

# HAWKIE TALKIE



## Humber's Hidden Gems

Humber is full of programs that are rich in industry demand, here are just a few that stand out that we wanted to share

### INSURANCE MANAGEMENT POST-GRADUATE CERTIFICATE

Risk is everywhere and insurance is on everything you own! Insurance helps the world go round and allows concerts, movie sets, nuclear power plants, and more to operate. You don't need to know insurance to excel, as the industry draws from different areas like health care, business, project management, IT and others. The insurance industry is recession proof and is in a current talent crisis with over 27% of the current workforce deemed to retire in the next 5-10 years.

Humber's Insurance Management post-grad program looks at complimenting student's skills, experiences and education to start an amazing career in a great industry. The program is one year following the completion of a diploma or degree program. Graduates of the program receive multiple job offers and starting salaries range from \$50,000 to \$70,000. In five years, the earning potential in the industry can be \$110,000.

Your students have the talent, we have the opportunities!

### BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE - ADDICTIONS AND MENTAL HEALTH

Our program focuses on the impact of social, historical, economic and political forces on addictions and mental health. It examines the opportunities for prevention, harm reduction and recovery. Students are encouraged to critically analyze systemic issues, develop and apply skills in counselling, case management, community development and grant writing. Overall, this program emphasizes critical thinking, analytical skills, leadership and professional practice.

### BACHELOR OF CREATIVE & PROFESSIONAL WRITING

Do you dream of telling stories? This program transforms a passion for writing into a fulfilling career. Students develop their creative writing skills, imagination and storytelling abilities, while learning to write clearly and convincingly across evolving genres, platforms and venues. Students can practise their craft independently or collaboratively in the traditional classroom or creative writing workshops.

## BACHELOR OF ENGINEERING

Do you want to have an impact on the world around you? Humber's Bachelor of Engineering programs have a common first year to give you time to decide how you want to make a difference – in Mechatronics, Information Systems, or the Built Environment. We provide the foundational engineering knowledge and skills and you decide where they take you.

## BACHELOR OF HEALTH SCIENCE - BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

Biomedical science is a growing interdisciplinary field that supports the revision and implementation of innovative methods to advance medicine and human health. Through interprofessional collaboration, they use these skills to support the prevention, treatment, and diagnosis for various disorders and diseases, in addition to analyzing current and potential laboratory and computational analysis tools.

## REDISCOVER THE HUMBER DEGREE

The number of Bachelor's Degrees offered at Ontario Colleges has grown steadily over the past 21 years, with 3,896 graduates crossing the finish line at the 12 colleges offering degree programs. Humber offers the most with 33 Bachelor of Honours programs to date!

To support this expansion, colleges have been developing a variety of pathways into their degree programs, including course credit, bridges, preparatory pathways, and block transfer.

However, a significant knowledge gap exists in key areas: what is the profile of students who take these pathways? How much advanced standing has been provided? How are the academic and labour market outcomes for these students comparable to non-transfers?

Determined to get some clarity on these metrics, the Ontario Council on Articulation and Transfer (ONCAT) recently funded the first-ever longitudinal study on Ontario Colleges' Bachelor's Degrees with emphasis on the success of pathways students.

Analysis of the data from this study supports a focus on providing more guidance and bridging for students who enter non-directly from high school, making a college degree a viable first choice option for high school students in both academic and applied streams. These students can be confident that no matter which path they choose, their college degree will help them get where they want to go.

At Humber, we are committed to helping guidance counsellors, parents and students with postsecondary pathway planning.

