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Knowledge Bureau faculty members are some of the leading minds in the financial services industry today, and they are available to answer your questions personally. Intimate access to experts anytime is an invaluable benefit unique to the Knowledge Bureau professional development experience.

ACCREDITATION AND CERTIFICATION

Earn CE/CPD credits while you join a national network of top tax, accounting and financial advisors. Knowledge Bureau courses are recognized by a wide variety of organizations in Canada, including IPBC, RPA and various accounting and tax associations.

ACCESS TO ADDITIONAL TOOLS

EverGreen Explanatory Notes are an indispensable resource when interacting with your clients during accounting advice and planning sessions and especially during tax season. With over 800 indexed articles curated by a professional tax research team, it's never been easier to be prepared for clients' questions around tax efficiency and its impact on financial planning and decision-making.

Knowledge Bureau Calculators assist with the planning process by providing powerful tools for analysis and scenario construction on topics ranging from debt reduction to retirement planning to tax efficiency through the wealth lifecycle.

Join a National Network of Distinguished Financial Advisors

WHO WE ARE

Knowledge Bureau is a designated educational institute and publisher focused on excellence in ongoing professional development and education for tax and accounting professionals and their clients. For the past twelve years, through online courses and live learning events featuring industry leaders, over 10,000 financial services professionals have gained the knowledge and insight to meet ongoing professional development requirements, while putting the information to immediate use in building and growing their practices.

THE DISTINGUISHED FINANCIAL ADVISOR DESIGNATION

The Distinguished Financial Advisor™ designation is for advisors working in the tax and accounting field. The Distinguished Financial Advisor designation signifies completion of advanced training in tax preparation, tax planning, bookkeeping, payroll and managerial accounting services to individuals and business clients.

WHAT OUR GRADUATES SAY



"(Knowledge Bureau) courses teach not only the practical application of tax legislation and interpretation, but also what is probably the most advantageous skill set: How to Think." Alan Rowell, MFA, DFA-Tax Services Specialist, Ontario



"Maintaining my designations ensures I stay current and connected and better able to advise my clients to the ever changing world of taxation. It has helped me work with them to keep as much of their hard earned dollars in their pocket while remaining compliant."

Phyllis Mikolajek, MFA,

DFA-Tax Services Specialist, Manitoba



"It has been invaluable in fostering trust due to knowledge and experience associated with the designations." Philip Primeau, MFA, DFA-Tax Services Specialist, British Columbia

Three Ways to Specialize

DFA – BOOKKEEPING SERVICES SPECIALIST

Strengthen your competencies in doing books for proprietorships and micro-businesses using generally accepted accounting principles to enter transactions into popular bookkeeping software programs, prepare and explain the results of financial statements, provide expert assistance in preparing government remittances, budgets, payroll, and prepare T-slip summaries for owner-managers and their staff.

- ✓ BASIC BOOKKEEPING FOR SMALL BUSINESSES

 Understand the process of professional bookkeeping from ground zero to make better decisions about processing data.
- ✓ ADVANCED BOOKKEEPING FOR MULTIPLE BUSINESSES
 Gain valuable insight into a variety of business profiles from non-profit to for-profit, small, large, and everything in between.
- ✓ ADVANCED PAYROLL From periodic payroll to year-end reporting, this course provides and in-depth knowledge to increase after-tax results for employees.
- MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING

 Explain and analyze financial reports to help business owners make better financial decisions, budget regularly and grow their business more purposefully.
- ACCOUNTING FOR BUSINESS TRANSITIONS Gain a working knowledge of the issues that advisors to an owner/ manager must deal with regarding the sale or succession of a business.
- ADVISING FAMILY BUSINESSES

 Understand family business dynamics better and learn a defined process for removing obstacles to financial decision making.

DFA - TAX SERVICES SPECIALIST

Successfully practice T1 tax preparation and planning for individual and family filers, low income credit filers, employees, pre- and post-retirees, disabled taxpayers, rental property owners, investors, proprietors including service and inventory-based businesses, professionals, partnerships, farmers, fishers and others, death of a taxpayer, cross-border taxation.

- ✓ TI PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION BASIC
 Gain the knowledge and confidence to provide professional tax preparation to your clients with the industry's most current foundational course for the tax preparation industry.
- ✓ T1 PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION INTERMEDIATE
 Ensure you are prepared for the coming tax preparation and
 planning season with this thorough personal tax line-by-line update.
 Updated to recent government budgets.
- √ T1 PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION ADVANCED
 Perfect for returning and experienced tax practitioners and fully
 updated to recent government budgets.
- √ T1 PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION PROPRIETORSHIPS
 Complete income statements for the self-employed, partnerships,
 farmers, fishermen and professionals in the most tax-efficient
 manner.
- ✓ FINAL RETURNS ON DEATH OF A TAXPAYER
 Explore tax strategies to avoid tax erosion and increase the legacy passed on to family and community.
- CROSS BORDER TAXATION
 Understand residency, emigration, taxation and other issues surrounding cross-border transactions from both a Canadian and U.S. resident point of view for better planning discussions.

MFA – BUSINESS SERVICES SPECIALIST

Having an MFA is not simply about the money, the product, or the plan—it's about creating and managing inter-advisory relationships with ideal clients. Prepare financial statements and T1 and T2 tax returns for the families of small and medium-sized business enterprises on start-up, throughout the lifecycle of the business—from start-up, to mid-term growth and on transition to the next business owner.

- T1 PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION PROPRIETORSHIPS Complete income statements for the self-employed, partnerships, farmers, fishermen and professionals in the most tax-efficient manner.
- ✓ T2 CORPORATE TAX PREPARATION MICRO BUSINESSES
 Understand the business issues and tax options that underlie
 the taxation of corporate income for your small business
 clients.
- √ T2 CORPORATE TAX PREPARATION SMALL BUSINESSES
 Prepare accurate T2 tax returns, minimizing tax and identifying
 planning opportunities for your corporate clients.
- ✓ TAX PLANNING FOR CORPORATE OWNER-MANAGERS
 Explore the options for constructing compensation packages for business owners to maximize after-tax income.
- ✓ BUSINESS VALUATION FOR ADVISORS
 Prepare your clients to face various types of business transactions through a solid understanding of the fundamentals of business valuation.
- ✓ ACCOUNTING FOR BUSINESS TRANSITIONS

 Gain a working knowledge of the issues that advisors to an owner/
 manager must deal with regarding the sale or succession of a business.



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Registration Deadline: June 15

Plan A: Tuition – Full Payment

Save up to 37% by enrolling in the Designation Program. Taxes extra.	Per Course Regular Fee \$795	Total Fees
Designation Program (6 courses)	\$495	\$2970
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