

Chartered Professional Accountancy (CPA) Admission Requirements

Applicants to the Diploma in Chartered Professional Accountancy (CPA) program must meet the following minimum requirements to be eligible for the program.

1. Bachelor degree with a minimum *overall* GPA of 3.00/4.30, or the equivalent.
2. Completion of the 14 prerequisite courses listed below with a minimum grade of B- in *each* of the courses.
 - Prerequisite courses must be completed *before* beginning the CPA program.
 - Although applicants may repeat prerequisite courses in order to achieve the minimum B- grade, candidates with the fewest number of repeated courses will have the strongest chance for admission.

Due to the competitive nature of this program, meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission.

Prerequisite Courses

- 1) ACCO 310: Financial Reporting I (*completed after 2009*)
- 2) ACCO 320: Financial Reporting II (*completed after 2009*)
- 3) ACCO 420: Financial Reporting III
- 4) ACCO 425: Financial Reporting IV (*beginning Summer 2014*)
 - or- ACCO 470N: Special Topics in Accounting (*completed Fall 2013 or Winter 2014*)
 - or- ACCO 410: Governmental & Not-for-Profit Accounting (*completed Summer 2013 or previously*)
- 5) ACCO 330: Cost and Management Accounting
- 6) ACCO 435: Integrative Management Accounting Cases (*beginning Summer 2013*)
- 7) ACCO 340: Income Taxation in Canada
- 8) ACCO 440: Advanced Taxation
- 9) ACCO 450: Assurance Services
- 10) ACCO 465: Advanced Assurance Services
- 11) COMM 226: Business Technology Management
 - or- COMM 301: Management Information Systems (*completed Summer 2010 or previously*)
- 12) COMM 308: Introduction to Finance
- 13) COMM 315: Business Law and Ethics
- 14) COMM 401: Strategy and Competition

Note:

CPA prerequisite courses requirements are subject to change without notice.
Courses completed more than 5 years ago may have to be retaken.