

These programme regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's [core regulations for undergraduate programmes](#).

MAcc Financial Accounting with Business Placement (N403)

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
Introduction to Financial Accounting #	ECOS1081	20
Introduction to Management Accounting #	ECOS1151	20
People, Management and Organisations	BUSS1141	20
Foundations of Finance #	ECOS1011	20
Introduction to Economics	ECOS1031	20
Quantitative Methods #	ECOS1101	20

Level 2 (Diploma)

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

		Credit value
Corporate Financial Reporting #	BUSS2071	20
Management Accounting #	BUSS2061	20
Auditing and Assurance	BUSS2091	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
Principles of Business Law	BUSS2051	20
Macroeconomics and International Finance	ECOS2131	20
Microeconomics	ECOS2121	20
Introduction to Taxation	BUSS2151	20
Introduction to Financial Econometrics	ECOS2161	20
Financial Markets and Risk Management	ECOS2141	20
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study	-	20

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 Masters in Financial Accounting with Business Placement.

Level 3 (Degree)

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

		Credit value
Dissertation	ECOS3032	40
Contemporary Issues in Financial Accounting #	BUSS3051	20
Financial Planning and Control #	BUSS3061	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
Corporate Responsibility	BUSS3191	20
Behavioural Finance	ECOS3331	20
International and Multinational Finance	ECOS3211	20
Financial Engineering	ECOS3251	20
Strategic Management	BUSS3261	20

Level 4 (Masters)

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

		Credit value
Accounting Theory ¥	ECOS4011	20
Research Project ¥	BUSS4025	100

Assessment, progression and award

9. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the Ordinary stream at the next level.
10. Modules marked with a ¥ must be taken in conjunction with each other.
11. At Level 2 a student who fails to achieve the standards required under the Core Regulations for progression to Level 3 of the MAcc Financial Accounting with Business Placement but who achieves the standard required for progression to Level 3 of a Bachelors programme may progress to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Finance in the Honours or Ordinary stream in accordance with the Core Regulations.
12. At Level 2 a student who is qualified to progress from Level 2 to level 3 of the MAcc Financial Accounting with Business Placement but wishes to transfer to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement shall be permitted to do so.
13. A student whose achievement at the end of Level 3 does not qualify them to proceed to Level 4 may be awarded the degree of BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement Honours or Ordinary in accordance with the Core Regulations for the award of a Bachelors degree.
14. A student whose achievement at the end of Level 4 does not qualify them to be awarded the degree of MAcc Financial Accounting with Business Placement may be awarded the degree of BA Accounting and Finance with Business Placement with Honours in accordance with the Core Regulations for the award of a Bachelors degree.

Professional accreditation

15. Durham University Business School is accredited by the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) for a period of three years from 2014 and by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) for a period of five years from 2013.