

**Recommended Study Plan
(Part-time Study Load - 2 Years)**

Master of Science in Professional Accounting and Corporate Governance (MScPACG)

Corporate Governance (CG) Stream

2019/2020 intake

Year 1	
Sem A	AC5601 Corporate Accounting I (CG required course)
	EF5010 Economics for Business (Core course)
	LW5962 Law Relating to Business and Companies (Core course)
Sem B	AC5602 Corporate Accounting II (CG required course)
	LW6913 Corporate, Employment and Business Law (CG required course)
	MGT5316 Human Resources Management (CG required course)
Summer	AC6531 Financial Management (Core course)
Year 2	
Sem A	AC5590 Business Ethics for Professional Accountants and Company Secretaries (CG required course)
	AC5690 Corporate Governance (Core course)
	AC6691 Companies and Securities Regulations and Practice (CG required course)
Sem B	AC6551 Advanced Taxation (Core course)
	MGT6514 Strategic Management and Business Policy (CG required course)
<i>Total credit units</i> <i>Minimum: 36 (5 core and 7 required courses)</i> <i>Maximum: 42 (Minimum + 2 optional elective courses)</i>	
Optional Electives (6 Credit Units) Semester A or B or Summer	<u>Two optional elective courses from:</u>
	AC5521 Cost and Management Accounting
	AC6541 Auditing
	AC6560 Accounting Information Systems
	AC6780 Professional Internship
	MS5720 Quantitative Decision Making Techniques

Recommended Study Plan
(Full-time Study Load - 1 Year, Regular-track OR 1.5 Years, Internship-track)

Master of Science in Professional Accounting and Corporate Governance (MScPACG)

Professional Accounting (PA) Stream

2019/2020 intake

Year 1		
Sem A	AC5511 Financial and Management Accounting (PA required course)	
	AC5690 Corporate Governance (Core course)	
	AC6531 Financial Management (Core course)	
	EF5010 Economics for Business (Core course)	
	LW5962 Law Relating to Business and Companies (Core course)	
Sem B	AC5512 Financial Reporting (PA required course)	
	AC5521 Cost and Management Accounting (PA required course)	
	AC6551 Advanced Taxation (Core course)	
	AC6560 Accounting Information Systems (PA required course)	
	MS5720 Quantitative Decision Making Techniques (PA required course)	
	Regular-track	Internship-track (optional)
Summer	AC6513 Corporate Accounting (PA required course)	AC6780 Professional Internship (Elective course)
	AC6541 Auditing (PA required course)	
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MGT6514 Strategic Management and Business Policy		

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Prescribed elective course for students with deficiencies in the business subjects for the purpose of registration with the HKICPA's new QP.

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Professional Accounting Stream

Approved Curriculum for Programme Accreditation

QP Associate Level Modules		Subjects required for module exemption
M1	Accounting	AC5511 Financial & Management Accounting
		AC5690 Corporate Governance
M2	Management Accounting	AC5511 Financial & Management Accounting
		AC5521 Cost & Management Accounting
M3	Business Economics	EF5010 Economics for Business
		MS5720 Quantitative Decision Making Techniques
M4	Business Management	AC5890 Business Management for Accountants (prescribed elective)
M5	Information Management	AC6560 Accounting Information Systems
M6	Financial Accounting	AC5690 Corporate Governance
		AC5511 Financial & Management Accounting
		AC5512 Financial Reporting
		AC6513 Corporate Accounting
M7	Financial Management	AC5521 Cost & Management Accounting
		AC6531 Financial Management
M8	Principles of Auditing	AC5690 Corporate Governance
		AC6541 Auditing
M9	Principles of Taxation	AC6551 Advanced Taxation
M10	Business & Company Law	AC5690 Corporate Governance
		LW5962 Law Relating to Business & Companies

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Intermediate Award

Required Courses for PGC and PGD of MScPACG			
Postgraduate Certificate in Professional Accounting and Corporate Governance			
Professional Accounting (PA) Stream		Corporate Governance (CG) Stream	
AC5511	Financial and Management Accounting	AC5601	Corporate Accounting I
AC5512	Financial Reporting	AC5602	Corporate Accounting II
AC5521	Cost and Management Accounting	AC6691	Companies and Securities Regulations and Practice
LW5962	Law Relating to Business and Companies	LW5962	Law Relating to Business and Companies
No. of credit units: 12			
Postgraduate Diploma in Professional Accounting and Corporate Governance			
Professional Accounting (PA) Stream		Corporate Governance (CG) Stream	
In addition to the 12 credit units for the Postgraduate Certificate requirements:			
AC5690	Corporate Governance	AC5690	Corporate Governance
AC6513	Corporate Accounting	AC6531	Financial Management
MS5720	Quantitative Decision Making Techniques	LW6913	Corporate, Employment and Business Law
PLUS <u>ONE</u> of the following courses:			
AC6523	Strategic Management Accounting	AC5590	Business Ethics for Professional Accountants and Company Secretaries
AC6531	Financial Management	AC6551	Advanced Taxation
AC6541	Auditing	EF5010	Economics for Business
AC6551	Advanced Taxation	MGT5316	Human Resources Management
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EF5010	Economics for Business		
LW6913	Corporate, Employment and Business Law		
No. of credit units: 24			

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