About the Agreement

The Aboriginal Financial Officers Association (AFOA) of Canada and the Edwards School of Business at the University of Saskatchewan (U of S) have agreed to work together to establish a transfer agreement for academic programming in support of the growing Aboriginal population in Canada.

Students who graduate with an Aboriginal Financial Management (AFM) Diploma with a minimum overall program grade point average of 65% will be conditionally admitted to the B.Comm. program. Students must take the Mathematics Placement Test prior to September in the year of their admission and earn a grade of 70% or higher in order for their conditional admission to be changed to full admission. If the student does not attain a minimum grade of 70%, they must successfully complete MATH 102.3: University Pre-Calculus within their first year of study to be fully admitted to the B.Comm. program.

Students admitted under this transfer agreement will receive credit for 42 credits (14 classes), allowing them to complete the program in approximately 2.5 years on the basis of full-time study. Any successfully completed courses from other post-secondary institutions will also be assessed for credit at the time of admission. Edwards will allow students to transfer up to a total of 60 credit units (out of 120) of transferable courses from another college or institution.

All applicants to Edwards will follow the U of S transfer student admissions process. The September admission deadline is **February 15** and the January admission deadline is **December 1**. All applicants must ensure that original transcripts are sent directly from AFOA to the U of S Transfer Credit Office. For further information and to apply visit [www.explore.usask.ca](http://www.explore.usask.ca).

Transfer Credit

AFM diploma students will receive credit for the following courses:

- **COMM 100.3** - Business Communications
- **COMM 201.3** - Introduction to Financial Accounting
- **COMM 203.3** - Introduction to Finance
- **COMM 210.3** - Introduction to Management Accounting
- 15 credits of 100 level non-COMM electives
- 15 credits of free senior electives

Total = 42 transfer credits out of 120 credits to complete a B.Comm. degree

**Note:** Students transferring with the AFM diploma will receive an exemption from **COMM 119.3:** Skills for Academic Success and register in a 3-credit 300 or 400-level COMM class in its place.