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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 #	ACCT1041	20
Introduction to Management Accounting #	ACCT1031	20
Foundations of Finance #	ECON1131	20
Introduction to Economics	ECON1101	20
Quantitative Methods #	ECON1151	20
Business Environment and Functions	ACCT1051	20

Level 2 (Diploma)

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

		Credit value
Corporate Financial Reporting #	ACCT2031	20
Management Accounting #	ACCT2051	20
Audit and Assurance	ACCT2061	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	ACCT2041	20
Entrepreneurship	BUSI2141	20
Introduction to Taxation	ACCT2021	20
Banking and Finance Technology	ECON2281	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 – Accounting & Finance	ACCT3052	40
Contemporary Issues in Accounting and Finance	ACCT3021	20

Candidates shall also study and be assessed in modules to the value of 60 credits from List B:

List B:		Credit value
Corporate Governance	ECON3441	20
Strategic Management	<u>BUSI3181</u>	20
Corporate Entrepreneurship *	BUSI3171	20
Leadership	<u>BUSI3161</u>	20

Real Estate Finance	ECON3341	20
Islamic Economics and Finance *	ECON3331	20
Corporate Responsibility	BUSI3241	20
Big Data Analytics	ACCT3011	20
Strategic Management Accounting	ACCT3031	20
Advanced Auditing	ACCT3151	20
A credit-bearing language module such as those offered by the		20
University's Centre for Foreign Language Study		

Assessment, progression and award

- 6. Modules marked with a # must be passed at 40% or above in order to progress to the Ordinary stream at the next level.
- 7. Modules marked with a * are not available in 2021/22.

Professional accreditation

8. 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)

- 9. 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).
- 10. 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 Chair of the Board of Studies in the Department of Accounting 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 Chair of the Board of Studies in the Department of Accounting; 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

- 11. Students will undertake an approved work placement or work placements of not less than 40 weeks in total. 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.
- 12. Students who the Board of Examiners for the Department of Accounting 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

13. 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.

14. Students who the Board of Examiners for the Department of Accounting 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.