



The SAIT website and Link is currently being updated to facilitate the newest UVM professional Development college level training program. This online training is designed for Utility Vegetation Management stakeholders who desire to learn about the full scope of the UVM business. It is a two year 6 - 10 week course program (240 hours). Typically UVM utility, contractor and consultant employees would desire this advanced training.

Currently under consideration are two credentials that will be issued by the Utility Arborist Association (international). After completing the academic portion of this training, a graduate may apply for an industry recognized credential, **Certified in Utility Vegetation Management**. There is a two year industry experience requirement as well.

For those that wish to achieve the advanced credential, an additional 60 hours of approved leadership and management self-directed courses will be required. Once successfully completed, an advanced credential is available, **Registered in Utility Vegetation Management**. This credential will require signing a code of ethics, three years minimum industry related experience and a continuing education requirement.

Final details will be published by early 2018.

In the meantime, the first of the six courses will begin Jan 15, 2018 and pre-registration is now available by emailing your intent to reserve a position in this class to Neil@uvma.ca

Pre-registration now available by emailing neil@uvma.ca for the Jan 15, 2018 start.

Utility Vegetation Management Program Courses				
Course Name	Start	Duration and Delivery Format	Course Length	Prerequisites
1. MNGT 1xx Introduction to Utility Vegetation Management (UVM)	January–March April–June September–November	10 weeks online	40 hours	None
2. MNGT 2xx UVM Program Management Fundamentals	January–March April–June September–November	10 weeks online	40 hours	MNGT 1xx
3. MNGT 3xx UVM Compliance & Stakeholder Management	January–March April–June September–November	10 weeks online	40 hours	MNGT 2xx

4. MNGT 4xx UVM Scope, Cost & Procurement Management	January–March April–June September–November	10 weeks online	40 hours	MNGT 3xx
5 . MNGT 5xx UVM Safety, Risk & Quality Management	January–March April–June if necessary September–November	10 weeks online	40 hours	MNGT 4xx
6. MNGT 6xx UVM Program Plan Project	January–March April–June September–November	10 weeks online	40 hours	MNGT 5xx
Advanced Training: Leadership & Management related.	Self-directed up to 2 years to complete	online	Minimum 60 hours	Successful completion of 240 hour training delivered by SAIT

SAIT will contact pre-registered students by December to finalize registration and payment. The cost is \$800.00 Cdn each of the six courses.