

**CONTINUING
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Study at the University of Victoria

Intensive English (ELPI) to Business Program Pathway



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There are different ways to begin your business program with Continuing Studies at UVic.

If you meet our academic requirements, but not the English proficiency requirement for direct admission, the UVic English Language Centre (ELC) can help you achieve the English level needed to begin your certificate or diploma.

By studying in the ELC's Intensive English (ELPI) program, you will:

- ✓ receive a significant tuition discount for ELPI
- ✓ be eligible for conditional admission to other programs

Programs eligible for conditional admission include:

- Certificate in Business Administration (CBA)
- Diploma in Business Administration (DBA)
- Certificate in Data Analytics (CDA)
- Diploma in Data Analytics for Management Science (DAMS)
- Diploma in Digital Marketing (DIGM)

Do you meet the academic requirements for our Business programs? If yes, do you meet our English language requirement?

CONDITIONAL ADMISSION

Less than IELTS 6.0 / TOEFL 79 / Duolingo 110
or
No proficiency exam score
(QR link to full English proficiency list below)

Step 1: Apply to the certificate/diploma program directly with Continuing Studies at UVic.

- ✓ In the 'English proficiency' section, indicate that you will prepare your English through the ELC's Intensive English (ELPI) program.*

Step 2: Apply for the Intensive English (ELPI) program.

- ✓ Receive a Letter of Acceptance for the Intensive English (ELPI) program.
- ✓ Receive a Conditional Offer of Admission to your certificate/diploma program at Continuing Studies.

Step 3: Pass level 500** of the Intensive English (ELPI) program within one year of receiving the offer of conditional admission.

- ✓ Once you have passed level 500, you can start your certificate/diploma program.

Step 4: Begin your certificate/diploma program.

**Submit your Duolingo score to waive the \$150 CAD application fee*

***There are 6 class levels in ELPI, and you will be placed in level based on your UVic placement test results. It may take more than one ELPI session to pass level 500.*

DIRECT ADMISSION

IELTS 6.0 (no section less than 5.5)
TOEFL 79 (no section less than 17)
Duolingo 110
(QR link to full English proficiency list below)

Step 1: Apply to the certificate/diploma program directly with Continuing Studies at UVic.*

- ✓ Review Admission requirements for the program you are applying for. (See QR links below)

Step 2: Receive an Offer of Admission to Continuing Studies at UVic.

- ✓ Applications are typically reviewed and offers of admission sent within 1 month of application.

Step 3: Register in your certificate/diploma program courses.

Step 4: Begin your certificate/diploma program.

**Submit the Continuing Studies application online, providing proof of English proficiency. (Find the QR link to the Business program application below)*



See all methods of providing proof of English proficiency



Learn more about the Intensive English (ELPI) program



Review Business program admission requirements and application policies



Apply for a Business certificate or diploma program

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