



The National Graduate
School of Banking™

2023 APPLICATION FORM

1. Please fill out both pages of this application.
2. This form is a fillable pdf so please use your browser to type in your information. You will need Adobe Acrobat Reader®.
3. If you are not able to finish, you have the option of saving your form and completing it at another time.
4. Please remember to **print and sign** the completed application form.
5. Send your completed application via mail OR email:

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Bellevue, WA 98004

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QUESTIONS: Call (425) 278-0250

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE

All applicants must have at least five years of banking experience, related business experience, or a combination thereof.

Please list banking and/or related business positions held during the last five years:

Dates	Organization	Position
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Briefly describe your current responsibilities:

REQUIRED ACADEMIC UNDERSTANDING

Successful completion of PCBS course work requires prior knowledge of the fields of study listed below. PCBS offers prerequisite refresher course webinars in these academic areas for students who have not met these requirements or are in need of review in these areas. These webinars are offered at an additional fee.

FOR EACH OF THE FOLLOWING FIELDS OF STUDY, SELECT ONLY 1 BOX THAT BEST APPLIES

Financial Statement Analysis / Accounting

Must understand basic concepts of (1) the elements of financial statements; (2) analysis of transactions and accrual accounting concepts; (3) how the balance sheet, income statement and statement of cash flows interrelate; and (4) forecasting financial position. Commercial lending experience may provide useful background in financial statement analysis, but by itself does not satisfy this requirement.

I HAVE COMPLETED THE FOLLOWING COURSE WORK THAT SATISFIES THIS REQUIREMENT:

Course(s): _____

Where: _____ When: _____

▶ IF NO COURSE WORK IS COMPLETED THAT SATISFIES THIS REQUIREMENT, CHOOSE ONE OPTION BELOW:

I HAVE EXPERIENCE THAT SATISFIES THIS REQUIREMENT. Attached is a brief written statement that specifically documents my experience and how it provides me with an academic understanding of this required field of study. NOTE: Resumes are NOT acceptable for this purpose.

OR I HAVE NOT COMPLETED COURSE WORK, NOR HAVE THE EXPERIENCE THAT SATISFIES THIS REQUIREMENT but agree to take either PCBS webinars or equivalent college level coursework in order to satisfy the entrance requirements. I understand that the webinars are offered for an additional fee.

Corporate Finance

Must understand basic concepts of capital structures and shareholder wealth, including (1) assessment of risk; (2) calculation of time value of money; (3) cost-benefit analysis and estimating cash flows; (4) the cost of capital; (5) dividends, repurchases and other distribution methods.

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Economics / Bank Financial Markets

Must understand basic concepts of macro economics, including (1) monetary and fiscal policy; (2) financial markets, including fractional reserve banking; (3) creation of bank deposits; (4) the role of the Federal Reserve; and (5) principal financial instruments.

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The admissions committee reserves the right to deny any applicant who does not meet the requirements for admission or in order to maintain an appropriate balance in the student body. PCBS values diversity, equity and inclusion and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, sex, including pregnancy and gender identity, national origin, political affiliation, sexual orientation, marital status, disability, genetic information, age, parental status, military service or other non-merit factors.