

Heritage Conservation Education Program

Heritage Conservation Certificate

Attendees are welcome to attend individual talks and workshops, or they may choose to earn a Certificate in Heritage Conservation. Old School conservation workshops are designed for homeowners, building owners and professionals.

Heritage 101 is a full day introduction to conservation. Heritage 101, a house tour or three walking tours plus 15 additional electives credits earns a certificate from VHF.

Full Day Courses* 3 credits	2 - 4 hour Courses & Talks* 1 - 2 credits	House Tour or Walking Tours (3)
Heritage 101 (required) Building Exteriors (3) Building Interiors (3) Masonry & Foundations (3) Planning & Managing Your Project (3) Wood Window Maintenance and Repair (3) Sustainable Heritage Landscapes (3) Architectural Photography (3)	Navigating City Hall (2 credits) Heritage Projects Idea to Completion (2) Drafting a Conservation Plan (2) Write a Statement of Significance (2) Researching the History of a Building - Vancouver Archives (1) - VPL Special Collections (1) Stripping Painted Wood Surfaces (1) Zoning Walks (1) Energy Efficiency Workshop (1) Heritage Paint Schemes (1) Masonry Workshop (2) Electrical Safety in Older Buildings (2) The Vancouver Heritage Register & Heritage Designation (2) <i>Brown Bag & Evening Lectures qualify for 1 credit each, to a maximum of 3.</i>	Heritage House Tour Vancouver Special Tour Laneway House Tour Neighbourhood Heritage Tour or Three Walking Tours

*Please note all courses are subject to change, and not all previous and currently available courses are listed here. Check our website or contact us for course offerings and available credits.

Take Heritage 101, the full-day introductory course, as early as possible to gain an understanding of heritage conservation. Then earn 15 additional credits across full day and shorter workshops and talks, and attend either a house tour or three walking tours to earn a Certificate in Heritage Conservation from Vancouver Heritage Foundation. There is no additional fee to receive the Certificate. Courses range from \$130 for whole-day classes (before tax) to \$16 for an Evening Lecture. Prices vary, please see the website for details, course and lecture descriptions, and dates.

Completion of the Certificate by earning 18 credits can take 2 years depending on course schedules. Not all courses are offered every year and courses must meet minimum registration requirements to proceed. All courses are delivered by heritage professionals working in the fields of architecture, trades & construction, heritage conservation, planning, landscaping and related professions.

All courses are eligible to receive Professional Development Credits from AIBC, AIC-BC, BCSLA, BOABC, PIBC and IDIBC. All organizations are self-reporting including AIBC.