Program Overview (3 year average) - BC Diploma, Associate Degree and Certificate Student Outcomes

Finance_5730_DIPMA

Employment Outcomes

Employment Rate

83%

How long did it take you to find your program-related job?

- Less than one month: 11%
- 1 to 2 months: 61%
- 3 to 4 months: 11%
- 5 to 6 months: 6%
- More than 6 months: 11%

How useful was your program in getting your (main) job? (obtained after studies)

rated very or somewhat useful

89%

Education Outcomes

95%

of graduates were very satisfied or satisfied with their education

Aspects of Program

- Quality of Instruction rated very good or good: 81%

Aspects of Courses

- Covering topics relevant to field rated very good or good: 86%

Graduating Year

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<th>2017</th>
<th>2018</th>
<th>2019</th>
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<td>Eligible Students</td>
<td>61</td>
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<td>Respondents</td>
<td>38</td>
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<td>Response Rate</td>
<td>62%</td>
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Average hourly wage of those in training related job (main job)

$21

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Employment Outcomes

In Labour Force
- Those who responded were employed as well as looking and available for work at time of survey.

Employment Rate
- Those who responded were working and in labour force.

Employed in training-related job
- Those who responded were currently employed at a job or business at time of survey.

Of those employed (in labour force):
- Full-time: 79%
- Part-time: 21%

How useful was your program in getting your (main) job? (obtained after studies)
- Very: 50%
- Somewhat: 39%
- Not at all: 11%

How long did it take you to find your program-related job?
- Less than one month: 61%
- 1 to 2 months: 11%
- 3 to 4 months: 11%
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- More than 6 months: 6%

Top 5 Jobs Obtained Related to Program

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<th>NOC 4 Occupation</th>
<th>% of those employed in program related jobs</th>
<th>Median hourly wage (main job)</th>
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<tr>
<td>1431 Accounting and related clerks</td>
<td>20%</td>
<td>$24</td>
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<td>6551 Customer services representatives - financial institutions</td>
<td>20%</td>
<td>$16</td>
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<td>1111 Financial auditors and accountants</td>
<td>15%</td>
<td>$20</td>
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<td>1311 Accounting technicians and bookkeepers</td>
<td>15%</td>
<td>$17</td>
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<td>111 Financial managers</td>
<td>5%</td>
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Education Outcomes

95% of graduates were very satisfied or satisfied with their education

Skill Development  How well are students prepared to:

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<th>Written Communication</th>
<th>Very Helpful or Helpful</th>
<th>Not very helpful</th>
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<th>78%</th>
<th>16%</th>
<th>5%</th>
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<tr>
<td>Oral Communication</td>
<td>Very Helpful or Helpful</td>
<td>Not very helpful</td>
<td>Not at all</td>
<td>95%</td>
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<td>Group Collaboration</td>
<td>Very Helpful or Helpful</td>
<td>Not very helpful</td>
<td>Not at all</td>
<td>92%</td>
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<td>Critical Analysis</td>
<td>Very Helpful or Helpful</td>
<td>Not very helpful</td>
<td>Not at all</td>
<td>95%</td>
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<td>Problem Resolution</td>
<td>Very Helpful or Helpful</td>
<td>Not very helpful</td>
<td>Not at all</td>
<td>86%</td>
<td>3%</td>
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<td>Reading and Comprehension</td>
<td>Very Helpful or Helpfu...</td>
<td>Not very helpful</td>
<td>Not at all</td>
<td>94%</td>
<td>3%</td>
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<td>Learn on your own</td>
<td>Very Helpful or Helpful</td>
<td>Not very helpful</td>
<td>Not at all</td>
<td>89%</td>
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Aspects of Program  How did students rate:

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<th>Quality of Instruction</th>
<th>Very Good or Good</th>
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<th>Poor or Very Poor</th>
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<td></td>
<td>81%</td>
<td>16%</td>
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<td>Amount of practical experience</td>
<td>60%</td>
<td>29%</td>
<td>11%</td>
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<td>Organization of program</td>
<td>81%</td>
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Aspects of Program  Quality of Instruction rated very good or good

Aspects of Courses  Covering topics relevant to field rated very good or good

Aspects of Courses  Covering standards used rated very good or good

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Further Studies

63% are currently studying on a full-time or part-time bases after completing program
78% Have taken further studies after completing program

How well were you prepared for further studies?

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<th>Very well</th>
<th>Somewhat</th>
<th>Not very</th>
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<td>63%</td>
<td>30%</td>
<td>7%</td>
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Program Demographics

Of those respondents had taken previous post-secondary education:
Note: Credentials are based on those who had taken previous post-secondary education. Respondents could report more than one type of post-secondary credential.

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<th>Credential Type</th>
<th>Response Rate</th>
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<td>No credential</td>
<td>76%</td>
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<td>Trades program diploma, certificate, or citation</td>
<td>8%</td>
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<tr>
<td>Non-trades credential below bachelor level</td>
<td>12%</td>
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<td>Bachelor's degree</td>
<td>4%</td>
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Student Outcomes Reporting System (SORs)

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This report shows data from:
Survey name: BC Diploma, Associate Degree, and Certificate Student Outcomes Survey (DACSO)
Survey year(s): 2018, 2019, 2020

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About the DACSO survey:
The DACSO Survey is conducted annually from January to June, with funding from the ministry responsible for post-secondary education and B.C.'s public post-secondary institutions. The eligible cohort for the DACSO Survey consists of former students from public post-secondary institutions who have completed or nearly completed their diploma, associate degree, or certificate programs 9 to 20 months before the survey. The annual questionnaire is built on a set of core questions based on the major themes of the survey: employment outcomes, further education, ratings of programs, and student satisfaction. Please note the DACSO survey does not include trades foundation, trades-related vocational, apprenticeship, short certificate, baccalaureate, or developmental (Adult Basic Education, English as a Second Language, and Adult Special Education) programs.

Data Definitions:
Information provided through BC Student Outcomes
* Please take caution when interpreting the results with a response count less than 30, as they may not be statistically valid.

Eligible Students: Count of total graduates in program
Respondents: Former students who responded to the DACSO survey.
Response Rate: Percentage of survey respondents to all graduates surveyed.

Programs less than 8 respondents are excluded from Summary Outcomes individual program reports.

% In Labour Force: Respondents who were in the labour force. The labour force includes people who were employed as well as those who were looking and available for work at the time of the survey.

% Employment Rate: Those who were working in labour market.

% Employed in training related job: Respondents that were currently employed in an occupation that was either "very" or "somewhat" related to their past training they took in program.

% Of those employed: (in labour force) Percent of respondents who were currently working in labour force full-time (30 hours or more per week), part-time (less than 30 hours per week), or unemployed and looking for work.

% How useful were the knowledge and skills you gained in your program in performing your job: Percent of respondents who felt the knowledge and skills gained from their program were "very", "somewhat", "not very" or "not at all" useful in performing their job.

% How useful was your program in getting your (main) job: Percent of respondents who felt their program was "very", "somewhat", "not very" or "not at all" useful in getting their job.

Average hourly wage of those in training related job (main job): Mean (average) hourly wage of those in training related job (main full-time or part-time job).

% Satisfied with Education: Percent of respondents who felt "very", "satisfied", "dissatisfied" or "very dissatisfied" with education received.

% How well students were prepared to: (Questions changed to a 4-point scale in 2015) - Respondents who felt skill development was applicable responded "very helpful" or "helpful", "not very helpful" or "not at all helpful" to the skills listed.

% Are currently studying: Percent of respondents that they were currently studying on a full-time or part-time basis.

% Have taken further studies since leaving program: Percent of respondents have taken any further studies since the last course at their institution.

% How well were you prepared for further studies after completing program: Percent of respondents who felt their further studies were related to their program and felt that they were "very well", "somewhat", "not very" or "not at all" prepared for further study due to the program.