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International Tourism

About Tourism Management for International Students

Live your dream in beautiful British Columbia!



Are you looking for a career in an industry with global career options? Over 900 million people traveled internationally in 2008 – why not become one of them by traveling to Capilano University to study tourism management?

Learn about the tourism industry and gain key management skills to use in your new career during this two-year diploma. Join your instructors on field trips, gain knowledge from guest speakers, and participate in hands-on activities with your classmates who have come to North Vancouver from around the world. We don't just sit in a classroom here!

All of your courses will have a spotlight on tourism. The business and management courses you will take are set apart from average business courses by engaging students with a tourism focus. We offer specialized tourism courses such as:

hospitality management technology in tourism cross cultural tourism adventure and ecotourism heritage, arts and culture



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A two-month work practicum helps you increase your knowledge and confidence with hands-on experience. We offer a preparation course to ensure that you are ready for this opportunity to work in British Columbia's own tourism industry – this may be your first taste of the opportunities available to you in your new career in tourism at the international level!

There are many options for you when you complete your Tourism Management for International Students diploma.

You may be able to work in Canada for three years after graduation. If you have found tourism related employment in BC, you may be eligible to apply for Canada's Provincial Nominee Program (PNP). You may continue your studies towards Capilano University's well-recognized Bachelor's Degree in Tourism Management. Some highlights of the Tourism Management for International Students diploma:

Use international examples in coursework – bring your personal experiences to the classroom
Join blended classes with both Canadian and international tourism students
Experience an eight-week tourism practicum in Canada
Earn an international credential in tourism management
Access the Bachelor of Tourism Management degree
Get support from Capilano University's international students' centre (and language support, if needed)