



HUMBER
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GLOBAL SUMMER SCHOOL 2025
INDIGENOUS INFUSION
FOR EDUCATIONAL LEADERS

Global Summer School Overview

Joining this training, you will be part of the Humber Global Summer School with hundreds students and professionals from 40+ countries worldwide. Get ready for experiences that you'll never forget: lifelong friends, exceptional conversations, industry connections and insight into Canadian culture this summer.

What you will get from this immersive experience:

- *Professionally driven in-person courses taught by experienced Humber faculty and industry experts*
- *Build your network and make lifelong connections with a global community*
- *Explore Toronto – one of the most multicultural cities in the world*
- *Deepen your understanding of social and cultural diversity*

1. Program highlights

The [Indigenous Infusion for Educational Leaders](#) is a professional development program open to faculty, staff and administrators at academic institutions, facilitating an educational journey through an Indigenous lens. In this course, learners are introduced to Indigenous education as a framework for holistic and lifelong learning, as practiced by Indigenous ceremonialists, knowledge carriers, scholars, and community members. Elements of Indigenous philosophy are examined within the context of a participatory and experiential knowledge system, along with the principles and processes significant to understanding and engaging with Indigenous ways of knowing and being in North America. By doing so, we aim to support learners in developing, enhancing, or expanding Indigenous education and engagement efforts on their respective campuses for the present and for generations to come.

The program includes various experiential learning and teaching activities which allows learners to gain a deeper understanding of indigenous ways of knowing and being and to reflect on and apply this knowledge.

Some of these activities include:

- A trip to the Woodland Cultural Centre to visit the local Indigenous community, Six Nations of the Grand River.
- The Kairos Blanket Exercise, an experiential workshop that explores the historic and contemporary relationship between Indigenous and non-Indigenous peoples in Canada.

- The Indigenous guest speaker (s) to provide a distinct perspective, enriching the learning experience with diverse insights into Indigenous traditions, contemporary challenges, and cultural knowledge.

Through the interactive lectures, panel discussion, hands-on experience, we aim to support learners in developing, enhancing, or expanding Indigenous education and engagement efforts on their respective campuses for the present and for generations to come.

Upon successful completion of the training, learners will receive a Certificate of Participation.

2. Learning outcomes

Faculty, staff, and administrators will engage in an experiential professional development program focusing on practical lessons, tools, and resources to strengthen campus-wide Indigenous education and engagement, including discussions on anti-Indigenous racism, justice, and reconciliation, and a visit to a local Indigenous community.

Upon completion of this course, learners will be able to:

- Demonstrate the application of practical lessons and tools that support the integration of Indigenous ways of knowing, doing and being into practice.
- Recognize instances of anti-Indigenous racism within higher education and develop strategies to address them effectively.
- Evaluate reconciliation and justice-based initiatives implemented in other educational institutions, analyzing the contributing factors to their challenges, successes, impact, and sustainability.
- Implement strategies and wise practices aimed at fostering collaboration and engagement within the campus community to enhance Indigenous education and engagement initiatives.

3. Course Delivery (42 hours)

- Teaching modality: In-person classes with experiential learning activities and field trip
- Location: Humber Lakeshore campus
- Dates: July 21, 2025 – August 1, 2025

4. Tentative schedule *(Schedule is subject to change)*

Week 1

Date	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
21-Jul	22-Jul	23-Jul	24-Jul	25-Jul	26-Jul	27-Jul	
Time							
8:30 am - 11:30 am	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture	Lecture		
1:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Lecture		Lecture	Lecture	Kairos Blanket Exercise		

Week 2

Date	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
28-Jul	29-Jul	30-Jul	31-Jul	1-Aug	2-Aug	3-Aug	
Time							
8:30 am - 11:30 am	Lecture	Lecture	Woodland Cultural Centre experience (Time: TBA)	Lecture	Closing Ceremony and Certificate awarding (Time: TBA)		
1:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Lecture					Departure day	

5. Accommodations

On-campus accommodation is included as part of your Global Summer School program fee. You will live at Humber's Lakeshore Campus, only a 10-minute walk to Lake Ontario. Enjoy an easy public transportation route to thriving downtown Toronto, allowing you to enjoy your free time taking in the restaurants, nightlife, sports, live music, theatre, shopping and waterfront culture of the city.

What's included in Residence?

- Light bi-weekly housekeeping service
- Linens and towels for the duration of stay
- Partial meal plan with daily breakfast and lunch for you to explore Toronto's food scene
- Complimentary Guest Wi-fi
- Workout/fitness facilities
- 24-hour Front Desk/Security
- Quiet Hours in effect from 11 PM - 7 AM
- On-site laundry facilities
- Humber Campus is a smoke-free campus

6. Class size

- Minimum number of enrollments: 20
- Maximum number of enrollments: 50

7. Program fees:

With accommodations: \$3,295 CAD per person (\$US 2,400).

Program fee includes:

- Indigenous Infusion for Educational Leaders: Accommodation for 13 nights at our Lakeshore Residence (July 20 – August 2, 2025)
- Daily cafeteria-style breakfasts and lunches provided throughout the program dates
- Professional course delivery
- Relevant course-related field experiences
- Closing reception
- Health insurance for duration of program dates
- Personalized Humber support from application to departure

Without accommodation: \$2,695 CAD per person (\$US 1,995). This program fee includes all of the above without the accommodation option.

Submit fees to your ICISP institutional representative, who will submit them to ICISP. There is an additional \$50 ICISP administrative fee, so the total amount due to ICISP is:

\$2450 (with accommodations)

\$2045 (without accommodations)

Applications will be processed on a first-come-first-served basis.

Please note that the application requires a confirmation that you have informed your ICISP representative of your application prior to submission. Please plan on connecting with your ICISP representative as soon as possible.

The Seminar will remain open and accepting applications until **March 25th**, or until the Seminar is full for this year. If this Google form is still accepting submissions, there are seminar spaces remaining. It will close for all submissions at 5pm on March 25th.

[Link to Google Application](#)

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