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

BA Accounting and Management (NN42)

BA Accounting and Management with Placement Year (N204)

BA Accounting and Management with Study Abroad (N206)

1. This programme is available at Durham City, 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 # | ECON1141 | 20 |
| Introduction to Management Accounting # | ECON1111 | 20 |
| Foundations of Finance # | ECON1131 | 20 |
| Introduction to Economics | ECON1101 | 20 |
| Quantitative Methods # | ECON1151 | 20 |
| Business Environment and Functions | ECON1161 | 20 |

Level 2 (Diploma)

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

| | | Credit value |
|---------------------------------|----------|--------------|
| Corporate Financial Reporting # | ECON2211 | 20 |
| Management Accounting # | ECON2241 | 20 |
| Auditing and Assurance | ECON2251 | 20 |
| Corporate Finance # | ECON2191 | 20 |

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

| List A: | | Credit value |
|--|----------|--------------|
| Information Systems | BUSI2151 | 20 |
| Operations Management | BUSI2181 | 20 |
| Managing in a Global Environment | BUSI2131 | 20 |
| Principles of Business Law | ECON2231 | 20 |
| Entrepreneurship | BUSI2141 | 20 |
| Introduction to Taxation | ECON2201 | 20 |
| A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the University's Centre for Foreign Language Study | - | 20 |

Level 3 (Degree)

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

| | | Credit value |
|--|----------|--------------|
| Dissertation | ECON3322 | 40 |
| Contemporary Issues in Accounting | ECON3411 | 20 |
| Financial Planning and Control | ECON3421 | 20 |
| Contemporary Issues in Management Research | BUSI3261 | 20 |

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

| List B: | | Credit value |
|----------------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| Corporate Governance | BUSI3251 | 20 |
| Strategic Management | <u>BUSI3181</u> | 20 |
| Corporate Entrepreneurship | BUSI3171 | 20 |

| Leadership | BUSI3161 | 20 |
|---|----------|----|
| Real Estate Finance | ECON3341 | 20 |
| Islamic Economics and Finance * | ECON3331 | 20 |
| Corporate Responsibility | BUSI3241 | 20 |
| Big Data Analytics | BUSI3311 | 20 |
| Tax Planning for Business | ECON3431 | 20 |
| A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the | | 20 |
| University's Centre for Foreign Language Study | | |

Assessment, progression and award

- 7. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the Ordinary stream at the next level.
- 8. Modules marked with a * are not available in 2019-20.
- 9. A student who is registered for the MAcc Management Accounting programme and who wishes to transfer to the BA Accounting and Management programme shall be permitted to transfer subject to the approval of the Director of Undergraduate Studies.

Professional accreditation

10. Durham University Business School is accredited by the European Quality Improvement System (EQUIS) for a period of five years from 2017 and by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) for a period of five years from 2019.

Year 3 (Placement Year / Study Abroad)

- 11. Students admitted to the BA Accounting and Management (NN42) are able to apply to transfer to the BA Accounting and Management (with Placement Year) programme (N204) or the BA Accounting and Management (with Study Abroad) programme (N206).
- 12. Candidates wishing to transfer to the BA Accounting and Management (with Placement Year) (N204) or the BA Accounting and Management (with Study Abroad) (N206) must:
 - a. have successfully completed Level 1 of the BA Accounting and Management (NN42) and progressed to Level 2 of the honours or Ordinary programme, and;
 - b. during the first term of Level 2 study, apply to the Director of Undergraduate Studies in the Business School to be admitted to the BA Accounting and Management (with Placement Year) (N204) or the BA Accounting and Management (with Study Abroad) (N206) and have their application approved by the Director of Undergraduate Studies in the Business School; and
 - c. successfully complete Level 2 of the BA Accounting and Management (NN42) so as to be eligible to progress to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Management (NN42) Honours programme.

Placement Year

- 13. Students 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. Student progress will be assessed at threshold level by continuous assessments of the student's 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 Management with Placement Year.
- 14. Students who the Board of Examiners for the Business School deem to have made satisfactory progress on the Placement Year will continue to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Management (with Placement Year) (N204). Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the placement year will not be permitted to continue on BA Accounting and Management (with Placement Year) (N204), but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Management (NN42) programme.

Study Abroad

- 15. Students will undertake an approved study placement in an overseas university. Student progress will be assessed at module level by the host University. 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 Management with Study Abroad. Students should pass a minimum of 40 ECTS credits, or equivalent, to successfully complete the year, as set out in their Learning Agreement.
- 16. Students who the Board of Examiners for the Business School deem to have made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will continue to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Management (with Study Abroad) (N206). Students who have not made satisfactory progress on the year abroad will not be permitted to continue on BA Accounting and Management (with Study Abroad) (N206), but must instead proceed to Level 3 of the BA Accounting and Management (NN42) programme.