



Accounting and Investment Services

Companies primarily engaged in auditing accounting records; designing accounting systems; preparing financial statements; developing budgets; preparing tax returns; processing payrolls; bookkeeping; and billing. Also, companies engaged in financial transactions (that is, transactions involving the creation, liquidation, or change in ownership of financial assets) or in facilitating financial transactions.



2017 Median Hourly Wages in Leeds and Thousand Islands and Gananoque

Financial auditors and accountants.....	\$41.00
Accounting technicians and bookkeepers.....	\$19.11
Accounting and related clerks.....	\$21.76
Supervisors, finance and insurance office workers.....	\$23.96

INDUSTRY OPPORTUNITIES



- Gananoque and TLI are in a growth pattern with 3 approved condo developments in 2018
- As Bank of Canada increases interest rates, demand for saving and investment vehicles will rise
- Many people are still looking to have in person tax advice and tax returns preparation services

Residents within a 30 minute drive

Local Networks

Local Advantage



Degrees Earned

12,855 Business; management; marketing and support



1 H&R Block serving the population

2 Bookkeeping companies serving the population

Total 5 companies provide complete accounting services locally



Keys Jobs Centre

Offers expertise in employment and employment related services



Business friendly administration



Dedicated fibre (select areas)



Quality of Life

- Affordable housing
- Waterfront access
- Countless outdoor activities
- No rush hour traffic
- 1000 Islands to explore
- Extensive community resources



Transportation

- Access to Via Rail
- 3 Highway 401 exits
- Home to 1000 Islands International Bridge to US Interstate 81



Jobs for Accounting and related clerks grew by 17% in the last 5 years

Jobs for Supervisors, finance and insurance office workers grew by 30% in the last 5 years



TOP SUCCESS FACTORS FOR A BUSINESS

- Experienced work force
- Being part of a franchising chain
- Provision of personalized services
- Well developed internal processes

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