination, as a part of a dedicated ambassador team.



# ENTRANCE SCHOLARSHIPS & AWARDS



## ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIPS

International students accepted and enrolled in TRU's 2-year engineering transfer program will be considered.



## JORGE CAMPOS AWARD FOR MEXICAN STUDENTS

This scholarship is open only to Mexican citizens currently enrolled in a full-time program of studies in Mexico.



## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR RESIDENTS OF THE BAHAMAS AND CARIBBEAN

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.



## SCHOLARSHIPS FOR AMERICAN STUDENTS

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.



# HOW TO APPLY

1

## Choose your program and start date

Make your program choice and check the admission requirements.

Application deadlines:

Winter (January intake): October 1

Summer (May intake): February 1

Fall (September intake): May 1

2

## Apply

Submit your application online at [tru.ca/apply](https://tru.ca/apply)

Non-refundable application fee of \$100 CAD

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## Application processing

Completed applications will be processed within 4 to 6 weeks for graduate programs and 5 to 10 days for open programs.





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