

# GAMING LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE PROGRAM

+ ATHABASCA UNIVERSITY

+ CANADIAN GAMING CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE

## GAMING LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATE PROGRAM FAQ's

### **Where does the program take place?**

Wherever you are, your campus is right there since all learning is online. **There is no travel involved.**

### **Tell me about the online learning environment?**

The online learning environment consists of readings, discussions, case studies and assignments that are delivered via your computer. Some classes are delivered live and accessible at later times. The minimum requirements for students using a Mac or PC are access to a web browser, email, and the software capability to submit assignments as Word documents.

### **What are the program pre-requisites?**

There are no prerequisite degrees or certificates required to enroll in the Gaming Leadership Certificate program, only that you have gaming management experience and aspire to be a leader in today's gaming industry. Since the leadership courses are gaming-related, case studies and online discussions will address leadership-level strategy decisions within the casino environment. Candidates with gaming management experience will benefit the most.

### **How many courses are in the *Gaming Leadership Certificate Program*?**

The Gaming Leadership Certificate Program consists of 9 courses:

- 4 course through Athabasca University (AU)
- 5 courses/webinars through the Canadian Gaming Centre of Excellence (CGCE).

### **What is the program length?**

It takes only 13 short months to complete the entire *Gaming Leadership Certificate Program*. The program starts yearly in November. You can also choose to take one or more of the courses on their own to satisfy your interests for personal or professional development.

### **Who are the best candidates for this program?**

Since the leadership courses are gaming-related, case studies and online discussions will address leadership-level strategy decisions within the casino environment. Candidates with gaming management experience will benefit the most. Job titles include, but are not limited to, Directors and Department Managers from the following Gaming/Casino areas: Gaming Operations (Table Games, Slots, Bingo), Finance (Bank/Cage, Countroom, Audit), Marketing, Human Resources, Communication, Security/Surveillance, Food & Beverage, Property Services, Technology Services and Gaming Regulators. Ideal candidates plan to pursue senior leadership positions in gaming.

### **Tell me more about the Athabasca University courses for the *Gaming Leadership Certificate Program*.**

There are four gaming leadership courses that represent the core certificate program, taken through Athabasca University. Each 4-week course costs **\$1107.00 Cdn**. Each 4 week course is worth 1 credit hour for Athabasca's MBA program. Successful completion of 3 – 1 credit courses can be used towards an elective credit in the Athabasca University MBA program. For course information and to register go to [www.mba.athabascau.ca](http://www.mba.athabascau.ca) under Leadership and Management Development.

### **Tell me more about the Canadian Gaming Centre of Excellence courses for the *Gaming Leadership Certificate Program*.**

There are 5 courses/webinars that provide the technical gaming leadership knowledge and industry current issues/trends that are delivered through the Canadian Gaming Centre of Excellence. For course information and to register go to [www.gamingcentreofexcellence.ca](http://www.gamingcentreofexcellence.ca) under Gaming Leadership Certificate Program.

CGCE Technical Gaming Leadership courses - each 4-week course costs **\$795.00 Cdn**. Selected courses may be eligible for course credits towards the *Certificate in Gaming Management* from the University of Nevada, Reno.

CGCE Leadership Webinars - each webinar series consists of 3 1-hour sessions over a 3 week period. Each series costs **\$295.00 Cdn**. Selected webinar courses may be eligible for course credits towards the *Certificate in Gaming Management* from the University of Nevada, Reno.

### **I still have more questions about the *Gaming Leadership Certificate Program*.**

No problem! Contact the Canadian Gaming Centre of Excellence at [gamingcentreofexcellence@mlc.mb.ca](mailto:gamingcentreofexcellence@mlc.mb.ca) or by phone at 204 957 2504 ext. 8498/1456.