

## Summary of Lifetime Earnings Analysis by BC Stats

### High School Diploma Lifetime Earnings

<b>1.</b>	<b>High School Diploma</b>	<b>Earnings</b>
	Lifetime Earnings	\$1,840,000

### Additional Lifetime Earnings (over a high school diploma)

<b>2.</b>	<b>Credential</b>	<b>Earnings</b>
	Registered apprenticeship certificate (journeyperson with certificate of qualification)	\$524,000
	Undergraduate degree (all, excluding medicine, dentistry and veterinary medicine)	\$827,000
	Undergraduate degree in arts or science	\$577,000
	Undergraduate degree in engineering, business or health	more than \$1 million
	Apprenticeship or trades certificate or diploma	\$266,000
	Certificate or diploma – (certificate or diploma below a bachelor degree)	ranges between \$178,000 and \$370,000
	Master’s degree	more than \$1 million
	Medicine, dentistry or veterinary medicine	more than \$2 million

### Methodology

<b>3.</b>	<b>Data Source</b>	<b>Year</b>
	National Household Survey	2011
<b>4.</b>	<b>Cohort</b>	<b>Age Range</b>
	Years	19- 64
<b>5.</b>	<b>Employment</b>	<b>Activity</b>
	Weeks Worked per Year	40 to 52
	Hours Worked per Week	mostly 30 hours or more
<b>6.</b>	<b>Income</b>	<b>Source</b>
	Median Employment Income	before tax
<b>7.</b>	<b>Location of Study</b>	<b>Province</b>
	Province Credential Earned	British Columbia