

education

SPRING INTO CONTINUING EDUCATION

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As springtime is a season of new beginnings, it also inspires us to pursue new opportunities. Whether you're looking to advance your job skills, are eager to increase your earning potential or would like to explore other interests outside of your 9 - 5 job, continuing education may be the next best option to help you achieve your professional and personal goals.

With many new continuing education courses available this spring, *tonight* is here to help you sort through a few prime continuing education options in the city:

HUMBER

Offering more than 1400 courses and 200 part-time certificates - Humber targets people who are looking for career changes, advancements at work or even for personal growth. The school offers flexible scheduling, which for example, can be helpful if you want to spend time with your family while working toward your dream career.

Students can choose from more than 400 online courses and 40 fully online programs, as well as libraries and research services with online search capabilities.

Visit: humber.ca/continuingeducation

DURHAM

Durham recognizes the needs of today's adult learner by offering flexible learning through a variety of delivery formats, including

courses available via monthly intake ... meaning, you could begin on your new career path as soon as next month.

At least 53 of their 75 programs are available in a fully online format, with over 700 courses available online. New courses available this spring: Mosaic Art (Discovering Your Creativity) and Oral & Overall Health, What's the Connection? New online courses available this spring include criminal psychology and Web Usability - Writing and Design.

Visit: durhamcollege.ca/coned

GUELPH-HUMBER

Located in northwest Toronto and provides the benefits of both university and college programs, including seven programs for undergrad students and two degree completion programs (Early Childhood studies and Justice Studies).

Students have the ability to balance work and school life through online and weekend classes.

Visit: guelphhumber.ca

SHERIDAN COLLEGE

New courses offered this spring include: The Entrepreneurship Series (these courses will help you achieve your business goals, whether you're getting ready to start your own business or looking to grow your current business).

And if you're ready to take your writing and storytelling skills to new heights - check out Sheridan's

new Digital Media Series - an intensive seven-week course that is intended to nurture your talents.

Contact: ceinfo@sheridancollege.ca

GEORGE BROWN COLLEGE

In the recent Provincial Continuing Education Survey, Continuing Education at George Brown College ranked as the Top Metro College in 37 areas!

The school keeps pace with changing student and industry needs by consistently revising its programs. New certificates and courses are available this spring in Arts and Design, Communication and Languages, Health Sciences and Community Services and Technology/Trades.

Visit: coned.georgebrown.ca

EVEREST

Everest College of Business, Technology and Health Care is extremely convenient, with 14 locations across Ontario, including one in central Toronto (College Park).

The school offers career education programs, everything from accounting and computer applications to massage therapy and law enforcement foundations. Some programs can be completed in less than a year.

Contact: 1.866.297.8891





TRIOS

With 9 locations across southwestern Ontario (including Toronto, Scarborough and Mississauga), triOS offers over 25 different diploma programs across five faculties including business, technology, healthcare, law and supply chain. The school is pretty hands-on. Each campus is equipped with career services representatives that assist students with resume writing, interview skills and internship placements.

Visit: triOS.com