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Post-Diploma Bachelor of Business Administration Indigenous Governance and Business Management



Indigenous governance and business management (IGBM) provides Indigenous and non-Indigenous graduates with skills to take on leadership and managerial roles in band administration, the not-for-profit sector, Indigenous liaison work, federal and international relations, oil and gas, agriculture or your own entrepreneurial enterprises. As an Indigenous or non-Indigenous IGBM student, you'll gain significant insight into Indigenous historical, political, legal and economic issues while acquiring strong business skills and managerial competency.

What determines my program requirements?

Please refer to the Academic Calendar (www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar) for complete program information.

Calendar Year: 2026/2027 - Your calendar year is set to the academic year you are admitted (or readmitted) and you should follow the requirements for that year for the duration of your program.

Faculty/School: Dhillon School of Business (www.ulethbridge.ca/dhillon) - An internationally accredited AACSB business school

Program(s): Bachelor of Business Administration

Major(s): Indigenous Governance and Business Management

Minor: A defined set of courses, designed to provide depth in a particular discipline, study in an interdisciplinary area, or focus on a theme-related topic. To learn more about [optional](#) minors see www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/minors.

This Program Planning Guide (PPG) must be customized based on your diploma transcripts. A customized PPG will be sent to your U of L email account following your acceptance to this program.

Am I admissible to this program?

Admission: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad

Transfer: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/transfer-resources

When/How do I apply to the University?

Deadlines: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/undergrad/deadlines

Step-by-Step: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/admissions/step-by-step

Where can I find information on courses?

Course Catalogue: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/courses

Registration Guide: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-guide

When can I register for classes?

Register early! (March for Summer and Fall; November for Winter)

Registration Dates: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/registration-dates

How can I enhance my program?

Career Bridge: www.ulethbridge.ca/career-bridge

Honours Thesis: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/undergraduate-thesis

Student Professional Development:

www.ulethbridge.ca/dhillon/student-experience/student-professional-development

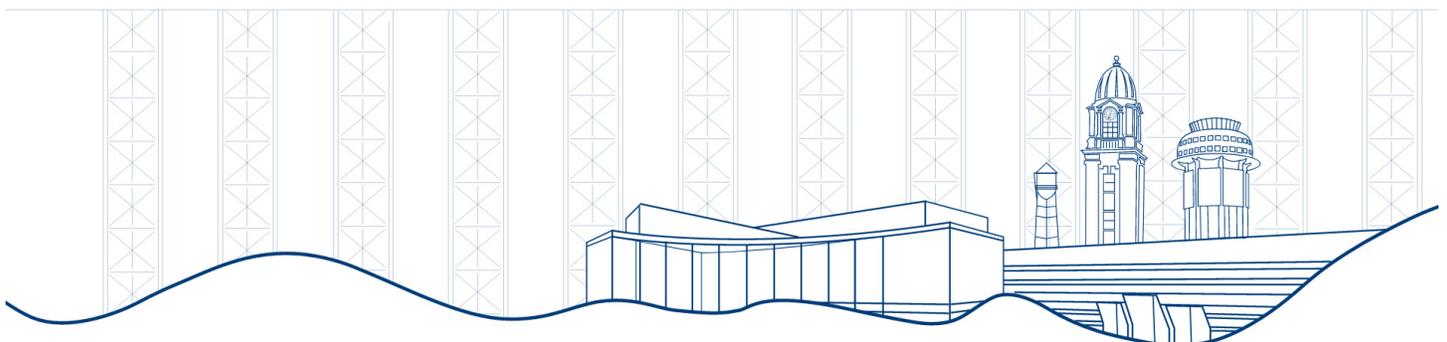
What supports are available to students?

Student Services: www.ulethbridge.ca/campus-life/student-services

Student Success Centre: www.ulethbridge.ca/student-success-centre

Accessible Learning: www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/alc

Counselling Services: www.ulethbridge.ca/counselling





Required courses and notes

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Core Requirements (8 Courses)

- _____ 1. Statistics 1770 - Introduction to Probability and Statistics
- _____ 2. Management 2070/Economics 2070 - Operations and Quantitative Management
- _____ 3. Management 3031 - Managing Responsibly in a Global Environment
- _____ 4. Human Resources and Labour Relations 3050 - Human Resource Management
- _____ 5. Global Business 3650 - Introduction to Global Business
- _____ 6. Management 4090 - Management Policy and Strategy
- _____ 7. **One of:**
 - _____ Management 3062 - Information Systems and Data Analytics
 - _____ ¹ Accounting 3171 - Accounting Information Systems and Data Analytics
 - _____ ¹ Human Resources and Labour Relations 3320 - Workforce Analytics
- _____ 8. **One of:**
 - _____ Writing 1000 - Introduction to Academic Writing
 - _____ English 1900 - Introduction to Language and Literature

- _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3592/Indigenous Studies 3592 - Applied Indigenous Management Issues (Series)
- _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 4120/Indigenous Studies 4120 - Historical and Legal Aspects of Canadian Indigenous Governments
- _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 4150/Indigenous Studies 4150 - Administrative Aspects of Canadian Indigenous Governments
- _____ * Indigenous Studies 1000 - Introduction to Indigenous Studies
- _____ ¹ Indigenous Studies 2100 - Indigenous Peoples and Law
- _____ * Economics 3800 - Economic Development
- _____ ¹ Political Science 3215 - Indigenous Peoples and Local Government in Canada
- _____ Any 3.0 credit course in Indigenous Governance and Business Management as a Topics course (3850 or 4850), an Applied Study (3980 or 4980), or an Independent Study (3990 or 4990)
- _____ One 3.0 credit *Indigenous Studies Topics course (3850 or 4850) with an emphasis on Indigenous Governance or Indigenous Law

Major Requirements (8 Courses)

- _____ 9. Indigenous Governance and Business Management 2500 - Introduction to Indigenous Governance and Business Management
- _____ 10. Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3506 - Indigenous Business and Entrepreneurship in Canada
- _____ 11. Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3515/ Indigenous Studies 3515 - Canadian Indigenous Negotiations
- _____ 12. Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3590/ Indigenous Studies 3590 - Current Practices in Canadian Indigenous Governance
- _____ 13. Indigenous Governance and Business Management 4570 - Indigenous Leadership and Management
- _____ 14.-16. **Three of:**
 - _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3250 - Financial Management in Canadian Indigenous Communities
 - _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3280/Indigenous Studies 3280 - Indigenous Peoples and Natural Resources
 - _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3501 - Canadian Indigenous Tax Issues
 - _____ Indigenous Governance and Business Management 3522 - Canadian Indigenous Project Management

Electives (4 Courses)

Minor courses may fill electives below where applicable.

- _____ 17.-20. ²Four electives, which may be required to fill the Liberal Education List Requirement (see **School of Liberal Education** in the 2026/2027 University of Lethbridge Calendar, www.ulethbridge.ca/ross/academic-calendar); remaining electives are open to any faculty/school
- _____ 17. _____
- _____ 18. _____
- _____ 19. _____
- _____ 20. _____

Notes

- * A minimum grade of 'C-' is required in these courses to meet degree requirements.
- ¹ Students should be aware that this course has prerequisites which may require taking courses extra to their program requirements. Students are strongly advised to discuss their program with an academic advisor. A minimum grade of 'C-' is required in these courses to meet degree requirements.
- ² Cannot be ACCT, AGEM, AMHC, DGTR, EDUC, FINC, GLBU, HLSC, HRLR, IGBM, INHL, MGT, MKTG, NURS, PUBH, or TREC courses, due to Liberal Education limitations.



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Shown below is the recommended sequence of courses for your degree. Consult timetables for course offerings, prerequisites, and corequisites before registering each term as some courses may have limited offerings (ie. once a year, alternating years, or only offered in the Fall or Winter terms). Consult with an Academic Advisor in your faculty if you wish to alter this sequence with regard to the specifically listed courses.

Note that this sequence was prepared based on course scheduling at the time of publication and may change during your studies.

Fall Admission

Third Year (Fall)

- IGBM 2500
- ¹IGBM 3515/INDG 3515
- ²IGBM Elective
- Statistics 1770
- One of: Writing 1000 or English 1900

Third Year (Winter)

- ¹IGBM 3590/INDG 3590
- ²IGBM Elective
- Global Business 3650
- Management 2070/Economics 2070
- ³Elective - Lib Ed Requirement (any list)

Fourth Year (Fall)

- ²IGBM Elective
- Human Resources and Labour Relations 3050
- Management 3031
- ³Elective - Fine Arts & Humanities or Social Science
- ³Elective - Lib Ed Requirement (any list)

Fourth Year (Winter)

- ¹IGBM 3506
- ¹IGBM 4570
- One of: Accounting 3171⁴, Management 3062, or Human Resources and Labour Relations 3320⁴
- Management 4090
- ³Elective - Fine Arts & Humanities or Social Science

1. Required major courses IGBM 3506, IGBM 3515/INDG 3515, IGBM 3590/INDG 3590, IGBM 4570 are offered once every other year. Students should take these courses in the term they are offered to avoid extending degree completion.
2. Refer to the "Three of" list of courses in the preceding major requirements.
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Final Program Check

Request a Final Program Check at www.ulethbridge.ca/dhillon/final-program-check by December 1 (April completers) or by April 1 (June, August, & December completers) and after registering in your final term.

Program requirements with _____ (majors, minors, concentrations)

will be met upon successful completion of _____ currently enrolled courses

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Winter Admission

Third Year (Winter)

- IGBM 2500
- ¹IGBM 3590/INDG 3590
- ²IGBM Elective
- Statistics 1770
- One of: Writing 1000 or English 1900

Third Year (Fall)

- ²IGBM Elective
- ²IGBM Elective
- Human Resources and Labour Relations 3050
- Management 2070/Economics 2070
- ³Elective - Lib Ed Requirement (any list)

Fourth Year (Winter)

- ¹IGBM 3506
- ¹IGBM 4570
- Global Business 3650
- Management 3031
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Fourth Year (Fall)

- ¹IGBM 3515/INDG 3515
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