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INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & GOVERNANCE

Why ICDG programs?

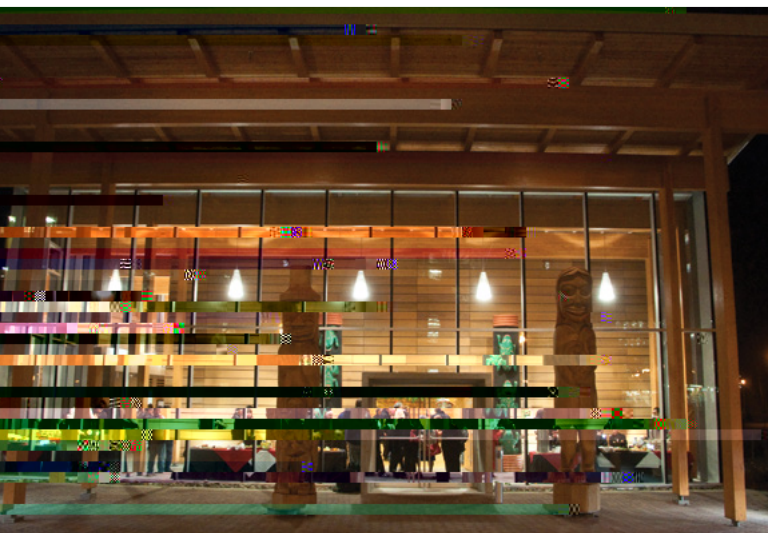
Authentic. Designed by Indigenous people for Indigenous people.

Relevant. Courses reflect Indigenous contexts of community, administration and governance.

Inclusive. Programs are inclusive of all Indigenous peoples, communities and organizations and welcome Indigenous and non-Indigenous learners..

Practical. Courses have practical application and will benefit Indigenous communities and organizations, as well as public service settings.

Convenient & fast. Offered part-time and online. Study on your own schedule.



Indigenous Community Development and Governance programs will:

Build and strengthen management and leadership capacities of Indigenous and non-Indigenous learners, through courses that centre Indigenous perspectives.

Courses include:

- Indigenous Governance in Canada
- Intergovernmental Relations: Working With Others
- Communications in Indigenous Governments and Organizations
- Lands, Resources and Economic development
- Strategic Planning and Implementation
- Indigenous Research and Project Management
- Human Resource Management in Indigenous Governments and Organizations
- Managing Change for Effective Social and Community Development
- Financial management in Indigenous Governments and Organizations
- Leadership in Indigenous Communities and Governments

WHAT STUDENTS SAY

"UVic's DICDG comes at a pivotal time in contemporary Canada. Now is the time to build trust and make room for Indigenous communities at all levels and branches of government. This program provides the knowledge and tools needed to advocate for Indigenous people and work for Indigenous communities and governments."

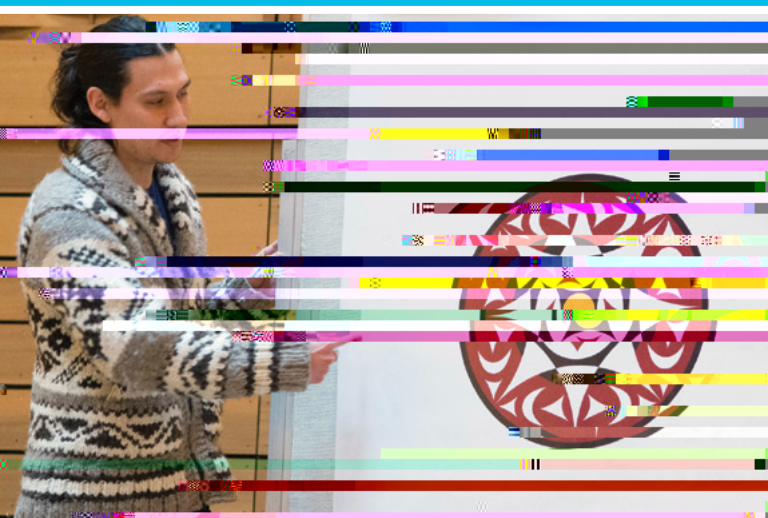
M. Byers, K'omoks First Nation

"My experience with the DICDG has been life changing. I can now move ahead with creating real change in any Indigenous organization. The skills, confidence and personal growth I've gained helped me become a more proud Indigenous woman. My actions will inspire others to create their own changes and follow big dreams."

M. Pedersen, Métis

"The DICDG has helped me form a deeper understanding of my community, work, family and myself. Getting to know and learn from my professors and fellow students has been the highlight for me. I have formed lifelong relationships with wonderful people."

J. Harrington



PROGRAM OPTIONS

DIPLOMA IN INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & GOVERNANCE (10 COURSES)

Deepen your understanding in this comprehensive program.

Who is it for?

Administrators in Indigenous communities and organizations

Professionals working with or for Indigenous communities, governments and organizations

Admission requirements:

1 year post-secondary education

2 years related work experience

PROFESSIONAL SPECIALIZATION CERTIFICATE IN INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & GOVERNANCE (4 COURSES)

Gain critical specialized knowledge quickly.

Who is it for?

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Admission requirements:

Bachelors degree (or equivalent)

2 years related work experience

MINOR IN INDIGENOUS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT & GOVERNANCE (6 COURSES)

Enhance your degree with this valuable, applied minor program.

Who is it for?



CONNECT WITH US

Questions about Indigenous Community Development and Governance Programs at UVic? Please contact us.

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