



Justice Institute

BRITISH COLUMBIA



**INTERNATIONAL
STUDIES**

POST-BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA IN LAW ENFORCEMENT STUDIES

STUDY IN ONE OF THE TOP CITIES IN THE WORLD TO LIVE. GAIN THE APPLIED KNOWLEDGE AND VALUABLE SKILLS TO PURSUE REWARDING CAREERS IN CANADA.

Learn how to help keep communities and organizations safe in Canada.

The Post Baccalaureate Diploma in Law Enforcement Studies (PBDLES) is a 60-credit, two-year program for students who already have an undergraduate degree and want to gain a unique combination of theoretical knowledge and applied skills that increase their chances of success to pursue rewarding careers in Canada, including those in the justice and law enforcement fields.

If you want to contribute to society and advance your career prospects in the fields of justice, public safety and security, then this program is for you.

Study at a dynamic campus that trains public safety professionals including police officers, firefighters, paramedics, and emergency managers. Together with a cohort of students, get the personalized attention you need from instructors to help you succeed in the program.

TOP REASONS TO STUDY AT JIBC:

1. Study in one of the world's best places to live, work, and play
2. Gain transferable skills to excel in your career
3. Be mentored by engaging and encouraging instructors who are respected experts in their field
4. Complete an internationally recognized program
5. Obtain leading-edge academic credentials in public and community safety

WHO SHOULD TAKE THIS PROGRAM?

This post-baccalaureate diploma program is for students who have completed a bachelor's degree who wish to develop a strong foundation in

- Canadian culture
- law enforcement
- security

STUDY AND LIVE IN ONE OF THE BEST CITIES IN THE WORLD

Justice Institute of British Columbia (JIBC) is located in Metro Vancouver, consistently recognized as one of the top 5 most livable cities in the world.

Its main campus is located in the City of New Westminster. It is in the geographic centre of the Metro Vancouver region of the Lower Mainland of British Columbia. It has easy access to parks, mountain resorts, beaches, forests, other outdoor activities, community amenities, and restaurants offering cuisines from around the world.

International students studying in Canada get a quality education and earn internationally recognized academic credentials to advance their education or career opportunities.

JIBC is a public post-secondary institution funded by the government of British Columbia, and is part of one of the world's best educational systems. It has received the BC EQA (BC Education Quality Assurance) designation recognizing that JIBC programs meet or exceed provincial government quality assurance standards. It is also recognized as an EduCanada institution through a joint initiative with Global Affairs Canada, and the Council of Ministers of Education, Canada for consistently providing high-quality education programs.

JIBC is a member of a number of educational associations, including the BC Association of Institutes and Universities, Colleges and Institutes Canada, and the BC Council for International Education.



THIS PROGRAM PREPARES YOU FOR EXCITING CAREERS

LEGAL PROFESSIONAL

AKA: Paralegal, Legal Assistant, E-Discovery Professional, Litigation Professional, Contract Administrator, Employee Relations and more.

AVERAGE SALARY: CAD\$56,500 - \$78,500

ROLE: Legal professional who works under the supervision of a lawyer or law firm to assist with various tasks related to legal matters.

SECURITY AND SAFETY

AKA: Armored Cash Logistics, Airport Screening Officer, Gaming Surveillance Officer, Loss Prevention Officer, Surveillance Officer and more.

AVERAGE SALARY: CAD\$40,000 - \$85,000

ROLE: Involves working to protect people and property from harm, danger, and threats.

BY-LAW ENFORCEMENT

AKA: Private Investigator, Fraud Analyst, Regulatory Officer, Compliance Officer and more.

AVERAGE SALARY: CAD\$65,000 - \$75,000

ROLE: Responsible for enforcing local by-laws, regulations, and codes that are designed to protect the health, safety, and well-being of the community.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

*For Canadians or Permanent Residents only

AKA: Municipal or Federal Police Officers (RCMP), Transit Police, Canadian Border Service Agent, Intelligence Officer, Corrections officer, and more.

AVERAGE SALARY: CAD\$53,144 - \$100,220

ROLE: Maintain public safety and order by enforcing laws and regulations at the federal, provincial, and municipal levels.

WHAT OUR GRADUATES SAY ABOUT THE PROGRAM



"The education I acquired from JIBC advanced my personal and professional skills to a higher level. It was truly a life changing experience. JIBC is an institution where the finest future police leaders are created. I will forever be thankful for the guidance I have received and the connections I made."

—Asif H., JIBC international alumni now working as an instructor at different post-secondary institutions.



WHAT WILL I LEARN?

This program provides a broad range of transferable and specialized skills in leadership, management and law enforcement grounded in a modern understanding of the Canadian justice system.

Specific knowledge and skills you will gain include:

- conflict resolution
- negotiation and mediation
- crisis intervention
- organizational behaviour
- applied ethics
- investigation skills
- forensic evidence collection
- understanding of criminal and deviant behaviour
- introduction to intelligence analysis
- law enforcement in a diverse society
- restorative justice

Note that many justice, public safety and law enforcement employers may have additional entry or qualification and training requirements.



CURRICULUM AT A GLANCE

TERM I

- Reconciling Colonial Practices in Justice & Public Safety (SOCI-1100)
- Introduction to Applied Ethics (ETHS-1100)
- Introduction to the Canadian Criminal Justice System (LAWS-1202)
- Introduction to Criminology (LAWS-1203)
- Introduction to Intelligence Analysis (INTL-3410)

TERM II

- Theoretical & Applied Perspectives on Conflict Resolution (CRES-1850)
- Contemporary Issues in Law Enforcement (LAWS-2206)
- Organizational Behaviour (BUSN-3100)
- Applied Research in Public Safety and Law Enforcement (LAWS-4000)
- Ethical Issues in Public Safety (ESMS-4220)

TERM III

- Law Enforcement in a Diverse Society (LAWS-1207)
- Criminal and Deviant Behaviour (LAWS-3001)
- Comparative Criminal Justice (LAWS-3002)
- Leadership in Law Enforcement (LAWS-3003)
- Criminal Law and Investigations (LAWS-3220)

TERM IV

- Investigations and Forensic Evidence (LAWS-3000)
- Restorative Justice (LAWS-3004)
- Crisis Intervention (LAWS-4002)
- Governance & Accountability in Law Enforcement (LAWS-4004)
- Research (Graduation) Project (LAWS-4003)



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible for this program, students are required to:

1. Meet JIBC's English language proficiency requirements. Applicants whose first language is not English may meet JIBC's English proficiency requirements by taking one of the following tests or completing an English Pathway program.
High School English 12 (C)
IELTS (Academic): 6.5 overall, minimum of 6.0 in each skill band
TOEFL (iBT): 80 overall, minimum 20 in each skill band
Completion of ILAC's Pathway level 3.3
Completion of ILSC's Pathway level A2
Completion of EF's pathway level C1
2. Provide proof of completion of an undergraduate degree from a recognized post-secondary institution in Canada or an equivalent credential from a recognized institution outside of Canada. Credentials from non-Canadian institutions may be required to be evaluated by an external organization and any related costs for this assessment will be the responsibility of the applicant

*Applicants with transcripts from foreign countries must contact the International Credential Evaluation Services (ICES) or World Education Services (WES), which will evaluate the credentials and determine comparable levels in BC or Canadian terms.

PROGRAM COSTS

Costs for international students in this program include:

- \$150 non-refundable application fee
- \$17,332.16 year one Tuition
- \$19,631.26 year two tuition
- \$18.48 Learning Service Fee per course
- \$750 textbooks approx.

ADDITIONAL FEES

- Temporary medical insurance provided by Guard.Me (charged in the first term only) / ~\$198.00
- Student Union fees (charged every term) / ~\$61.98
- Student Union Health and Dental Plan (charged once a year until graduation) / ~273.00

*All costs are approximate and subject to change without prior notice. It does not include additional costs such as textbook costs, accommodation, living expenses and travel/transportation costs.

HOW TO APPLY

Check the current application deadlines on our website.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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