

# CPAEF Post-Secondary Student Awards

As of March 17, 2025

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<p><b>Acsenda School of Management</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPAEF Award up to \$3,000</li> </ul>	<p><b>Bursary</b></p>	<p>For undergraduate accounting students in financial need</p>	<p>Apply to CPAEF at <a href="https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/">https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/</a></p> <p>Application deadlines: May 15 &amp; Nov 15 each calendar year.</p>
<p><b>BCIT (British Columbia Institute of Technology)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPA Education Foundation Inclusion Entrance Award – \$2,000</li> <li>➤ CPA Education Foundation Award in Accounting – \$2,000</li> <li>➤ CPA Education Foundation Achievement Award – \$2,000</li> <li>➤ CPA Education Foundation Bursaries – 3 x \$2,000</li> </ul>	<p><b>Scholarship</b></p> <p><b>Scholarship</b></p> <p><b>Scholarship</b></p> <p><b>Bursary</b></p>	<p>4<sup>th</sup> year student graduating from BA of Accounting Degree</p> <p>Student with top marks enrolled in the accounting program</p> <p>Final year student graduating from the Accounting Diploma Program</p> <p>Students in the Accounting Diploma or Degree Programs who are in financial need.</p>	<p>Apply to BCIT for all awards.</p> <p>More information can be found at <a href="https://www.bcit.ca/financial-aid/awards-scholarships-bursaries/">https://www.bcit.ca/financial-aid/awards-scholarships-bursaries/</a></p>

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<b>Camosun College</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPAEF John Hadfield Memorial Scholarship – 1 x \$1500</li> <li>➤ CPAEF Award in Auditing – 1 x \$1500</li> <li>➤ CPAEF Award in Performance Management – 1 x \$1500</li> <li>➤ CPAEF Award in Taxation – 1 x \$1500</li> <li>➤ CPA Education Foundation Accounting Bursary – 2 x \$2000</li> </ul>	<p>Scholarship</p> <p>Scholarship</p> <p>Scholarship</p> <p>Scholarship</p> <p>Bursary</p>	<p>3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> year accounting student (BBA-ACCT or PDD-ACCT)</p> <p>Student with top mark in ACCT 380</p> <p>Student with top mark in ACCT 420</p> <p>Student with top mark in ACCT 240, ACCT 375 or ACCT 475</p> <p>Students in the Accounting Program returning to school or upgrading their certificate</p>	<p>Apply directly to Camosun College for all awards.</p> <p><a href="https://camosun.ca/registration-records/financial-aid-awards/awards-and-scholarships">https://camosun.ca/registration-records/financial-aid-awards/awards-and-scholarships</a></p>
<b>Capilano University</b> <p>Matched Awards</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPABC North/Shore/Sunshine Coast Scholarship – 1 x \$1000 (funded until 2024/25)</li> </ul>	<p>Scholarship</p>	<p>Students working towards a degree in business with a focus on accounting</p>	<p>Apply directly to Capilano University for all awards.</p>
<b>Coast Mountain College</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPAEF Award up to \$3,000</li> </ul>	<p>Bursary</p>	<p>For undergraduate accounting students in financial need</p>	<p>Apply to CPAEF at <a href="https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/">https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/</a></p> <p>Application deadlines: May 15 &amp; Nov 15 each calendar year.</p>
<b>College of New Caledonia</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPAEF Award up to \$3,000</li> </ul>	<p>Bursary</p>	<p>For undergraduate accounting students in financial need</p>	<p>Apply to CPAEF at <a href="https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/">https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/</a></p>

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<b>College of New Caledonia Cont'd</b>			Application deadlines: May 15 & Nov 15 each calendar year.
<b>College of the Rockies</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPAEF Award up to \$3,000</li> </ul>	<b>Bursary</b>	For undergraduate accounting students in financial need	Apply to CPAEF at <a href="https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/">https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/</a>  Application deadlines: May 15 & Nov 15 each calendar year.
<b>Douglas College</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ CPABC Bursary - \$2,000</li> <li>➤ CPABC Scholarship - \$2,000</li> </ul>	<b>Bursary</b>  <b>Scholarship</b>	For undergraduate accounting students in financial need  For students in accounting programs their final year of study.	Apply directly to Douglas College.  <a href="https://www.douglascollege.ca/current-students/advising-services/financial-planning/financial-aid/awards-bursaries">https://www.douglascollege.ca/current-students/advising-services/financial-planning/financial-aid/awards-bursaries</a>
<b>Kwantlen Polytechnic University (KPU)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ KPU Accounting Department - \$1,200</li> <li>➤ CPAEF Community Scholarship - \$1,250</li> <li>➤ CPAEF Community Bursary - \$1,250</li> <li>➤ CPAEF Community Scholarship - International Student - \$1,250 x2</li> </ul>	<b>Scholarship</b>  <b>Scholarship</b>  <b>Bursary</b>  <b>Scholarship</b>	Working towards a BA Business Admin in Accounting or Accounting Diploma  3 <sup>rd</sup> or 4 <sup>th</sup> year student working towards BA in Business Administration in Accounting  2 <sup>nd</sup> year student working towards Accounting Diploma  Diploma in Accounting, 1st or 2nd year students in ACCT 5110 (preference to newcomers and single parents)	Apply directly to KPU <a href="https://www.kpu.ca/awards/awards-guide">https://www.kpu.ca/awards/awards-guide</a>





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<b>Selkirk College</b> ➤ CPAEF Award up to \$3,000	Bursary	For undergraduate accounting students in financial need	Apply to CPAEF at <a href="https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/">https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/post-secondary-students/</a>  Application deadlines: May 15 & Nov 15 each calendar year.
<b>Simon Fraser University</b> ➤ CPAEF Business Administration Co-Op Award - 1 x \$2,000  ➤ CPAEF Desmond O'Brien Memorial Scholarship - 1 x \$2,000  ➤ CPA Graduate Award in Indigenous Business and Leadership - \$5,000  ➤ CPA Undergraduate Award in Accounting for Indigenous Students - \$3,000  ➤ CPA Undergraduate Award in Accounting - \$3,000	Scholarship  Scholarship  Bursary  Bursary  Bursary	Faculty of Business Administration Cooperative Education Program (CA stream). Full-time student based on academic performance, reports of practicum experience and financial need.  Student pursuing a BBA in Accounting, completed 60 units, and has at least 9 hours of accounting courses. Scholarship based on academic performance.  Open to students pursuing an Exec MBA in Indigenous Business and Leadership  3 <sup>rd</sup> or 4 <sup>th</sup> year Indigenous students pursuing a BBA in Accounting  3 <sup>rd</sup> or 4 <sup>th</sup> year student pursuing a BBA in Accounting	Apply directly to SFU for all awards at <a href="https://www.sfu.ca/students/financialaid.html">https://www.sfu.ca/students/financialaid.html</a>
<b>Thompson Rivers University</b> ➤ CPAEF Scholarship 2 x \$2000	Scholarship	Student in 4 <sup>th</sup> year of an accounting degree program	<a href="#">Awards and Scholarships   TRU Gaglardi School of Business and Economics</a>

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<b>Thompson Rivers University Cont'd</b>			
<b>Matched Awards</b>			
➤ <b>Grant Thornton and CPAEF Accounting Bursaries – 2 x \$1500 (funded until 2025/26)</b>	<b>Bursary</b>	Full time accounting students that are in need of financial assistance.	Apply directly to TRU for all awards at <a href="https://www.tru.ca/awards/awards.html">https://www.tru.ca/awards/awards.html</a>
➤ <b>Grant Thornton and CPAEF Accounting Scholarships – 2 x \$1500 (funded until 2025/26)</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	Full-time accounting students who have achieved a GPA of 3.5 or greater	
➤ <b>Tenisci Piva LLP Accounting Student Bursary – 2 x \$500 (funded until 2025)</b>	<b>Bursary</b>	Full-time Accounting Major (undergraduate and post-baccalaureate students) who demonstrate financial need. Open to domestic students only	
➤ <b>Tenisci Piva LLP Accounting Student Scholarship – 2 x \$500 (funded until 2025)</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	Full-time Accounting Major (including both undergraduate and post-baccalaureate students) with a minimum 3.50 GPA	
➤ <b>Campbell &amp; Schreurs Accounting Student Bursary – 2 x \$750 (funded until 2025)</b>	<b>Bursary</b>	Full time accounting Major in financial need	
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➤ <b>MNP LLP Accounting Student Bursary</b>	<b>Bursary</b>	Full-time accounting major (undergrad and post-baccalaureate) in financial need	
➤ <b>MNP LLP Accounting Student Scholarship</b>	<b>Scholarship</b>	Full-time accounting major (undergrad and post-baccalaureate) with minimum of 3.50 GPA (B+/A-)	





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<b>University of British Columbia Cont'd</b>			
➤ CPAEF Award – 2 x \$2,500	<b>Scholarship</b>	4th year students completing the Bachelor of Commerce program with the Accounting option	Apply directly to UBC <a href="#">Scholarships and Funding   myBCom   Sauder School of Business at UBC, Vancouver, Canada</a>
➤ CPAEF Jim Miller (DAP) Scholarship – 1 x \$2,500	<b>Scholarship</b>	Students in the DAP program with high academic standing	
➤ CPAEF Award in Accounting – Annual Award (4 years) – 1 x \$3,500	<b>Bursary</b>	First year students in financial need with the intention to major in accounting obtain their CPA.	
➤ CPAEF Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Award – 2 x \$2,500	<b>Bursary</b>	Students in BComm or DAP program who are in financial need and come from historically disadvantaged communities.	
➤ CPAEF Award for Students with Disabilities – 2 x \$2,500	<b>Bursary</b>	Students in BComm or DAP program identifies as a person with a disability and is in financial need.	
➤ CPAEF Opportunity Award	<b>Bursary</b>	Students pursuing a Bachelors of Commerce who demonstrate barriers to entering education (ie: single parents, mature students) and are in financial need.	
<b>Matched Awards</b> ➤ CPA Education Foundation of BC Peter Norwood DAP Award (Endowed – \$5,000)	<b>Award/Bursary</b>	Students in the DAP and BComm Program with financial need. Preference given to international students	





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<b>Vancouver Island University</b> ➤ CPAEF Award – 2x \$1,000	<b>Scholarship</b>	ACCT362 Cost and Management Accounting II - Continuing education. (Top 2 students)	Apply to Vancouver Island University <a href="#">Financial Aid &amp; Awards   Vancouver Island University   Canada (viu.ca)</a>

## Having trouble finding the awards at your school?

If you are struggling to find the awards on your institution’s website or at their financial aid offices, please email us at [cpaef@bccpa.ca](mailto:cpaef@bccpa.ca)

## CPAWSB Preparatory Students and PEP Candidates

In addition to the scholarships for university and college students listed above, the CPAEF offers a number of awards for BC students enrolled in the preparatory courses offered through CPAWSB. Candidates residing in BC and enrolled in the CPA Professional Education Program through CPAWSB, the MPAcc program at the University of Saskatchewan or the MAcc program at the University of Alberta may also be eligible for funding based on financial need.

Please visit <https://www.bccpa.ca/cpaef/funding-opportunities/cpa-candidates-and-students/> to find out more about available awards.

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