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Record adult education
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Business, accounting diplomas
available part-time at WLU

Many business people, faced with rapid changes in technology and the need to keep abreast of the latest business skills, are updating their knowledge through part-time courses at Wilfrid Laurier University.

Two years of work experience or an undergraduate degree are the requirement for entrance into two popular programs leading to either a diploma in business administration or a diploma in accounting. Courses are taught by faculty members of the Laurier school of business and economics.

The business diploma is widely recognized in industry and business because of its direct application to the business world. The courses give a good theoretical base to business practice and are presented in a manner that allows the concepts to be transferred to daily work situations.

The program is designed specifically to meet the needs of those wanting to upgrade their skills in the functional areas of business and is awarded on completion of six two-term courses.

The diploma in accounting is designed to meet all university requirements of the chartered accountant's designation, and also provides the majority of courses for the registered industrial accountant designation.

Nineteen one-term course credits are required and all carry full university credit.

Students may also use the credits earned for either diploma as part of the requirements if they should later decide to continue studying toward a full university degree.

In addition, Wilfrid Laurier University offers courses for candidates wanting to qualify for a variety of professional designations.

In all cases, a student must satisfy university admission requirements, as well as those of the designation program.

Designations for which Laurier provides the necessary university credits include:

The Appraisal Institute of Canada, Canadian Credit Union Institute, Canadian Institute of Traffic and Transportation, the Association of Canadian Pension Management, the Institute of Certified Administrative Managers of Ontario, and the Institute of Canadian Bankers,

Also the Insurance Institute of Canada, Certified Professional Secretaries, Ontario Municipal Management Development Board, the Ontario Society for Training and Development, the Personnel Association of Ontario, the Purchasing Management Association of Canada, the Real Estate Institute of Canada, the Society of Management Accountants of Ontario, and the Trust Companies Institute of Canada.