

CAPILANO ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION



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What is the CAA?

Welcome to the Capilano Accounting Association's (CAA) first newsletter!

Our association is made up of a group of students who wish to pursue careers in accounting and/or finance. Our mandate is to create a social network that connects our fellow students with accounting and finance professionals.

Stay up-to-date on accounting news, sponsor events and information, and whats happening in the CAA.

What we offer:

- Informative and social events
- Opportunities to connect with national and regional firms
- CPA Recruiting specific workshops
- Exposure to a diverse network of like-minded university students
- A fun and inclusive team environment



Our Sponsors



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Without our sponsors the CAA would not be able to do what we love, which is to provide Capilano University students with opportunities to network, develop, and explore a potential career in accounting.



TREEWALK





CPABC NETWORK SERIES FEATURING QUADREAL

When: February 9, 12:00-1:00pm
Where: Online, Zoom

In this interactive panel and networking event, we will hear from QuadReal guest speakers on how to start and grow your accounting career path with them, financial supports towards the CPA program, mentorship and work culture. Open networking and audience Q&A included.

[Learn More](#)



PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT Q&A SESSION

When: February 15, 12:00-12:30pm
Where: Online, Zoom

Are you planning to pursue the CPA designation and wondering about Practical Experience Requirements? Attend our free question and answer session with CPABC staff who can answer your questions.

[Learn More](#)



THE VALUE OF CPA- POWER OF SOFT SKILLS

When: February 26, 6:00-8:00pm
Where: In-Person, Vancouver

Develop your soft skills with Reena Didi-Bansal, EMBA, BA, CDP, ESPT, Career Development & Skills for Success Practitioner, to help you achieve your personal and career goals in this free training and networking event at Steamworks in Gastown.

[Learn More](#)



CPABC Q&A WEBINAR

When: February 28, 5:30-6:30pm
Where: Online, Zoom

Join us for an online general Q & A session with CPABC Recruitment staff to ask questions about the admission requirements of the CPA program, how to apply, and any additional questions you may have about the program.

[Learn More](#)



CASE COMPETITION

Congratulations to the winners...

- Nightwing Consulting
- AIM Consulting
- RYC Consulting

for their success in the first annual CAA x LAC Business Case Competitions!

Six teams were given 3 hours to review a case, conduct research and form a strategy to present to a board of judges. Every team did exceptionally well, and their efforts were proven tremendously during their presentations.

Thank you to all the faculty, students, board of judges and business professionals who attended this event and participated in making this an enjoyable experience for the students at Capilano University and Langara College.

Honourable mentions to our other three competing teams:

- Granville Consulting
- AMAC Consulting
- DIJON Consulting



THANK YOU!

We would like to express our heartfelt appreciation to all the sponsors, judges, accounting firms and the attendees who made this event a big success! Your involvement did not go unnoticed and we are excited to continue working together in the future!



NETWORKING EVENT

A big THANK YOU to everyone who came out to our networking event.

We hope you had an amazing time connecting with firm representatives and all industry professionals

We look forward to hosting you again!



UPCOMING EVENTS...

CRA x CAA Tax Clinic

The Capilano Accounting Association (CAA) is excited to invite you to participate in our 2024 Tax Clinic as a volunteer. This unique opportunity allows you to receive professional training from a Canada Revenue Agency expert on filing taxes, empowering you to handle your taxes in the future.

Here are some key benefits of joining our Tax Clinic:

- Professional Training
- Certificate of Experience
- Resume Enhancement
- Volunteer Hours
- Soft Skills Development

Thank you for considering this valuable opportunity, and we look forward to your participation in the Tax Clinic. To sign up or learn more about the 2024 Tax Clinic click the link below!

[Learn More](#)

CAA Networking Event

When: February 29, 5:30-7:30pm

Where: LB 322 and 321

Register now and secure your spot for our networking event. Come to meet various accounting and finance professionals and build your network. Get to know peers, firm representatives, and faculty in a fun and open setting!

[Learn More](#)



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