

GRADUATE CERTIFICATE of CHARTERED ACCOUNTING FOUNDATIONS



Deakin University offers graduates an opportunity to pursue this highly-regarded professional qualification.

Course summary

Mode of delivery: Cloud (online)

Duration: one year to 18 months part time

Commence: Trimester 2

Fees: One unit will be pro rata at .50 of the full fees.

Course overview and admission requirements

The Graduate Certificate of Chartered Accounting Foundations (GCCAF)¹ has been developed to meet the requirements of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia. It is designed for individuals who hold a non-accounting bachelors degree and wish to pursue a career in chartered accounting. The course is supported by the Institute and will enable students to acquire a basic grounding in financial accounting, management accounting, finance, taxation, audit and corporations law. Having completed the GCCAF, a non-accounting graduate will have satisfied the academic entry requirements² of the Institute's Graduate Diploma of Chartered Accounting (GradDipCA). The Institute's GradDipCA is available in Australia, Singapore and Malaysia only.

Professional recognition

Upon successful completion of this course, non-accounting graduates will have acquired basic grounding in six core knowledge areas which will allow them to enter The Institute of Chartered Accountants GradDipCA (the Chartered Accountants Program). To be eligible to enrol in the GradDipCA, applicants need to be employed by an Institute-approved employer in Australia, Singapore or Malaysia; be working in a relevant accounting role; and have a Chartered Accountant mentor.

Course structure

The course comprises four credit points of study (eight core units at 0.5 credit points each). Duration of the course is 12 months (or 18 months part-time) via off-campus study. Deakin's innovation in flexible learning enables students to study from any location worldwide.

Course structure	2014 Trimester of offer		
Unit	1	2	3
MAA774 Management Accounting	•	•	
MAA775 Auditing	•		•
MAA776 Financial Accounting 1	•	•	•
MAA777 Financial Accounting 2*	•	•	•
MAA778 Financial Accounting 3*	•	•	•
MAF721 Finance	•		•
MLC711 Commercial and Corporation Law		•	•
MLC712 Taxation		•	•

For more information about the Graduate Certificate of Chartered Accounting Foundations, including fees and charges, course structure, units, admission requirements and obtaining a qualification assessment, how to apply, and closing dates for applications, please visit: www.deakin.edu.au/gccaf

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The Institute of Chartered Accountants' National Customer Service Centre Phone 1300 137 322 (within Australia) or +61 2 9290 5660 (International) Fax +61 2 9262 4841 Email service@charteredaccountants.com.au

¹M537 Graduate Certificate of Chartered Accounting Foundations (GCCAF) will be offered until Trimester 3 2014 in its current format.



² For information on the requirements to become a Chartered Accountant go to www.charteredaccountants.com.au/A122361351

^{*} These units have prerequisites; please check the Deakin University Handbook at www.deakin.edu.au/handbook