# **Business Administration**

| Course Number: <b>BU</b> | Aυ | 369 |
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Course Title: CANADIAN INCOME TAX II

Credits: 3

Calendar Description: This course builds upon topics introduced in BUAD 208. It explores

tax treatment of complex transactions with respect to various sources of taxable income, tax planning for small business, calculation of tax liability and integration of the tax system. Both

corporate and personal taxes are examined.

Semester and Year: Winter 2017

Prerequisite(s): BUAD 208

Corequisite(s): No

Prerequisite to: No

Final Exam: Yes

Hours per week: 4

Graduation Requirement: Elective - BBA, Accounting Specialty area

Elective - Diploma, Accounting option

Substitutable Courses: No

Transfer Credit: CPA

Special Notes: Students with credit for BUAD 281 cannot take BUAD 369 for

further credit.

Development Date: April 2003

Revision Date: January 2009

Chair's Approval:

## **Professors**

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# **Learning Outcomes**

Upon completion of this course students will be able to:

- Calculate GST/HST implications of various transactions.
- Calculate taxable income for an individual in non-routine situations.
- Calculate income taxes payable for a corporation in routine situations.
- Prepare individual and corporate income tax returns using professional tax preparation software.
- Advise on tax consequences of different management compensation structures.

# **Course Objectives**

This course will cover the following content:

- GST/HST
- Tax implications of stock options on employment income and taxable income
- Implications of CEC dispositions on net income
- CCA and capital gain implications of replacement property
- The capital gain/loss implications of non-arms transactions, deemed dispositions, foreign currency transactions and reserves
- Taxable income for individuals that have losses and a capital gain deduction
- Taxable income and tax payable for corporations
- Taxation of corporate investment income
- Corporate taxation and management decisions
- · Procedures and administration

## **Evaluation Procedure**

| Term Work & Assignments  | 10%  |
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| Mid-term Exams #1 and #2 | 45%  |
| Final Exam               | 45%  |
| Total                    | 100% |

#### **Notes**

#### **Term Work**

Students will use Profile software to complete four tax returns. Students will be required to hand in assigned problems. Both must be completed in a timely manner. The professor will advise you as to the due dates for these assignments.

#### **Use of Moodle in this Course**

We will be using the Moodle site in this course. It is used for posting course notes, assignment solutions, and emailing the professor. Students are expected to access the website for course notes - printed and read prior to coming to class. There is no time in class for copying down class material.

## **Assignments**

- Required reading is listed in this outline. Students are expected to keep a copy of the outline in a safe place and to refer to it throughout the semester.
- Students are expected to read the required readings BEFORE each lecture.
- Term work that is not submitted by the posted due date will be assigned a mark of zero, unless a medical certificate is filed with the professor.

#### **Allowable Supplementary Material**

Students will be allowed supplementary material, a fact sheet, for mid-term and final exams. The fact sheet can be written or word-processed on 8.5 x 11 paper only, either one double sided or two single sided pages.

No fold-outs or attachments to the fact sheet will be allowed. Students are expected to prepare their own fact sheets to use as reference material. The selection, extraction and condensation of supplementary material for your own use will help to reinforce learning. Use of another student's material, while not prohibited, will not be of the same value as preparing your own fact sheets.

#### **Exams**

- The final exam is cumulative
- Students must pass the final exam to pass BUAD 369
- OC Policies for exams are published in the online OC calendar. Students are expected to
  write exams at the scheduled times and dates. Medical certificate or other supporting
  documentation is required for approval of out-of-time exams.

# **Required Texts/Resources**

Canadian Tax Principles, 2016-2017 Edition, Byrd & Chen, Pearson Education Prentice Hall

# **Course Schedule**

| Date     |         | Topic  | Textbook   |  |
|----------|---------|--|--|--|
| Week of: |         | Tuesday, Jan 3 Classes begin Family Day Feb 13 & Feb 14 to 17 Reading Break – no classes Good Fri. Apr 14 & Easter Mon. Apr 17 – no classes/exams Monday, Apr 10 Last day of regularly scheduled classes |  |  |
| Jan      | 3       | GST/HST  | Ch 21  |  |
|          | 9       | GST/HST Loans to Employees, Stock Options Calculation of taxable income, individuals Home Relocation Loan Cumulative Eligible Capital  | Ch 21 Ch 3 (3-152 to 3-157) (3-163 to 3-182) Ch 4 (4-9 to 4-12) Ch 5 (5-84 to 5-114) |  |
|          | 16      | Review Reconciliation to Income for Tax Purposes Thin Capitalization Automobile Ownership and Leasing Specific Deductions, Special Business Income Situations  | Ch 6 (6-1 to 6-172)  |  |
|          | 23      | Mid-term #1 (Chapters 21, 3, 5, & 6) Capital Gains and Losses - Application of Rules   | Ch 8 (8-42 to 8-71,<br>8-93 to 8-168)  |  |
| Jan      | 30      | Capital Gains and Losses - Application of Rules  | Ch 8 (8-42 to 8-71,<br>8-93 to 8-168)  |  |
|          |         | Non Arms-Length Transactions   | Ch 9 (9-141 to 9-185)  |  |
| Feb      | 6       | Taxable Income and Tax Payable for Individuals Revisited   | Ch 11  |  |
|          | 13      | Reading Week   |  |  |
|          | 20      | Taxable Income and Taxes Payable for Corporations  | Ch 12  |  |
|          | 27      | Taxable Income and Taxes Payable for Corporations Mid-term #2 (Chapters 8, 9, 11 & 12)   | Ch 12  |  |
| Mar      | 6       | Taxation of Corporate Investment Income  | Ch 13  |  |
|          | 13      | Taxation of Corporate Investment Income Corporate Taxation and Management Decisions  | Ch 13<br>Ch 15   |  |
|          | 20      | Corporate Taxation and Management Decisions  | Ch 15  |  |
|          | 27      | Other Issues In Corporate Taxation   | Ch 14 (14-1 to 69;<br>14-74 to 14-113)   |  |
| Apr      | 3       | Other Issues In Corporate Taxation   | Ch 14 (14-1 to 69;<br>14-74 to 14-113)   |  |
|          |         | Procedures and Administration  | Ch 2   |  |
|          | 10      | Procedures and Administration Final Review   | Ch 2   |  |
| Apr      | 12 - 26 | Final Exam Period  |  |  |

#### SKILLS ACROSS THE BUSINESS CURRICULUM

The Okanagan School of Business promotes core skills across the curriculum. These skills include reading, written and oral communications, computers, small business, and academic standards of ethics, honesty and integrity.

#### STUDENT CONDUCT AND ACADEMIC HONESTY

#### What is the Disruption of Instructional Activities?

At Okanagan College (OC), disruption of instructional activities includes student "conduct which interferes with examinations, lectures, seminars, tutorials, group meetings, other related activities, and with students using the study facilities of OC", as well as conduct that leads to property damage, assault, discrimination, harassment and fraud. Penalties for disruption of instructional activities include a range of sanctions from a warning and/or a failing grade on an assignment, examination or course to suspension from OC.

## What is Cheating?

"Cheating includes but is not limited to dishonest or attempted dishonest conduct during tests or examinations in which the use is made of books, notes, diagrams or other aids excluding those authorized by the examiner. It includes communicating with others for the purpose of obtaining information, copying from the work of others and purposely exposing or conveying information to other students who are taking the test or examination."

Students must submit independently written work. Students may not write joint or collaborative assignments with other students unless the instructor approves it in advance as a group/team project. Students who share their work with other students are equally involved in cheating.

#### What is Plagiarism?

Plagiarism is defined as "the presentation of another person's work or ideas without proper or complete acknowledgement." It is the serious academic offence of reproducing someone else's work, including words, ideas and media, without permission for course credit towards a certificate, diploma, degree and/or professional designation. The defining characteristic is that the work is not yours.

"Intentional plagiarism is the deliberate presentation of another's work or ideas as one's own." Intentional plagiarism can be a copy of material from a journal article, a book chapter, data from the Internet, another student, work submitted for credit in another course or from other sources.

"Unintentional plagiarism is the inadvertent presentation of another's work or ideas without proper acknowledgement because of poor or inadequate practices. Unintentional plagiarism is a failure of scholarship; intentional plagiarism is an act of deceit."

#### What are the Students' Responsibilities to Avoid Plagiarism?

Students have a responsibility to read the OC Plagiarism Policy and Procedures outlined in the OC calendar, which is available in online format <a href="www.okanagan.bc.ca">www.okanagan.bc.ca</a>. Students must acknowledge the sources of information used on all their assignments. This usually involves putting the authors' name and the year of publication in parentheses after the sentence in which you used the material, then at the end of your paper, writing out the complete references in a Reference section.

"Students are responsible for learning and applying the proper scholarly practices for acknowledging the work and ideas of others. Students who are unsure of what constitutes plagiarism should refer to the UBC publication "Plagiarism Avoided; Taking Responsibility for your Work". This guide is available in OC bookstores and libraries.

Students are expected to understand research and writing techniques and documentation styles. The Okanagan School of Business requires the use of the APA or MLA style, but suggests that students cite references using the APA guidelines (see Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association, 6<sup>th</sup> edition (2009). A copy of the APA manual is available in the reference section and also available for circulation from OC libraries. The library website has access to these two major citing styles.

# What are the Penalties for Plagiarism and Cheating?

The Okanagan School of Business does not tolerate plagiarism or cheating. All professors actively check for plagiarism and cheating and the Okanagan School of Business subscribes to an electronic plagiarism detection service. All incidents of plagiarism or cheating are reported and result in a formal letter of reprimand outlining the nature of the infraction, the evidence and the penalty. The Dean of the Okanagan School of Business and the Registrar record and monitor all instances of plagiarism and cheating. Penalties for plagiarism and cheating reflect the seriousness and circumstances of the offence and the range of penalties includes suspension from OC.