

International Pathway Program (IPP) - 2023

Overview

The International Pathway Program (IPP) is designed for experienced members of designated overseas CA bodies (see eligibility criteria section for details) who are living in Australia or New Zealand and seeking CA membership of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (Chartered Accountants ANZ).

Eligible applicants have been assessed as having a sound technical knowledge acquired from their professional study and experience, therefore the IPP focuses on the role of the CA in the current Australian and New Zealand business environment. The IPP content moves away from compliance and encourages participants to evaluate and demonstrate the way in which they may apply their professional knowledge and skills to add value to their clients or employer as a ‘business partner’.

Structure and Assessment

The IPP involves online activities, workshop participation and presentations, and a written examination. All IPP content and assessment is delivered in English and participants are expected to have high proficiency in verbal and written English language.

The following participant competencies will be assessed during the IPP workshop:

Competencies	Assessment
Oral business communication	Individual workshop presentation
Written business communication	Written Exam (open book)
Business problem solving skills	Written Exam (open book)

The IPP workshop will be facilitated over a weekend and participants will have access to the online pre-workshop activities four weeks prior to the workshop via Chartered Accountants ANZ learning management system – myLearning. Participants will be required to prepare for the workshops by completing the pre-workshop activities.

Participants will be allocated to workshop teams and will work through the pre-workshop activities they have pre-prepared. This will involve team discussions, brainstorming, preparing for and supporting each other in the individual presentations delivered by each participant.

The workshop culminates in an individual, open book written exam (120 minutes duration including 20 minutes reading time) which will assess written communication and the participants’ ability to solve business problems.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible to undertake the IPP, applicants must meet all of the following criteria:

1. Be a current CA member in good standing of one of the following member bodies:
 - Institute of Chartered Accountants of Sri Lanka (CA Sri Lanka)
 - The Institute of Chartered Accountants of India (ICAI)
 - The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nepal (ICAN)
 - The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP)
 - The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB)
2. Admitted to membership through their home body's CA qualifying program.
3. Have a minimum of 5 years' CA membership with their home body.
4. Currently living in Australia or New Zealand
5. Have a minimum of 5 years post membership relevant experience including a period in a senior position i.e., manager, senior manager, partner or director etc.

2023 Key Dates

2023 Intake	SITS Offering Name	Workshop Location	Enrolment Open	Enrolment Close	My Learning Access	Orientation Webinar	Workshop Dates (includes exam)	Result Release
2023 IPP 1 (IPP123)	Term 1 Sydney	**Sydney Workshop (Face-to-Face)	12/4/2023	10/5/2023	16/5/2023	17/5/2023	16 – 18 June 2023	7/7/2023
2023 IPP 2 (IPP223)	Term 1 Virtual	*Virtual Workshop	12/4/2023	17/5/2023	23/5/2023	24/5/2023	23 – 25 June 2023	14/7/2023
2023 IPP 3 (IPP323)	Term 2 Melbourne	**Melbourne Workshop (Face-to-Face)	22/8/2023	19/9/2023	26/9/2023	27/9/2023	27 – 29 Oct. 2023	17/11/2023
2023 IPP 4 (IPP423)	Term 2 Virtual	*Virtual Workshop	22/8/2023	26/9/2023	3/10/2023	4/10/2023	3 – 5 Nov. 2023	24/11/2023

* The virtual IPP workshops require a minimum of 12 participants to run and each intake is capped to a maximum of 20 participants. CA ANZ reserves the right to cancel a workshop due to a lack of the minimum numbers of participants noted. Provisional members already enrolled in a workshop that is cancelled will be offered the opportunity to transfer to another workshop. Priority will be given to eligible applicants who have submitted complete documentation and payment by enrolment close date, and who have not previously attempted the IPP or CA Program modules.

** The Sydney F2F and the Melbourne F2F workshops may pivot to a virtual workshop due to any unexpected COVID-19 restrictions and lockdowns. It will require a minimum of 18 participants to run and will be capped to a maximum of 30 participants. CA ANZ reserves the right to cancel a workshop due to a lack of the minimum numbers of participants noted. Provisional members already enrolled in a workshop that is cancelled will be offered the opportunity to transfer to another workshop. Priority will be given to eligible applicants who have submitted complete documentation and payment by enrolment close date, and who have not previously attempted the IPP or CA Program modules.

2023 Fees

The following fees must be paid by credit card upon IPP application and include online learning materials, assessment fees and workshops. There is no additional fee charged for registration.

Australian-based Applicants - \$1500 AUD + GST

New Zealand-based Applicants - \$1590 NZD + GST

Application and Enrolment Process

To enrol in an IPP intake, applicants must first become an IPP provisional member by completing the online IPP Application Form available on the IPP page of the [Chartered Accountants ANZ website](#) and submitting with the following documentation as soon as possible before the intake enrolment close date:

1. A certified colour copy of your passport that confirms your name and includes your photo;
2. A certified copy of a letter of Good standing from your membership body, dated within 3 months of your application, confirming:
 - a. your membership number;
 - b. your date of admission as a CA member;
 - c. you have been a full member for a minimum of 5 years;
 - d. you are currently a CA member;
 - e. you completed their CA qualifying program;
 - f. you are in good standing and are compliant with all CPD requirements.;
3. A certified copy of a bill or other mailed document dated within 3 months of your application showing your name and current address in Australia or New Zealand;
4. A copy of your curriculum vitae (CV) showing your full employment history;
5. Employer letter/s on company letterhead verifying senior level experience including position title and employment period.

Upon approval as an IPP provisional member, you will receive an email notification confirming how to log in to myCA and submit your online enrolment. All IPP fees must be paid via credit card at the time of online enrolment. No requests for deferred payment will be approved.

Further Queries

Refer to further information and FAQs on [Chartered Accountants ANZ website](#)

Email any further queries to: ipp@charteredaccountantsanz.com