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# **COURSE REGULATIONS**

## **SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**

**MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING**  
**MPA**

**COURSE CODE: 5105**

THESE COURSE REGULATIONS ARE EFFECTIVE FROM 1.1.2014

## SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

1. These Course Regulations apply to all students who are enrolled in this Award on the Fremantle and Sydney Campuses.
2. The Dean is the responsible Executive of these Course Regulations.
3. The contact officer for this document is the Senior Administrative Officer, School of Business, Fremantle Campus.

## MODIFICATION HISTORY

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# 1 INTRODUCTION AND INTERPRETATION

## 1.1 Introduction

These Course Regulations apply to all students enrolled in the Master of Professional Accounting Award at The University of Notre Dame Australia.

These Regulations should be read in conjunction with the University's General Regulations and the School of Business Regulations.

## 1.2 Interpretation

The terms included in these Regulations have the meanings as defined in the University's General Regulations and the School of Business Regulations.

## 1.3 Amendments made to Course Regulations

Unless otherwise specified, when amendments are made to the structure, content or academic requirements of this Award, the amendments will automatically apply in accordance with General Regulation Section 1.7.

## 1.4 Applicability to Campuses of the University

This Award is available on the Fremantle and Sydney Campuses.

## 1.5 The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF)

The Master of Professional Accounting Award is a Level 9 AQF qualification.

## **2 ENTRY CRITERIA**

### **2.1 General Criteria**

The standard entry requirements for admission are detailed in the University's General Regulations and the School of Business Regulations.

### **2.2 Additional Entry Requirements / Pre-Requisites**

The following entry requirements apply to this Award:

2.2.1 A recognised undergraduate degree (or equivalent qualification) plus a minimum of five years' experience in managerial and/or supervisory roles.

OR

a Graduate Diploma in a business discipline.

2.2.2 Where the applicant does not meet the criteria in 2.2.1 above, the Dean may approve admission to this course if the Dean is satisfied that

- the applicant has sufficient background and/or experience in management/supervision; and
- the applicant has the skills necessary to complete postgraduate studies.

### **2.3 External Accreditation Requirements**

External accreditation requirements are applicable to this Award.

### **3 AWARD REQUIREMENTS**

#### **3.1 Structure**

For the Master of Professional Accounting Award Structure, refer to Appendix A.

##### **3.1.1 Compulsory Units**

350 Credit Points from units as detailed in Appendix A.

##### **3.1.2 Elective Units**

There are no elective units as in this Award.

##### **3.1.3 Majors and Double Majors**

There are no Majors available in this Award.

##### **3.1.4 Minors**

There are no Minors available in this Award.

##### **3.1.5 Specialisations**

There are no Specialisations permitted in this Award.

##### **3.1.6 Special Interest Units**

There are no Special Interest Units available in this Award.

#### **3.2 Special Award Requirements**

There are no special award requirements in this Award.

#### **3.3 Practicum or Internship requirements**

There are no Practicum or Internship requirements in this Award.

#### **3.4 Approved unit substitutions**

Unit substitutions, where permitted, must be approved by the Dean.

#### **3.5 Alternative Pathways**

An Alternative Pathway is not available for this Award.

#### **3.6 Volume of Learning**

##### **3.6.1 Standard Duration**

- (a) The standard duration for this Award is 1.8 years of full-time study.
- (b) A student is able to enrol in this Award on a part-time basis.

##### **3.6.2 Accelerated Duration**

Accelerated mode is not available for the Master of Professional Accounting Award.

##### **3.6.3 Maximum Duration**

The maximum period of time within which a student is permitted to complete the Master of Professional Accounting Award is five (including any periods of approved leave of absence) from the date on which they were first accepted into the course by the University.

#### **3.7 Graduation**

Where a student has satisfied all the requirements of the Master of Professional Accounting Award as detailed in these Course Regulations and the General Regulations, the University may grant the student graduation status.

#### **3.8 Exit Awards**

An Exit Award pathway is not available for this Award.

### **3.9 Honours**

The Master of Professional Accounting Award is not offered with Honours.

**END OF REGULATIONS**



**APPENDIX A:**

		<b># Credit Points</b>	<b>Totals</b>
<b>Compulsory Units</b>			
ET501	Business Ethics OR		
ET502	Ethical Issues in Professional Life	25	
BS500	Economics for Managers	25	
BS5103	Quantitative Methods for Business	25	
BS5106	Business Information Technology	25	
BS5152	Managerial Accounting and Control	25	
BS5153	Taxation	25	
BS5154	Auditing	25	
BS5155	Business Law	25	
BS5156	Company Law	25	
BS5158	Managerial Finance	25	
BS5161	Accounting	25	
BS5162	Financial Accounting	25	
BS5163	Accounting for Corporate Entities	25	
BS5164	Accounting Theory	25	
<b>Total Credit Points</b>			<b>350</b>