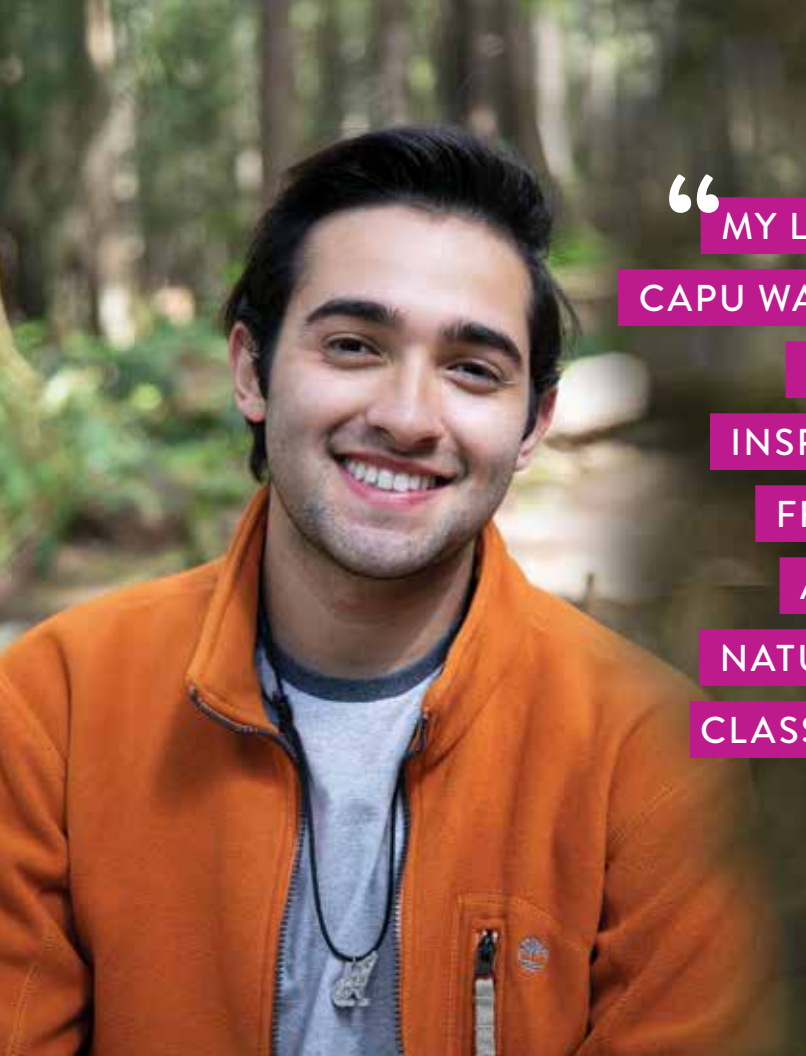




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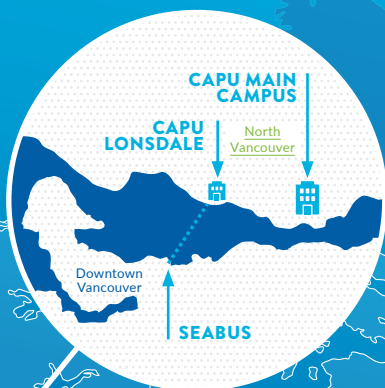


“MY LONG JOURNEY TO CAPU WAS WELL WORTH IT. TO THIS DAY, I GET INSPIRED BY THE SUN, FRESH VANCOUVER AIR AND AMAZING NATURE, ALL FROM MY CLASSROOM WINDOW.”

GABRIEL MACIEL
BACHELOR OF BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION STUDENT

SKI, HIKE OR BIKE IN THE MORNING. HIT THE BEACH IN THE AFTERNOON.

Ranked one of the world's most livable cities, Vancouver is a vibrant, ethnically-diverse city with a mild coastal climate. The communities surrounding CapU are known for an active lifestyle, innovative food scene and lively urban neighbourhoods.



Baden Powell Trail, North Vancouver, B.C.

FROM CAPU

30 min.	to downtown Vancouver
10 min.	to the beach
20 min.	to local mountains

MILD CLIMATE

22° C	average July high
7° C	average January high

Source: Meteorological Service of Canada



Main Campus, North Vancouver, B.C.

PREPARING YOU FOR A CHANGING WORLD

Study for success in interactive and focused classes dedicated to providing you with hands-on experiences and education of the highest quality.

Gain industry-relevant knowledge with experienced instructors who are here to coach and guide you along the way.

Build new friendships with student mentors who are excited to introduce you to CapU and all the resources we offer for a smooth transition.

Discover your path through practical studies and a range of credentials offering volunteer, study abroad and/or work-integrated learning opportunities.

95%

of CapU bachelor's degree graduates are satisfied with their CapU education

*B.C. Student Outcomes Bachelor's Degree Survey (2016-2018)

DIVERSE AND GLOBALLY ENGAGED

Capilano University is a public university that is fully accredited by both the Government of British Columbia (Canada) and the Northwest Commission on Colleges and Universities (USA).

CAPU FACTS

9,032 students enrolled in for-credit programs

2,493 international students call CapU home

430 Indigenous students

80 countries represented

36 student clubs and associations

20 study abroad destinations to choose from

25 average class size

“

CAPU GIVES YOU A SAFE SPACE TO EXPLORE DIFFERENT SUBJECTS. INSTRUCTORS WELCOME NEW IDEAS AND ENCOURAGE RELEVANT DISCUSSIONS TO PREPARE YOU FOR THE REAL WORLD.”

YEONJU HONG
TOURISM MANAGEMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
DIPLOMA STUDENT



ADVANCE YOUR ENGLISH SKILLS

English for Academic Purposes (EAP) courses

Find out your EAP Level (050 to 100/101).

If you do not have proof of your English language proficiency, find out your English level by taking CapU's English for Academic Purposes (EAP) Placement Test.

capilanou.ca/eap/eap-placement-test

✔ Studying in an English Language Partner School?

Successful completion of a specific English level at one of CapU's partner schools will help you meet the English Language Requirement for select programs, noted in the table below.

For a list of partner schools, see

capilanou.ca/international/pathway-partners

ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR CAPU PROGRAMS	ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP) LEVEL	ACADEMIC IELTS		TOEFL		OTHER TESTS		
		OVERALL SCORE	NO SCORE BELOW	IBT	PPT	ELA	CAEL	PTE
ACADEMIC AND PATHWAY PROGRAMS								
Most Capilano University Programs capilanou.ca/programs	EAP 100 & EAP 101 (minimum B+ grade)	6.5	6.0	83	560	145	70	56
North American Business Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma ✔	EAP 090 (minimum B+ grade)	6.0	5.5 (6.0 in writing)	75	*	*	60	50
North American Business Management Applied Post-Baccalaureate Diploma ✔								
North American & International Management Graduate Diploma ✔								
Global Hospitality and Tourism Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma ✔		6.0	5.5 (6.0 in writing)	75	540	128	60	50
EAP 100 & EAP 101 PLUS 1 term 9 credits	EAP 090 (minimum B grade)	6.0	5.5	71	530	128	60	53
Tourism Management for International Students Diploma ✔	EAP 080 (minimum B grade)	5.5	5.0	67	520	114	*	*
Business Administration Pathway 2 terms 33 credits ✔								
Early Childhood Care and Education Pathway 2 terms 30 credits ✔								
EAP 090 PLUS 1 term 12 credits ✔								
ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP) COURSE LEVELS								
EAP 080 (Advanced) 1 term 15 credits	EAP 070 (minimum B grade)	5.0	4.5	45	480	96	*	*
EAP 070 (Advanced) 1 term 15 credits	EAP 060 (minimum B grade)	4.5	4.0	32	440	77	30	44
EAP 060 (Intermediate) 1 term 15 credits	EAP 050 (minimum B grade)	Not applicable			57	Not applicable		
EAP 050 (Intermediate) 1 term 15 credits	Placement based on CapU's EAP Placement Test	Not applicable			32	Not applicable		

*For scores, see CAPILANO.U.CA/PROGRAMS



GET INTO CAPU

The admission requirements below provide a general guideline. For specific program requirements, see capilanou.ca/programs

Business | Tourism Management

- High school graduation (Grade 12) or equivalent
- English 12
- Mathematics-related courses (Grade 11 or 12)

Post-baccalaureate and graduate programs:

- An undergraduate degree
- Minimum 63% cumulative grade point average (GPA)
- Letter of interest/intent
- Resumé/CV or summary of experience

Fine & Applied Arts

- High school graduation (Grade 12) or equivalent
- Audition, portfolio and interview may be required

Education & Childhood Studies

- High school graduation (Grade 12) or equivalent
- Minimum 60% grade point average (GPA) calculated on English 12 and three academic Grade 12 courses

Arts & Sciences

- High school graduation (Grade 12)
- Minimum 60% grade point average (GPA) calculated on English 12 and two academic Grade 12 courses such as: Accounting, Mathematics, Physics, Biology, Calculus, Chemistry, Communications, Economics, English Literature, French, Geography, Geology, German, History, Information Technology, Japanese, Korean, Law, Mandarin, Marketing, Philosophy, Religion, Pre-calculus, Psychology, Punjabi and Spanish

English Language Proficiency

If English is not your primary language, you must submit proof that you meet CapU's English Language Requirement. This is a requirement for all programs except if you start your studies at CapU with the English for Academic Purposes (EAP) program.



CapU Main Campus, North Vancouver, B.C.

WHERE NEW FRIENDSHIPS ARE MADE

Affordable, supportive and convenient, CapU Residence is only minutes away from campus. Expect all-you-care-to-eat meal plans and support from live-in residence advisors.

capilanou.ca/residence



CapU Residence, North Vancouver, B.C.

PICK THE BEST PROGRAM FOR YOU

CapU offers programs of the highest quality across five Faculties along with work-integrated learning and volunteer options to set you up for academic and career success.

AREAS OF STUDY	STUDY ABROAD	WORK/CO-OP	PROGRAM STARTS IN			INTERNATIONAL FEES IN CAD \$				
			Sept	Jan	May	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Total
BUSINESS										
Bachelor of Business Administration Degree	✗		✓	✓	✓	19,122	19,122	20,585	20,585	79,414
Business Administration Diploma			✓	✓	✓	19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
Accounting Assistant Diploma		W	✓			19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
Accounting Assistant Certificate		W	✓	✓		19,122	-	-	-	19,122
Advanced Business Administration Certificate			✓	✓	✓	20,585	-	-	-	20,585
Business Administration Certificate			✓	✓	✓	11,861	-	-	-	11,861
Retail Business Fundamentals Certificate			✓	✓		19,122	-	-	-	19,122
Business Administration Pathway			✓			20,907	-	-	-	20,907
North American Business Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma		W	✓	✓		26,870	-	-	-	26,870
North American Business Management Applied Post-Baccalaureate Diploma		W	✓	✓		26,870	6,300	-	-	32,665
North American and International Management Graduate Diploma	✗	W	✓	✓		26,870	23,180	-	-	50,050
COMMUNICATION										
Bachelor of Communication Studies Degree	✗	W	✓	✓		19,122	19,122	20,548	20,402	79,194
Communication Studies Diploma			✓	✓		19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
LEGAL STUDIES										
Bachelor of Legal Studies (Paralegal) Degree	✗	W	✓			19,369	19,451	21,551	21,551	81,922
Paralegal Diploma		W	✓			21,511	24,448	-	-	45,959
Legal Administrative Assistant Certificate		W	✓	✓		20,907	-	-	-	20,907
MOTION PICTURE ARTS: FILMMAKING ANIMATION VISUAL EFFECTS COSTUMING										
Bachelor of Motion Picture Arts Degree	✗	W	✓			30,157	32,145	29,511	27,529	119,342
Costuming for Stage and Screen Diploma			✓			28,646	22,802	-	-	51,448
Digital Visual Effects Diploma			✓			34,172	34,172	-	-	68,344
2D Animation and Visual Development Diploma			✓			29,752	30,666	-	-	60,418
3D Animation for Film and Games Diploma			✓			33,452	33,414	-	-	66,866
Documentary Certificate			✓			27,140	-	-	-	27,140
Lighting for Digital Imaging and Film				June		3,012	-	-	-	3,012
Grip Work for Digital Imaging and Film				June		3,012	-	-	-	3,012
Animation Fundamentals Citation				July		6,080	-	-	-	6,080
PERFORMING ARTS: MUSIC THEATRE ACTING ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT										
Bachelor of Music in Jazz Studies Degree (Education)			✓			26,344	26,620	25,843	28,917	107,724
Bachelor of Music in Jazz Studies Degree (Performance/Composition)			✓			26,344	26,620	25,843	26,034	104,841
Bachelor of Performing Arts Degree			✓			-	-	-	24,218	24,218
Acting for Stage and Screen Diploma			✓			22,346	26,329	27,014	-	75,689
Arts and Entertainment Management Diploma		W	✓			18,351	22,512	-	-	40,863
Music Diploma			✓			24,333	24,333	-	-	48,666
Musical Theatre Diploma			✓			24,473	24,563	25,066	-	74,102
Technical Theatre Diploma			✓			21,989	24,219	-	-	46,208
Advanced Arts & Entertainment Management Certificate		W			✓	23,200	-	-	-	23,200
Conducting in Music Certificate			✓			13,990	-	-	-	13,990
IDEA SCHOOL OF DESIGN										
Bachelor of Design in Visual Communication Degree	✗	W	✓			25,667	27,403	26,535	26,535	106,140

AREAS OF STUDY	STUDY ABROAD	WORK/ CO-OP	PROGRAM STARTS IN			INTERNATIONAL FEES IN CAD \$				
			Sept	Jan	May	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Total
TOURISM MANAGEMENT										
Bachelor of Tourism Management Degree	X	W	✓	✓	✓	19,689	19,202	20,894	21,819	81,604
Tourism Management Co-operative Education Diploma		W	✓	✓		19,886	19,202	-	-	39,088
Tourism Management for International Students Diploma		W	✓	✓		23,601	15,818	-	-	39,419
Global Hospitality and Tourism Management Post-Baccalaureate Diploma		W	✓		✓	19,311	13,910	-	-	33,221
OUTDOOR RECREATION MANAGEMENT										
Outdoor Recreation Management Diploma		W	✓			28,986	11,874	-	-	40,860
GLOBAL STEWARDSHIP										
Associate of Arts Degree - Global Stewardship			✓			21,502	20,907	-	-	42,409
HUMAN KINETICS										
Human Kinetics Diploma (Physical Education or Exercise Science)			✓			19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
EDUCATION AND CHILDHOOD STUDIES										
Bachelor of Early Childhood Care and Education Degree		W	✓			20,610	18,518	20,493	21,042	80,663
Early Childhood Care and Education Diploma		W	✓			20,610	19,853	-	-	40,464
Early Childhood Care and Education Pathway			✓			19,122	-	-	-	19,122
Early Childhood Care and Education Post-Baccalaureate Diploma*			✓			21,042	-	-	-	21,042
ALLIED HEALTH										
Bachelor of Music Therapy Degree		W	✓			24,805	23,015	9,685	-	57,505
Health Care Assistant Certificate		W	✓	✓	✓	19,122	-	-	-	19,122
Rehabilitation Assistant Diploma		W	✓			20,015	20,015	-	-	40,030
ARTS (HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES)										
Bachelor of Arts - Applied Behaviour Analysis (Autism)		W	✓			20,585	20,585	22,340	23,145	86,655
Bachelor of Arts with a major in Liberal Studies	X		✓	✓	✓	19,268	19,415	20,585	20,585	79,854
Associate of Arts Degree			✓	✓	✓	19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
Associate of Arts Degree - Creative Writing OR English OR Psychology			✓	✓	✓	19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
Academic Studies Diploma			✓	✓	✓	19,122	19,122	-	-	38,244
Applied Behaviour Analysis (Autism) Post-Baccalaureate Diploma*		W	✓			16,494	18,709	-	-	35,203
Applied Behaviour Analysis (Autism) Post-Baccalaureate Certificate			✓			7,266	7,266	-	-	14,532
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS (STEM)										
Associate of Science Degree			✓	✓	✓	20,312	20,312	-	-	40,624
Associate of Science Degree - Biology			✓	✓	✓	20,312	20,312	-	-	40,624
Engineering Transition Diploma			✓			21,502	19,094	-	-	40,596
Engineering Certificate			✓			26,858	-	-	-	26,858
ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES COMBINED PROGRAMS										
EAP 100 and EAP 101 plus 2 academic courses from Arts, Sciences or Business			✓	✓	✓	7,898 (1 term)			7,898	
EAP 100 and EAP 101 plus 1 academic course from Arts, Sciences, Business or ENGL 100			✓	✓	✓	6,112 (1 term)			6,112	
EAP 090 plus 1 academic course from Arts, Sciences or Business			✓	✓	✓	8,326 (1 term)			8,326	
ENGLISH FOR ACADEMIC PURPOSES (EAP) FULL-TERM COURSES										
EAP 100 and EAP 101			✓	✓	✓	4,327 (1 term)			4,327	
EAP 090			✓	✓	✓	6,540 (1 term)			6,540	
EAP 050, EAP 060, EAP 070 or EAP 080			✓	✓	✓	7,986 (1 term)			7,986	

The above fees include your tuition fees, transportation pass and school fees. They are rounded estimates, payable in increments each term and subject to change without notice. Plan for other costs such as books and supplies (\$1,000/year), accommodation and food (CapU Residence is \$4,462 per term for a shared room and includes an all-you-care-to-eat meal plan), living costs and temporary health insurance (\$180 for new international students only).

Academic programs: \$595.11 per credit | EAP programs: \$482 per credit (excluding EAP 100 and 101).

*Previous work experience in Canada is required.

COME JOIN US! BECOME A CAPU STUDENT

- Apply for your program of choice** at capilanou.ca/apply.
The application fee is CAD \$135.
- Email scanned supporting documents** such as high school transcripts, post-secondary transcripts, English translations (if applicable) and proof of English language proficiency results to inted@capilanou.ca
- Receive your letter of offer** and confirm the offer by paying your tuition deposit.
- Receive your letter of acceptance** and apply for or renew a study permit (and an entry visa, depending on citizenship).
See cic.gc.ca/english/study/study-how.asp
- Access your Welcome Guide for New International Students** to support your journey: elearn.capu.ca
- Register for courses online and pay fees**
- Attend Orientation** Your first day at CapU will be memorable,

Track your application through the student portal: capilanou.ca/mycapu

DISCOVER CAPU

Connect with an international student admissions advisor!
In-person appointments available daily from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Tour the campus

Take a guided tour of our beautiful campus.
capilanou.ca/tours

Explore CapU Info Night

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