



CORPORATE AND  
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# INTERNATIONAL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CERTIFICATE (IPDC) PROGRAMS

## OVERVIEW

NAIT is one of Canada's leading polytechnic institutions. Our non-credit professional development certificate programs support international learners in gaining in-demand job-ready skills and knowledge that can lead to exciting career opportunities in Canada.

Program highlights include:

- Program Length: 1 to 2 years.
- Immigration: Programs meet the criteria for Canada's study permit. Most programs align with CIP codes as an eligible field of study for a PGWP.
- Delivery: Full-time and on-campus in Edmonton, Alberta, Canada.
- Credentials Offered: Certificate of Achievement, Certificate of Completion, and Micro-credentials.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

All programs require a post-secondary degree or diploma. Some programs require specific majors/concentrations. See individual program information for more details.

No previous employment experience required.

## ENGLISH LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY REQUIREMENTS

If educated in an exempt country, no proof of English language proficiency is required. Otherwise, students must present one of the following tests as proof of English language proficiency:

- IELTS (Academic): Minimum 6.5 overall, no score under 6.0
- Pearson (Academic): Minimum 60 overall, no score under 58
- TOEFL: Minimum 90 overall, no score under 21
- Canadian Language Benchmark: Minimum 8.0 in each section
- Duolingo: Minimum 120 overall, no score under 100

## LIST OF PROGRAMS

ADVANCED HEALTHCARE LEADERSHIP  
LEADERSHIP & PROJECT MANAGEMENT  
LEADERSHIP & PROJECT MANAGEMENT FOR IT  
SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

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## PROGRAMS

### ADVANCED HEALTHCARE LEADERSHIP

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Advanced Healthcare Leadership is a new 2-year program created for international students who are hoping to earn a certificate while preparing for the Canadian Workplace. The employment outlook for leaders in healthcare is ever increasing and in high demand so prepare yourself by learning the latest job-ready skills and knowledge with the latest technology, trends, and methodologies.

- Program Length: 2 years\*  
\*Option to opt out after Year 1 and receive Healthcare Leadership and Supervision certificate.
- Total Program Cost: \$39,000
- Admission Requirements:
  - Academic: Post-Secondary diploma or degree in an applied healthcare or life science-related field.
  - Proof of English Language Proficiency.
- Career Opportunities:
  - Medical Business Manager
  - Clinic Administrator
  - Hospital Manager
  - Insurance Contract Negotiator

### LEADERSHIP AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT

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The Leadership & Project Management program is designed to help you organize your priorities, direct the work of a team and look for trends that can inform your business practices. It introduces new project management tools, while giving you the opportunity to grow existing ones.

- Program Length: 1 year
- Total Program Cost: \$18,000
- Admission Requirements:
  - Academic: Post-secondary diploma or degree in any field
  - Proof of English Language Proficiency
- Career Opportunities:
  - Project Manager
  - Project Coordinator
  - Project Officer

### LEADERSHIP AND PROJECT MANAGEMENT FOR IT

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The Leadership & Project Management for IT program focuses on skills and technologies required to initiate, plan, execute, monitor and control, and close out the work of a team on a project.

- Program Length: 1 year
- Total Program Cost: \$18,000
- Admission Requirements:
  - Academic: Post-secondary diploma or degree in any field (IT-related preferred)
  - Proof of English Language Proficiency
- Career Opportunities:
  - Project Manager
  - IT Project Manager
  - Project Coordinator

### SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT

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The Supply Chain Management Training program will introduce learners to the diverse world of supply chain, including procurement, transportation, logistics, and inventory management & warehousing. In addition, this program also includes courses in leadership, culture, and communications.

- Program Length: 1 year
- Total Program Cost: \$18,000
- Admission Requirements:
  - Academic: Post-secondary diploma or degree in a business-related field
  - Proof of English Language Proficiency
- Career Opportunities:
  - Buyer/Purchaser
  - Procurement Specialist
  - Production Coordinator

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