

2023 Accounting Technician Approved Academic Course List



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This course list is for students commencing study in 2023 with the intention of satisfying the Accounting Technician academic entry requirements.



Auckland Institute of Studies

Bachelor of Business – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCT510	Accounting Systems and Processes	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCT610	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCT611	Management Accounting	Management Accounting
FINA610	Business Finance	Finance & Financial Management
LAWS510	Aotearoa New Zealand Business Law	Business Law
ACCT612	Taxation in Aotearoa New Zealand	Taxation
ECON510	Principles of Economics	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

Auckland University of Technology

1. Bachelor of Business – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCT502	Accounting Essentials	Accounting Systems and
ACCT602	Financial Accounting	Processes
ACCT602	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCT502	Accounting Essentials	Management Accounting
ACCT603	Management Accounting	
ACCT606	Financial Management for Accountants	Finance & Financial Management
ACCT605	Accounting Legal and Regulatory Framework	Business Law
ACCT604	Taxation	Taxation
ECON505	Business Economics and Data Analysis	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

Auckland University of Technology

2. Master of Professional Accounting – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCT860	Financial Accounting	Accounting Systems and
ACCT863	Accounting Information Systems	Processes
ACCT860	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCT861	Management Accounting for Business	Management Accounting
ACCT867	Finance for Accountants	Finance & Financial Management
ACCT869	Accounting Regulations and Business Law	Business Law
ACCT862	Taxation in New Zealand	Taxation
ECON863	Economics & Quantitative Methods	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

Lincoln University

Completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) of the following degrees and passed the following subjects:

Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting and Finance) Bachelor of Commerce (Agriculture and Professional Accounting)

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCT101	Accounting Fundamentals	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCT211	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCT202	Management Accounting	Management Accounting
FINC204	Financial Management	Finance & Financial Management
LWST114	Introduction to Commercial Law	Business Law
ACCT306	Taxation	Taxation
ECON113	Economies and Markets	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics



Massey University

1. Completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) of the following degrees and passed the following subjects:

Bachelor of Accountancy

Bachelor of Business (Accountancy)

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
110109	Introductory Financial Accounting	Accounting Systems and Processes
115112	Accounting for Business	
110209	Intermediate Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
110229	Management Accounting	Management Accounting
125230	Business Finance	Finance & Financial Management
115211	Business Law	Business Law
110289	Taxation	Taxation
115113	Economics for Business	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

Massey University

2. Master of Professional Accountancy and Finance– completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
110701	Accounting Systems	Accounting Systems and Processes
110702	Financial Accounting and Reporting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
110703	Management Accounting and Decision Making	Management Accounting
125702	Financial Management	Finance & Financial Management
115771	Law of Business	Business Law
110807	Tax	Taxation
178771	Economics	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

Te Pūkenga

- 1. New Zealand Diploma in Business (level 5) Accounting Strand successfully completed.
- 2. Bachelor of Accounting completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCY5101	Introduction to Accounting and Tax	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCY5102 ACCY6102	Applied Accounting Intermediate Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCY5104 ACCY6101	Budgets for Planning and Control Intermediate Management Accounting	Management Accounting
ACCY6104	Introduction to Finance	Finance & Financial Management
ACCY5105	Commercial Law	Business Law
ACCY6103	Taxation in Aotearoa New Zealand	Taxation
ACCY5106	Economics	Economics
ACCY7104	Professional Accounting Project	Ethics

Te Pūkenga Campuses: Mt Albert (Unitec), Ashburton (Ara), Madras Street (Ara), Timaru (Ara), Hawke's Bay (EIT), Tairawhiti Gisbourne (EIT), Palmerston North (UCOL), Whanganui (UCOL), Manukau (MIT), Marlborough (NMIT), Nelson (NMIT), Whangarei (NorthTec), Dunedin (Otago Polytechnic), Invercargill (SIT), New Plymouth (WIIT), Hamilton City (Wintec), Mokoia Rotorua (Toi Ohomai) and Windermere Taurange Campuses and Online delivery via Open Polytechnic and Southern Institute of Technology.



United Institute of Technology

Master of Professional Accounting – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACTY8101	Financial Accounting	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACTY8102	Advanced Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACTY8103	Strategic Management Accounting	Management Accounting
ACTY8107	Business Finance and Economics	Finance & Financial Management
ACTY8108	Business Law and The Business Environment	Business Law
ATY8104	Taxation	Taxation
ACTY8107	Business Finance and Economics	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

University of Auckland

2. Master of Professional Accounting – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
BUSMGT713	Financial Reporting and Control	Accounting Systems and Processes
BUSMGT731	Financial Reporting and Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
BUSMGT734	Strategic Management Accounting	Management Accounting
BUSMGT732	Business Finance	Finance & Financial Management
BUSACT701	Commercial and Corporate Law	Business Law
BUSACT703	Taxation for Business	Taxation
BUSMGT714	Economics for Managers	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

University of Auckland

1. Bachelor of Commerce – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
BUSINESS114	Accounting for Decision Making	Accounting Systems and
ACCTG102	Accounting Concepts	Processes
ACCTG211	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCTG221	Cost and Management Accounting	Management Accounting
FINANCE251	Financial Management	Finance & Financial Management
COMLAW101	Law in a Business Environment	Business Law
COMLAW301	Taxation	Taxation
BUSINESS115	Economics Markets and Law	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

University of Canterbury

1. Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting) – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCT102	Accounting and Financial Information	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCT103	Introduction to Financial Accounting	
ACCT211	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCT222	Management Accounting	Management Accounting
FINC201	Business Finance	Finance & Financial Management
ACCT152 OR LAWS101	Law and Business OR The Legal System	Business Law
ACCT254	Introduction to Taxation	Taxation
ECON104	Introduction to Microeconomics	Economics
ECON105	Introduction to Macroeconomics	
	Integrated	Ethics



University of Canterbury

2. Completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) of the following degrees and passed the following subjects:

Master of Professional Accounting

Postgraduate Diploma of Professional Accounting

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
MPAC601	Professional Accounting	Accounting Systems and
	Principles	Processes
MPAC602	Advanced	Financial
	Professional	Accounting and
	Accounting	Reporting
	Principles	
MBAZ601	Managerial	Management
	Accounting	Accounting
MBAZ603	Managerial Finance	Finance &
		Financial
		Management
MBAZ605	Business Law	Business Law
MPAC605	Taxation	Taxation
MBAZ602	Business Economics	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

University of Otago

Bachelor of Commerce – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCT102	Principles of Accounting	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCT211	Financial Accounting and Reporting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCT222	Cost and Management Accounting	Management Accounting
BSNS114	Financial Decision Making	Finance & Financial Management
BLAW211	Business Law Relating to Entities	Business Law
ACTP312	Taxation Practice	Taxation
BSNS113	Economic Principles and Policy	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

University of Waikato

1. Completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) of the following degrees and passed the following subjects:

Bachelor of Business

Bachelor of Management Studies (Honours)

Bachelor of Management Studies/Laws

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCTN102	Introductory Financial Accounting	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCTN202	Intermediate Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCTN203	Management Accounting for Organisational Control	Management Accounting
FINAN101	Introduction to Finance	Finance & Financial Management
OR LEGAL106 AND LEGAL204	Commercial Transactions OR Legal Systems and Societies AND Contracts	Business Law
ACCTN306	Taxation	Taxation
ECONS101	Business Economics and the New Zealand Economy	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics

University of Waikato

2. Master of Professional Accounting – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCTN570	Fundamental Accounting for Decision Making	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCTN571	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCTN573	Advanced Management Accounting	Management Accounting
ACCTN577	Performance Reporting	Finance & Financial Management
ACCTN576	Commercial and Corporate Law	Business Law
ACCTN575	Advanced Taxation	Taxation
ECONS506	Economics for Business	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics



Victoria University of Wellington

1. Bachelor of Commerce – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
ACCY225	Introduction to Accounting Systems	Accounting Systems and Processes
ACCY231	Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
ACCY223	Management Accounting	Management Accounting
FINA201 OR FINA211	Introduction to Corporate Finance OR Corporate Finance for Accounting and Business	Finance & Financial Management
COML203	Legal Environment of Business	Business Law
TAXN201	Introduction to Taxation	Taxation
ECON130	Microeconomic Principles	Economics
ECON141	Macroeconomic Principles	
	Integrated	Ethics

Victoria University of Wellington

2. Master of Professional Accounting – completed at least one year of FT study (or PT equivalent) and passed the following subjects:

Subject Code	Subject Name	Required Competence Area
MMPA501	Financial Accounting	Accounting Systems and Processes
MMPA506	Advanced Financial Accounting	Financial Accounting and Reporting
MMPA502	Management Accounting	Management Accounting
MMPA504	Finance	Finance & Financial Management
MMPA503	Business Law	Business Law
MMPA509	Taxation	Taxation
MMPA508	Economics	Economics
	Integrated	Ethics