

"The CPA Advantage Program provided knowledge and information regarding all aspects of the CPA program in detail. It allowed my colleagues and me to save time and have all our questions answered in the comfort of our own work environment.

CPA Alberta also offers support and assistance for prospective students, which positively impacted my decision to continue on to become a CPA. Overall, great experience and we will continue to support this initiative!"

Harman Dhesi CPA Candidate Accounting Clerk, Summit Valve and Controls



"As a volunteer, I've had many opportunities to attend CPA Alberta events. Interacting with aspiring CPAs and students of the profession is a rewarding experience and the best way to give back to a profession that has provided me so much." Mark Donnelly CPA, CA Director, ATB Capital



"My experience with the CPA Advantage Program has been great, and I would recommend it to other organizations. The lunch and learn sessions provide a comprehensive overview of the CPA program and get our staff excited about the prospect of becoming CPAs." Justin LaRocque CPA, CA



"I have worked with the CPA Advantage Program team for over seven years. Collaborating with the group has allowed our firm to stay on top of the latest professional requirements, trends and opportunities that support our existing students and allow us to recruit new ones! The CPA Advantage Program brings relevant exposure to employers and students through many events and sessions. The annual 'Meet Your Employer' event is an excellent opportunity for employers to meet prospective students and qualified candidates, and/ or build relations with other training offices. I highly recommend the program to other employers." Jeannette Blumentrath

Director of HR and Partnership Governance, Kingston Ross Pasnak (KRP)



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BENEFITS TO EMPLOYERS

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The CPA Advantage Program facilitates collaboration between employers and CPA Alberta to raise awareness about the CPA designation and the profession of accounting in the province.

In return, employers receive the following benefits:

Over 250 Chartered Professional Accountants volunteered at over 80 CPA Alberta recruitment events last year

DID YOU KNOW

NETWORKING Invitation to exclusive events Ø GUIDANCE

Onsite lunch-and-learn information sessions about CPA education programs to support employee professional development



Recognition on the CPA Alberta website, including corporate profile and logo

SUPPORT

Support and guidance to assist employees earn their CPA Practical **Experience Requirements**

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Explore the volunteer opportunities available at CPA Alberta's recruitment events



One-on-one advising sessions with CPA Alberta staff members to answer questions about the CPA designation



Exposure to Alberta CPAs through social media and the CPA Alberta job board

EXPOSURE

Opportunity to be acknowledged in *Dividends*, CPA Alberta's member magazine distributed to over 29,000 CPAs across the province

BECOME AN ADVANTAGE EMPLOYER

Below are some of the ways you can participate in the CPA Advantage Program:

Volunteer at **CPA** Alberta recruitment events Host onsite lunch and learns, and one-on-one CPA advising sessions Participate in CPA Alberta research surveys and provide insights and opinions

Participate in the **CPA** mentorship program

Exhibit at Meet Your Employer



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DID YOU KNOW

Being a mentor in the CPA **Professional Education** Program (CPA PEP) only requires a 15-hour time investment per year



To learn more, please email advantageprogram@cpaalberta.ca