

Fundraising Management (FRMT) Ontario College Graduate Certificate PART-TIME

Frequently Asked Questions

Do I need to apply?

Part-time students must apply to this program through ontariocolleges.ca
Use the code FRMX to apply as a part-time student.

When can I start the program?

Intakes: September

Can I complete this program online?

Yes

All courses in this program are delivered online, asynchronously.

What does asynchronous mean?

Online *asynchronous* means you do not attend live classes. You can log in to the course whenever it works best for you. Most courses have weekly deadlines you will have to meet. Classes are delivered combining self-directed lectures, group discussions and virtual instructor support.

You will not be required to be on campus for any part of the course – all lectures, tests, exams are online.

Wondering if studying online asynchronously is right for you?

If you are wondering whether studying online is right for you – review the information at the links below as it may be helpful!

<https://tlp-lpa.ca/learning-online>

<https://ecampusontario.pressbooks.pub/learnonline/chapter/chapter-1/>

What is the Fundraising Management program about?

In this comprehensive program, you learn to design integrated fundraising programs, plan capital campaigns, execute fundraising special events, secure grants, and develop relationships with major donors. You also develop critical skills that support the fundraising process, including prospect research, volunteer management, financial management, digital and social media marketing, donor communication and engagement, team building, and the use of technology for fundraising. During your academic studies, you advance your skills through experiential learning projects, including a real-world capstone project for a charity that addresses fundraising challenges across sectors such as social services, the arts, the environment, health care, education, sports, recreation, or religion.

This program provides you with the learning to turn purpose into impact. You can lead change in organizations, develop comprehensive revenue generation strategies and leave a legacy for charitable causes. This fully online, flexible program is designed to fit your life. If you are an aspiring or current fundraising professional, non-profit leader or changemaker this program can take your career to the next level.

Career Opportunities

Canada has one of the largest charitable sectors in the world, and professionally trained fundraisers are in high demand. Graduates may become "generalists" within small organizations, or "specialists" in larger organizations. Employment opportunities may include local, regional or global non-profit organizations and charities, public and government agencies such as hospitals, schools, community service organizations and fundraising consulting firms. Examples of job titles include senior development officer, fundraising manager, special event coordinator, major gifts manager, donor relations coordinator, corporate relations officer, and director of development.

How many courses do I take?

Full program details and Admission Requirements can be viewed on the [Program Outline](#).

Graduation requirements

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How do I know which courses to take?

We have set a schedule up for you – review the [Delivery schedule](#) posted on the program page:



The Delivery Schedule shows the order in which part-time students should take courses. This was set by the program coordinator and is highly recommended you follow the path to ensure you have courses to take each semester. If you have questions about which courses to take, connect with the program coordinator.

How long will it take to complete the certificate?

Students following the Delivery schedule will complete the program in 2 years.

What is the cost of the program?

There is no program fee when studying part-time. Payment is per course, as you register.

Course fees can change each September.

As this is a new program, course fees will not be available until August 2027.

The most common course fee in September 2026 for a 42 hour course is \$354.90.

NOTE: Course sections and fees for this program show during the Part-time Credit registration (add/drop) period only.

This date can be found on our website: [IMPORTANT DATES](#)

Are part-time students eligible for OSAP?

Part-time students MAY be eligible – this is individual and based usually on number of courses you take per semester. For more information, visit our [Financial Aid](#) page.

Questions?**Connect with us!**

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