Are you ready?

- To reduce the number of hours you work part-time outside the program in order to accommodate a demanding class workload and placement schedule. We recommend you do not exceed 15 hrs/wk of part-time work. Keep in mind that some classes may start as early as 7 a.m. and lateness/absence is not acceptable.
- To apply basic math skills to accounting, budgeting and business planning.
- To enhance your English communication skills through in-class participation and presentation delivery.

Did you know?

- Event planning is not about making flower arrangements; it’s about knowing who to call to get the flowers arranged, delivered, installed (on time!) and removed.
- It’s a bigger field than you might think. Aside from wedding planning there are lots of different areas that rely on event planners including local and global venues, catering companies, corporate offices, airlines, entertainment firms and wineries, just to name a few.

Chart Your Path Success

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**Preparation Tips**

- Attend and volunteer at events.
- Attend orientation.
- Read course outlines at georgebrown.ca/CO/gbc/programs/h131.html.
- Register on STU-VIEW® for a mandatory in-person English placement test and for your courses.
- Set up your georgebrown.ca email. This is how the college will keep in touch with you.
- Get your student ID card. It gives you access to many college services and activities, including the Library Learning Commons.
- Apply for financial aid and scholarships.

*Extra fees may apply
September or January. You may also choose to start in the spring program at George Brown College as an advanced standing student in.

Earn a diploma and a bachelor's degree. Qualified graduates of our Honours Bachelor of Business Administration (Hospitality) program at George Brown College as an advanced standing student in September or January. You may also choose to start in the spring bridging semester from May to August continuing into the degree program in September. This educational path requires a minimum grade point average of 2.7 to qualify. Talk to a program co-ordinator about articulation options.

For further information, see georgebrown.ca/transferguide.

Need career support?

Jump-start your job search with Career Services and Career Coach.

The Career Services centre offers support to students before, during and after their studies.

- Identify your strengths and develop your career skills.
- Use our online tools and interactive workshops to build your resume, cover letter and interview skills.
- Work one-on-one with a Career Advisor to start your career development.

Still unsure?

We can help you find the program that’s right for you.

Contact an Entry Advisor at 416-415-5000, ext. 2949 or collegeadvisor@georgebrown.ca.

Book an appointment using the Entry Advising Client Intake Form.

For inquiries related to H131 contact Program Co-ordinators: Paul Araujo ext. 6200 paraujo@georgebrown.ca & Doris Miculan-Bradley ext. 3179 dorisbradley@georgebrown.ca.

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