



CANADIAN AUDIT
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FOUNDATION

*Advancing public sector
accountability*

January 8 – February 7, 2027

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International Performance Audit Certificate Program

Advancing excellence in performance auditing through professional development.

CAAF International Performance Audit Certificate Program

01 Practitioner-Led Learning

Learn directly from our experienced instructors with extensive expertise in performance auditing, public sector governance and leading complex audits.

02 Practical Learning

Strengthen performance audit skills across the entire audit lifecycle—from planning and evidence collection to reporting and follow-up. Go beyond compliance to assess performance, identify opportunities for improvement, and deliver greater value through your audits.

03 Global Perspectives

Exchange ideas and leading practices with peers around the world while building lasting professional relationships. Gain new perspectives on public sector auditing through international collaboration and the sharing of diverse experiences.

04 Certificate

All participants will receive a certificate for the full program or for their selected week. Return to your organization equipped with practical knowledge, proven approaches, and renewed confidence to strengthen performance audit quality, enhance oversight, and contribute to better outcomes for citizens.

Experience Canada's Capital

Throughout the program, participants gain first-hand exposure to Canada's public institutions and governance through experiences such as visits to Parliament, the Office of the Auditor General of Canada, and other site visits. These experiences provide valuable insight into Canada's public sector and complement the program's classroom learning.

Participants will also experience Canada's capital through a variety of cultural and social activities. From visits to the Canadian Museum of History to ice skating on the Rideau Canal, attending a hockey game, and other uniquely Canadian experiences, these activities enrich learning, foster international collaboration, and create lasting professional connections.



Tentative Program Schedule

					Friday January 8	9
					Arrive in Canada	Day off
January 10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Welcome Brunch and Walking Tour	Orientation	Performance Audit Principles and Practices	Performance Audit Principles and Practices	Visit to Office of the Auditor General of Canada	Introduction to the Public Accounts Committee Process	Day off
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Winter Sports Day	Managing Auditor-Auditee Relationships	Interviewing Skills	Interviewing Skills	Leading Successful Audits Hockey Night in Canada	Leading Successful Audits	Day off
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
Day off	AI for Auditors	Managing Audit Projects	Managing Audit Projects	Auditee Site Visit Museum Night	Ethics and Organizational Culture	Day off
31	February 1	2	3	4	5	6
Winter Spa Day	Evidence Collection and Analysis	Evidence Collection and Analysis	Distilling Audit Findings	Report Writing	Tour of Parliament	Closing Dinner
7						
Return Home						

Choose the **Full Certificate Program** or **select one week.**

Organizations have different professional development needs. Participate in the full learning experience or join selected weeks that align with your learning priorities.

OPTION A

Full Certificate Program

Experience the full curriculum for USD 9,500 for 4 weeks of training, weekday lunches, and government site visits. Early bird pricing: USD 8,750 by November 15, 2026.

OPTION B

Select a Program Week

Select one week of the scheduled program for USD 3,000 including training, weekday lunches, and government site visits. Early bird pricing: USD 2,750/week by November 15, 2026.

Register now for limited spots

“As a performance auditor, this training helped me strengthen my ability in auditing. All of the courses are useful for my work. I will apply them on my audit project first to gain more knowledge and confidence, then share them with my colleagues.”

01

Contact us

Reach out to discuss your organization's professional development needs and learn more about the program at training@caaf-fcar.ca

02

Explore your Options

Consider the full certificate program or select the program week that best aligns with your organization's professional development priorities.

03

Confirm participation

Finalize your participation and receive program information, travel guidance, and pre-arrival materials.

PROGRAM DETAILS



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