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These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's <u>core regulations for undergraduate programmes</u>.

BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement (N302)

1. This programme is available at Queen's Campus, in a full-time mode of study.

Level 1 (Certificate)

2. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Foundations of Finance #	ECOS1011	20
Introduction to Economics	ECOS1031	20
Introduction to Financial Accounting #	ECOS1081	20
Quantitative Methods #	ECOS1101	20
People, Management and Organisations	<u>BUSS1141</u>	20
Introduction to Management Accounting #	ECOS1151	20

Level 2 (Diploma)

3. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Auditing and Assurance	BUSS2091	20
Corporate Financial Reporting#	BUSS2071	20
Management Accounting#	BUSS2061	20
Corporate Finance #	ECOS2011	20

4. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 40 credits from List A:

List A:		Credit value
Macroeconomics and International Finance for Business	ECOS2131	20
Microeconomics for Business	ECOS2121	20
Introduction to Financial Econometrics	ECOS2161	20
Financial Markets and Risk Management	ECOS2141	20
Principles of Business Law	BUSS2051	20
Introduction to Taxation	BUSS2151	20
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the	-	20
University's Centre for Foreign Language Study		

Year 3 (Placement)

5. Candidates will undertake an approved work placement of not less than 40 weeks. They must have successfully completed 240 credits at Levels 1 and 2 to progress to the placement. Candidates will be assessed at threshold level by continuous assessment of performance during the placement and a final report. Assessment does not contribute to the marks used to determine the award of degree but successful completion is required to qualify for the BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement.

Level 3 (Degree)

6. Candidates shall study and be assessed in the following modules:

		Credit value
Dissertation	ECOS3032	40
Financial Planning and Control	BUSS3061	20



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Contemporary Issues in Financial Accounting	BUSS3051	20
Financial Theory and Corporate Policy	ECOS3241	20

7. Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 20 credits from List B:

List B:		Credit value
Corporate Governance	BUSS3101	20
Security Investment Analysis	ECOS3261	20
Financial Econometrics	ECOS3221	20
International and Multinational Finance	ECOS3211	20
Financial Engineering	ECOS3251	20
Behavioural Finance	ECOS3331	20
Corporate Responsibility	BUSS3191	20
Strategy and International Business	BUSS3181	20

Assessment, progression and award

- 8. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the ordinary degree at the next Level.
- 9. A student who is registered for the BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement who wishes to transfer to the MAcc Financial Accounting with Business Placement and is suitably qualified to do so, in accordance with the Core Regulations, shall be permitted to transfer subject to the approval of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.
- 10. A student who is registered for the MAcc Financial Accounting with Business Placement who wishes to transfer to the BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement shall be permitted to transfer subject to the approval of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.
- 11. Candidates who fail to achieve the standard required under the Core Regulations for progression to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement may progress to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Finance in the Honours or Ordinary stream in accordance with the Core regulations.

Professional accreditation

12. Durham University Business School is accredited by the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) for a period of three years from 2010 and by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) for a period of five years from 2009.