



Bachelor in Accounting (Honours)

Accredited by ACCA, CIMA, CPA Australia and ICAEW)

(R2/0411/6/0092) (01/29) (MQA/FA 0904)

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This programme provides a comprehensive foundation for students aspiring to build a career in accounting and finance. It encompasses key areas such as financial accounting and reporting, management accounting, taxation, auditing, corporate governance and public sector accounting. Through practical learning and the use of industry-relevant software, students develop strong analytical, technical, and problem-solving skills to evaluate financial data effectively across diverse business contexts.

Programme Overview

Delivery Mode:

Conventional, Open and Distance Learning

Duration of Study:

Full-Time: 3 years (9 semesters)

Part-Time: 5 years (15 semesters)

Intakes

January, May and September

Academic Schedule

- January : 14 weeks*
- May : 14 weeks*
- September : 14 weeks*

*Inclusive of exam period.

Areas of Knowledge

Financial Accounting and Reporting

Gain fundamental knowledge of bookkeeping principles and learn to prepare a complete set of financial statements in accordance with standard accounting practices.

Cost and Management Accounting

Develop a deeper understanding of cost concepts and terminology, including various techniques and strategies for effective cost management.

Taxation and Auditing

Understand the core principles of taxation and the fundamental concepts of auditing, with particular emphasis on external and statutory audits.

Comprehensive Accounting Foundation

Master key disciplines including financial reporting, management accounting, taxation, auditing and corporate governance to build a strong foundation for professional growth.

Why UNITAR?

Affordability

Various scholarships & financial aid options available.

Accessibility

Located in more than 20 locations nationwide, offering online and conventional programmes for flexible learning.

Employability

A strong network of over 135,000 alumni, with graduates excelling across diverse industries and career paths.

Community & Networking

Supported by 100+ Adjunct Professors who are industry leaders, providing valuable insights and mentorship.

UNITAR C.A.R.E.

We equip students with essential skills through our C.A.R.E. framework: Collaborative, Adaptive, Reflective and Entrepreneurial.

Admission Requirements

- Pass in Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM) or its equivalent, with a minimum of Grade C+ (GP 2.33) in two subjects; OR
- Pass in Sijil Tinggi Agama Malaysia (STAM) with a minimum grade of Jayyid (good); OR
- Pass in Diploma (Level 4, MQF) with minimum of CGPA of 2.50; OR
- Pass in Matriculation/Foundation qualification or its equivalent with a minimum CGPA of 2.50; OR
- Diploma in Accounting fields (Level 4, MQF) or equivalent with a minimum CGPA of 2.50. Candidates with a CGPA below 2.50 but more than 2.00 may be admitted subject to a thorough rigorous assessment; OR
- Diploma Kemahiran Malaysia (DKM) / Diploma Vokasional Malaysia (DVM) in Accounting fields with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 subjected to HEP Senate / Academic Board's approval; OR
- Diploma Lanjutan Kemahiran Malaysia (DLKM) in Accounting fields with a minimum CGPA of 2.50 subjected to HEP Senate / Academic Board's approval; OR
- Possess an Advanced Diploma (Level 5, MQF) in accounting or related field with a least a CGPA of 2.50; OR
- Other relevant and equivalent qualifications recognised by the Malaysian Government AND a credit in:
 - i. Mathematics at SPM level or its equivalent; OR
 - ii. Candidates with a pass in Mathematics at SPM level are required to take and pass the enhancement Mathematics subject that is equivalent to the SPM level. The enhancement Mathematics subject must be offered in the first semester or before enrolment with an unconditional offer.

Notes:

- Students are required to pass the reinforcement Mathematics and English subjects before being allowed to take related core courses. Candidates may enrol in any subjects that do not specify Mathematics and English as prerequisites.
- Reinforcement Mathematics and English can contribute to the overall graduating credits.
- Students from Matriculation/Foundation or its equivalent may be exempted from taking reinforcement Mathematics and English, provided that the Mathematics and English offered at that programme level are equivalent to or higher than those offered at the SPM level.

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English Requirements

International Students

- Achieve a minimum of Band 3.5 in MUET or equivalent to CEFR (High B1)

Courses

Year 1

- Principles of Management
- Principles of Economics
- Business Accounting
- Recreational Event Planning
- Principles of Finance
- Financial Reporting
- Audit and Governance
- Falsafah dan Cabaran Semasa / Malaysian Citra (Int)
- Human Behaviour and Decision Making
- Elective 1***
- Business Law
- International Business
- Quantitative Methods
- Aspirasi Negara Bangsa / Bahasa Melayu Komunikasi 2

Year 2

- Management Accounting
- Taxation
- Accounting Information System
- Integrity and Anti Corruption
- Leadership and Personal Development
- Company Law
- Public Sector Accounting
- Financial Management
- Corporate Reporting
- Design Thinking / Bahasa Kebangsaan A
- Strategic Management
- Accounting Theory
- Elective 2***
- Financial Technology Landscape
- Advanced Financial Management

Year 3

- Data Analytics in Accounting
- Audit and Assurance
- Forensic and Investigative Accounting
- Integrated Case Study
- Industrial Training (Part 1 & Part 2)

Electives

- Human Resource Management
- Organizational Behaviour
- Production and Operations Management
- Entrepreneurship
- Principles of Marketing
- Business Ethics

Career Prospects

- Financial and Management Accountant
- Auditor
- Tax Consultant
- Accounting Consultant
- AIS Specialist
- Forensic Accountant
- Corporate Finance Executive

Professional Exemptions Advantage

Up to 9 paper exemptions with ACCA and maximum exemptions with ICAEW, CIMA and CPA Australia.

CTIM Exemption

Graduates are eligible for up to five (5) paper exemptions from the Association of Chartered Tax Institute of Malaysia (Financial Accounting and Reporting, Personal Taxation, Economics, Business Taxation, Company and Business Law)

Industry and Professional Engagement

Engage with professional bodies through industry talks, visits and classroom activities.