



DIPLOMA IN MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING



FACULTY OF
ACCOUNTING
& INFORMATICS

DEPARTMENT OF
MANAGEMENT
ACCOUNTING

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Diploma in Management Accounting (Accredited by CIMA)

NQF Level: 6

SAQA ID: 110829

Qualification Code:
DIMACI (DBN)
DMACEI (ECP)
DMACCI (PMB)

Location: Ritson Campus (Durban)
Riverside Site (Pietermaritzburg)

Description of the Programme

The qualification is designed to meet the needs of industry by equipping students with the relevant theory and practical based training in the field of Management Accounting and associated disciplines.

Career opportunities

Career opportunities exist in the Accounting and related fields. Diplomates can enter the job market in the private/public sector as Cost Clerks, Assistant Financial/Management Accountants, Budget Officers, and Finance Officers.

Explanation of Points scale:

SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC)		
SYMBOL	HIGHER GRADE	STANDARD GRADE
A	8	6
B	7	5
C	6	4
D	5	3
E	4	2
F	3	1

NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE (NSC)		
%	LEVEL	POINTS
90-100	7	8
80-89%	7	7
70-79%	6	6
60-69%	5	5
50-59%	4	4
40-49%	3	3
30-39%	2	2
20-29%	1	1

MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

GENERAL ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

A person will only be considered for registration for an instructional programme approved by the Institution's Senate if the person complies with:

- The minimum admission requirements stated in DUT general handbook (refer to DUT website for general handbook).
- Institutional faculty, departmental and/or instructional programme specific rules; and

MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS IN TERMS OF THE HIGHER EDUCATION QUALIFICATIONS SUB-FRAMEWORK (HEQSF)

G7 rule: For Diploma:

“a National Senior Certificate (NSC) as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training (Umalusi), with a minimum of achievement rating of 3 for English and a minimum achievement rating of 3 in four recognised NSC 20-credit subjects.”

Entry Requirements (Diploma in Management Accounting – 3 Year Programme)

NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE (NSC) (01 January 2009)		SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC) (PRE 2009)			NATIONAL CERTIFICATE VOCATIONAL (NCV)	
NSC DIPLOMA ENTRY		SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC)			(NCV) – LEVEL 4	
Compulsory Subjects	NSC Rating Code	Compulsory Subjects	HG	SG	Compulsory Subjects	Mark
English OR	3	English	E	D	At least 50% in THREE fundamental subjects including English	50%
English (1 ST additional)	4					
Mathematics OR	3	Mathematics OR	E	D		
Accounting	4					
And THREE 20 credit subjects (not more than one language)	3	Accounting	D	C		
OR		OR Pass in Maths or Accounting with 30 Points or more.			At least 60% in THREE compulsory vocational subjects.	60%
English OR	3					
English (1 ST additional)	4					
Mathematics Literacy	5					
And Accounting	4					
And TWO 20 credit subjects	3					

Selection Procedure: Meeting the minimum entry requirements does not automatically guarantee acceptance. It depends on the number of applicants and number of places allowed by DUT. A points system is used for admission to the Department of Management Accounting. Applicants are selected in order of merit, based on the subject list above, on a first-come first-served basis and may include an interview.

Please Note: These requirements represent the minimum and students will be ranked according to a points system. Those applicants who meet the minimum requirements but whose overall points rating could put them at risk of not coping with the demands of the regular programme, could be placed on the extended curriculum programme. The extended curriculum programme, through a purposeful and structured set of learning experiences will provide students with the academic foundations necessary for them to succeed on the regular programme

Diploma in Management Accounting (4 Year Extended Curriculum Programme-Durban)

NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE (NSC) (01 January 2009)		SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC) (PRE 2009)			NATIONAL CERTIFICATE VOCATIONAL (NCV)	
NSC DIPLOMA ENTRY		SENIOR CERTIFICATE (SC)			(NCV) – LEVEL 4	
Compulsory Subjects	NSC Rating Code	Compulsory Subjects	HG	SG	Compulsory Subjects	Mark
English OR	3	English	E	D	At least 50% in THREE fundamental subjects including English	50%
English (1 ST additional)	4					
Mathematics OR	3	Mathematics OR	E	D		
Accounting	3	Accounting	D	C		
And three 20 credit subjects (not more than one language)	3	OR Pass in Maths or Accounting with 30 Points or more.			At least 60% in THREE compulsory vocational subjects.	60%
OR						
English OR	3					
English (1 ST additional)	4					
Mathematics Literacy	5					
And Accounting	4					
And TWO 20 credit subjects	3					

NB: Applicants applying will be ranked according to the points system based on the ranking code per General Rule 7

OR

Admission Requirement based upon Work Experience, Age and Maturity

For admission to entry level DIPLOMA and certificate studies:

A person may, subject to such requirements as the Senate may determine, be admitted to the Institution even if such a person is not in a possession of a National Senior Certificate, Senior Certificate, or an equivalent certificate, provided that:

- (a) The person shall have reached the age of 23 in the first year of registration and shall have at least:
- three years' appropriate work experience; and/or
 - capacity for the proposed instructional programme, which shall be assessed at the discretion of the respective Head of Department by a Senate approved admission assessment comprising of a DUT Standardised Assessment Test for Access and Placement (SATAP), Academic Literacies (AI) & English for Academic Purposes (EAP) and/or an appropriate subject or programme specific written assessment designed and marked by the relevant Department; and
- (b) The relevant Faculty Board shall be satisfied that the person's standard of communication skills, ability to study successfully and/or work experience are such that the person, in the opinion of the relevant Faculty Board, should be able to complete the proposed instructional programme successfully. If required, the communication skills and study skills should be tested; and
- (c) The person's application for admission in terms of work experience, age and maturity is approved prior to registration.
- Applicants intending to gain admission through work experience, age and maturity must submit their applications at least four months before commencement of the academic year inclusive of the date of scheduling writing a requisite eligibility assessment.**

Tuition Fees

To assist you with your planning, the **2023** fees have been indicated. An increase for next year to accommodate the inflation rate can be expected.

Please Note: DUT cannot be held liable for the fees in this brochure as the **2024** fees are not yet final.

Diploma in Management Accounting (3 YEAR Programme)

First Year Curriculum				
Semester One	Subject Code	HEQSF Level	SAQA Credits	2023 Fees
Business Fundamentals I	BUFU101	5	12	R3400.00
Business and Information Systems IA	BUSY101	5	8	R3750.00
Commercial Law for Accounting I	COLA101	5	8	R3200.00
Cornerstone 101	CSTN101	5	12	R3580.00
Cost and Management Accounting IA	COMA101	5	12	R2650.00
Financial Accounting I A	FICCI01	5	12	R3770.00
Principles of Microeconomics I (Module I)	PRMI101	5	12	R3230.00
Values in the Workplace	VWKP101	5	8	R2380.00
Total				R25960.00
Semester Two				
Cost and Management Accounting IB	COMA102	5	12	3200.00
Principles of Macroeconomics	PRMA102	5	12	R3230.00
Financial Accounting I B	FICCI02	5	12	R3300.00
Quantitative Techniques IA	QUTE101	5	8	R3800.00
Total				R13530.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER 1&2			128	
Second Year Curriculum				
Semester One				
Cost and Management Accounting IIA	COMA201	6	12	R3200.00
Financial Accounting II A	FICCI201	6	12	R5070.00
Auditing II A	AUDI201	5	12	R3770.00
Commercial Law for Accountants IIA	COLA201	5	8	R3200.00
Business Fundamentals II	BUFU201	6	12	R3400.00
Taxation I	TAXT101	5	12	R3720.00
Total				R22360.00
Semester Two				
Cost and Management Accounting II B	COMA202	6	12	R3200.00
Financial Accounting II B	FICCI202	6	12	R3300.00
Auditing II B	AUDI202	5	12	R3770.00
Commercial Law for Accountants II B	COLA202	5	8	R3200.00
Business Information Systems IB	BUSY102	5	8	R3900.00
Quantitative Techniques IB	QUTE101	5	8	R3800.00
Total				R21170.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER 1&2			108	
Third Year Curriculum				
Semester One				
Applied Financial Accounting III A	APFA301	7	12	R2730.00
Management Accounting III A	MANA301	6	12	R2730.00
Taxation II A	TAXT201	6	12	R3720.00
Organisational Management IA	ORGM301	6	8	R2720.00
Entrepreneurial Spirit	ENSP101	6	12	R3720.00
Community Engagement	COME301	6	8	R2610.00
Corporate Procedures	CORP301	6	12	R2720.00
Total				R20950.00
Semester Two				
Applied Financial Accounting IIIB	APFA302	7	12	R2730.00
Management Accounting III B	MANA302	6	12	R2730.00

Taxation II B	TAXT202	6	12	R3720.00
Organisational Management IB	ORGM302	6	8	R2740.00
The Global Environment	GLEN301	6	8	R2230.00
Total				R14150.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER I&2			128	

Diploma in Management Accounting (4 Year Extended Curriculum Programme- Durban)

First Year Curriculum				
Semester One	Subject Code	HEQSF Level	SAQA Credits	2023 Fees
Accounting Professional Practice IA	ACPR101	5	8	-
Quantitative Literacy	QTLT101	5	8	-
Cornerstone 101	CSTN101	5	12	R3580.00
Financial Accounting IA	FICC101	5	8	R3300.00
Business Information Systems IA	BUSY101	5	8	R3750.00
Total				R10630.00
Semester Two				
Financial Accounting IB	FICC102	5	8	R3150.00
Commercial Law for Accounting I	COLA101	5	8	R3070.00
Quantitative Techniques IA	QUTE101	5	8	R3630.00
Business Fundamentals I	BUFU101	5	12	R3250.00
Accounting Professional Practice IB	ACPR102	5	8	-
Total				R13700.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER I&2			88	
Second Year Curriculum				
Semester One				
Principles Microeconomics	PRMI101	5	12	R3230.00
Cost and Management Accounting IA	COMA101	5	8	R2650.00
Financial Accounting 2A	FICC201	6	12	R5070.00
Commercial Law for Accountants IIA	COLA201	6	8	R3200.00
Total				R114150.00
Semester Two				
Business and Information Systems IIA	BUSY201	6	8	R3900.00
Principles Macroeconomics	PRMA102	5	12	R3230.00
Cost and Management Accounting IIB	COMA202	5	8	R3200.00
Financial Accounting 2B	FICC202	6	12	R2730.00
Commercial Law for Accountants IIB	COLA202	5	8	R2720.00
Quantitative Techniques IB	QUTE102	5	8	R3200.00
Total				R19400.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER I&2			96	
Third Year Curriculum				
Semester One				
Auditing IIA	AUDI201	5	12	R3770.00
Cost and Management Accounting IIA	COMA201	6	8	R3200.00
Applied Financial Accounting IIIA	APFA301	6	12	R2730.00
Values in the Workplace	VWKP101	5	8	R2380.00
Business Fundamentals II	BUFU201	6	12	R2380.00
Total				R14460.00
Semester Two				
Auditing IIB	AUDI202	5	12	R3770.00
Cost and Management Accounting IIB	COMA202	6	8	R3200.00
Taxation I	TAXT101	5	12	R3200.00
Applied financial Accounting IIIB	APFA302	6	12	R2730.00
Total				R12900.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER I&2			96	
Fourth Year Curriculum				
Semester One				
Taxation IIA	TAXT201	6	12	R3720.00
Management Accounting IIIA	MANA301	6	12	R2730.00
Corporate Procedures	CORP301	6	12	R2720.00
Community Engagement	COME301	6	8	R2610.00
Organisational Management IA	ORGM301	6	8	R2720.00
Total				R14500.00
Semester Two				
Entrepreneurial Spirit	ENTS302	6	12	-

Taxation IIB	TAXT202	6	12	R3720.00
Management Accounting IIIB	MANA302	6	12	R2730.00
Organisational Management IB	ORGM302	6	8	R2740.00
Global Environment	GLEN302	6	8	R2230.00
Total				R11420.00
TOTAL CREDITS SEMESTER I&2			104	

Application

Applicants who wish to enrol for the programme must apply through the CAO system by no later than 30 September of the previous year.

For Application Forms

Contact the Central Applications Office (C.A.O)

Address Letters to:

Private Bag X06

Dalbridge

4014

Tel: (031) 268 4444

Fax: (031) 268 2244

**CAO Codes: DUDMAC (DBN)
DUPMAC (PMB)
DU-D-DMT (ECP)**

Closing Date for applications: 30 September 2023

For More Information Contact:

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Financial Aid:

For Financial Aid application for a DUT programme please apply online at www.nsfas.org.za or call the NSFAS call centre on 0860 067 327.

For an explanation on how to fill out the application form, please go to www.nsfas.org.za or contact the call centre on the number above.

Please note that completing a form does not guarantee Financial Aid. For further assistance, please consult the Department of Financial Aid and Scholarships on (031)373 2931/2557/2054.