MAKE YOUR CAREER MOVE.
BECOME A CPA.
WHO IS CPA AUSTRALIA?

>160,000 members (150 countries & regions)

>25,000 members in senior leadership positions

>130 years of operation
ABOUT US

OUR VISION
Partnering with members to prepare for today and tomorrow in a globally connected world

OUR PURPOSE
Advancing trusted and valued accounting and business professionals who enhance their communities

OUR PASSION
Bringing employees and members together with local and international bodies, to represent the views and concerns of the profession to governments, regulators, industries, academia and the general public.
Our Global Network

- **160,000+ Members**
- **150 Countries and regions**
- **25,000+ Members in senior leadership positions**
- **400+ Recognised Employer Partners**
- **21 Offices and branch locations**
OUR VALUED RECOGNISED EMPLOYER PARTNERS
THE ACCOUNTING LANDSCAPE TODAY
MACRO FORCES SHAPING THE FUTURE OF WORK

**TECHNOLOGICAL BREAKTHROUGHS**
The digital revolution: automation, robots and AI are dramatically changing the nature and number of jobs.

**RESULT**
Fewer manual roles and an increased need for creativity, analytical thinking and communication and leadership skills

**DEMOGRAPHIC SHIFTS**
Population growth and an ageing population will have profound impacts locally and globally.

**RESULT**
Business model shift; career lengths and costs will increase as we work to support an ageing population.

**RAPID URBANISATION**
Urbanisation will cause increased demand on infrastructure, services, job creation and the environment.

**RESULT**
Increased development and opportunities for new enterprise, in emerging economic hubs.

**CLIMATE CHANGE**
Depleted fossil fuels and a greater need for alternative energy sources.

**RESULT**
Newfound roles in alternative energy sector; increased investment in product design for waste minimization; restructuring of traditional energy industries

Workforce of the future: The competing forces shaping 2030, PwC, 2018
HOW THIS CHANGE WILL AFFECT YOUR CAREER AND HOW TO PREPARE

**UNIQUELY HUMAN TRAITS**
Emotional intelligence, creativity, persuasion, leadership, problem-solving and innovation will become increasingly valuable in the marketplace of the future.

**ADAPTABILITY**
Adaptability will become essential to navigate the changes ahead. Willingness to acquire new skills and experiences, no matter what stage of your career, will be essential.

**BIG PICTURE THINKING**
Understand how technology is developing and what this will mean for you. Expect the unexpected and find the gaps in an automated world.

“Think about yourself as a bundle of skills and capabilities, not a defined role or profession.”
CAROL STUBBINGS
GLOBAL LEADER, PEOPLE AND ORGANISATION, PwC

Workforce of the future: The competing forces shaping 2030, PwC, 2018
ACCOUNTING STILL HAS A PLACE IN THE FUTURE

- **207,200**
  Accounting jobs in Australia by 2023

- **80%**
  Above average full-time employment
  *(compared to 66% All Jobs Average)*

- **≈84,000**
  Accounting job openings expected over the next 5 years

Quantity of individuals working as Accountants is expected to grow over the next 5 years

The average income per week is $1660 - $200 higher than All Jobs Average

Or roughly 16,800 a year.

jobsoutlook.gov.au, 2019
TAKE YOUR CAREER FURTHER
BECOME A CPA
YOU'RE AN ASSOCIATE AND READY TO BEGIN THE CPA PROGRAM

ENROL IN THE CPA PROGRAM

Includes four compulsory subjects, two electives and a practical work experience component that will give you the skills to stand out in the real world.

Your Degree: A degree level qualification recognised by CPA Australia.

Your Experience: Gain 36 months of practical experience. Over the course of your experience, you must demonstrate a minimum of 10 skills across four categories.

YOUR APPLICATION

FOUNDATION

The foundation exams cover the knowledge required to become an Associate member. They can be taken in any order, at your choice of exam location and time.
The CPA Program is designed to produce future CPAs who will:

Be technically skilled and solution driven

Be strategic leaders and business partners in a global environment

Be aware of the social impacts of accounting

Be adaptable to change

Be able to communicate and collaborate effectively
Learn the application of ethical principles, and gain a strong knowledge of key corporate governance principles and mechanisms.

Learn how management accounting provides information critical to the business decision-making process. This subject goes one step further and introduces the role of the management accountant in business strategy.

Apply accounting standards, interpret financial reports, and understand the business impact of these reports.

In this capstone subject, you will use strategic analysis to address complex business issues in a competitive and uncertain business environment.
## CPA PROGRAM
### CORE SUB JECTS

### YOUR RESOURCES FOR
#### ETHICS & GOVERNANCE

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Understand and apply fundamental principles of Australian taxation law affecting individuals and business and investment entities.

**CPA PROGRAM ELECTIVE SUBJECTS**

- Australian Taxation
- Australian Taxation – Advanced
- Advanced Audit and Insurance
- Contemporary Business Issues
- Financial Risk Management

Build on fundamental principles of Australian tax law to determine the tax implications of complex business and investment arrangements.

Explore specialist taxation topics including tax theory and tax policy, the taxation of financial arrangements, tax consolidations and international transactions and cross-border tax issues.

Focus on both external and internal audit procedures. This subject will ensure you understand the audit process and are able to apply international standards to complex audits.

Recognise the financial risks faced by businesses and understand the key mechanisms and frameworks used to address and manage risk.

Analyse and evaluate the role of the CPA in contemporary business and how the accounting profession continues to evolve.
### Required Units

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<td>ACCG8313</td>
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<td>ACCG909/ ACCG924</td>
<td>ACCG8309/ ACCG8124</td>
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**CPA Subjects and MQ Units**
Resources such as 'Ask the expert forum', business simulations, case studies, knowledge checks and interactive learning tasks, and more

Study groups – Join or form a study group to learn from like-minded peers

Tuition and tutorials – face-to-face revision and exam preparation classes along with online tutorials
• You don’t need to be working to start the CPA Program
• You can study from anywhere in the world
• Global access to computer based exams
• Average time to finish is 3 to 4 years
• 10-15 hours of study per week
• Increase your chance of success – join a study group
• Enhance your personal brand – use the ASA designation
• Immediate access to the study guide upon enrolment
• Multiple entry points to the CPA Program

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
YOUR EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENT

Business Skills
You must demonstrate two skills from the list below:

- Understanding the regulatory environment
- Using technology for business
- Understanding the business environment
- Applying business analysis and risk management

Over the course of your experience, you must demonstrate a minimum of 10 skills across four categories. This must include a minimum of:

4 technical skills
2 personal effectiveness skills
2 business skills
2 leadership skills
Experience can be gained at any time:

1. **Before or during your study**
   - Through relevant volunteer work

2. **Work experience during university may be eligible**

3. **Previous relevant work experience is recognised**

4. **You can also gain your experience by working for a Recognised Employer Partner**
WE SUPPORT YOU THE ENTIRE WAY

Lifelong learning via continuing professional development opportunities

Giving you direct access to industry publications such as INTHEBLACK

Networking opportunities via exclusive events and access to official CPA Australia social channels

Member Benefits program – special offers on products and services, exclusively for CPA Australia members
YOUR TIME STARTS NOW
WHAT’S NEXT?


2. Receive your confirmation of membership.

3. Enrol in the CPA Program and start using the CPA Australia brand to enhance your profile.
Become a CPA
How to apply
Before you Begin – Supporting Documents

**ACADEMIC TRANSCRIPTS**
Transcripts can be from a tertiary degree, postgraduate tertiary degree or professional body qualification. We will accept official copies of transcripts where the institution, your full name and results are clear.

**EVIDENCE OF DEGREE COMPLETION**
If you have completed your degree, and this is not stated in your official transcript, you will need to provide a degree certificate or completion letter that states the degree is 'complete'.

**PROOF OF IDENTITY**
If you haven't completed the online identity verification, please provide one of the following:
- Passport (ID page)
- National ID card
- Birth certificate
- Driver’s licence (with photo)
How should I supply documents?

All documents must be digital colour scans of your originals. If an original document is not in English, a corresponding English translation by a professional translator must be provided. Both the original and the translated documents need to be provided.

The digital copies of the documents you upload in your application must:

- Be in colour, clear and legible*
- Be clearly named in English with a brief description
- Be in one of the following formats: JPEG, BMP, GIF, PNG, PDF, TIFF. Please note that encrypted PDF or compressed files will not be accepted.

*Please use a resolution of at least 300 dpi or have a file size greater than 1 MB but less than 10 MB.
Professional Bodies

CPA Australia has affiliations with a range of leading professional bodies all around the world, meaning CPAs are internationally recognised. If you are a member or have undertaken studies with a recognised body, in most cases you can apply for an equivalent CPA Australia membership or exemptions from the CPA Program, via a range of mutual recognition agreements and pathways.

| American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA)* | Institute of Chartered Accountants of Bangladesh (ICAB)* |
| Certified General Accountants Canada (CGA-Canada)* | Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales (ICAEW) |
| Chartered Accountants Australia & New Zealand (CAANZ) | Institute of Chartered Accountants India (ICAI)* |
| Chartered Accountants Ireland (CAI) | Institute of Chartered Accountants of Nepal (ICAN)* |
| Chartered Accountants Sri Lanka (CA Sri Lanka)* | Institute of Chartered Accountants Scotland (ICAS) |
| Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA)* | Institute of Cost & Management Accountants Pakistan (ICMAP)* |
| Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy (CIPFA)* | Institute of Indonesia Chartered Accountants (IAI)* |
| Chartered Professional Accountants Canada (CPA Canada) | Institute of Singapore Chartered Accountants (ISCA)* |
| Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (HKICPA)* | Malaysian Institute of Accountants (MIA)* |
| Institute of Certified Management Accountants of Sri Lanka (ICMASL)* | National Federation of Certified Public Accountant Associations of the Republic of China (ROCCPA)* |
| Institute of Certified Public Accountants in Ireland (CPA Ireland)* | Philippine Institute of Certified Public Accountants (PICPA)* |
|  | South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA)* |
Receiving Your Assessment Outcome

FOUNDETION
You will need to successfully complete Foundation exams before becoming an Associate member.

ASSOCIATE MEMBER
You may be eligible to become an Associate and commence the CPA Program.

CPA AUSTRALIA MEMBER
You may be eligible to become a CPA.
Membership Application Form – Where to find?
IMPORTANT: Only set up one account with one email address when you apply – Multiple accounts will cause issues when logging in
Membership Application – What does it look like?
# Fees

## MEMBERSHIP

The fees below apply to new and existing members and are subject to change.

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<td>Subject enrolment (early bird)</td>
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<td>$450</td>
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<td>Study guide re-order</td>
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Early Bird Discount

Early Bird Discount is valid from Enrolment Open date for approx. 4 weeks. To see exact dates you can check Important Dates and Fees Calendar:


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<td>Enrolment and exam scheduling opens</td>
<td>Tuesday 11 June 2019</td>
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<td>My Online Learning (MYOL) access and study guide (PDF) available from this date*</td>
<td>Tuesday 11 June 2019</td>
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<td>First cancellation date (cancellations made after this date will not receive a refund)</td>
<td>Thursday 4 July 2019</td>
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<td>Last day to update postal address for delivery of study guide if you are already enrolled</td>
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<td><strong>Reasonable adjustments</strong> – special materials requests closing date</td>
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INVESTING IN YOUR FUTURE

APPLICATION FEE $180

2020 ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP FEE $325

SUBJECT ENROLMENT FEE $1290

EARLY BIRD PRICING $1140

Includes all study materials
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION ASSESSMENTS

- Open all year round
- Complimentary for all today BCPA7JKM
- Visit cpaaustralia.com.au/now to apply

KEY SEMESTER DATES

- Subject enrolments opened
  25th November 2019
- Early bird savings close
  15th January 2020
- Semester 1 commences
  28th January 2020
Contact Us

ONLINE ENQUIRIES
For all general enquiries, please use our online form.


TELEPHONE ENQUIRIES
P: 1300 73 73 73 (within Australia)
P: +61 3 9606 9677 (outside of Australia)

Telephone enquiries opening hours
Monday to Friday
8.30am – 7.00pm (AEST)
8.30am – 8.00pm (AEDT– during daylight saving)
EHANCING EMPLOYABILITY
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- Written and Verbal Communication English ([www.starpronunciation.com](http://www.starpronunciation.com))
- Develop Good Attributes – be focused, bright, enthusiastic also show you are willing to learn and be a team player
- Assimilate, be part of the “Australian Culture” or “Country Culture”
- Ongoing development/learning – study a second language, study abroad or student exchange, CPA Program
- Have extra-curricular activities join clubs, sports – be active, take up active roles
- Join professional associations – CPA Australia Network
- Gain casual/part time work experience while at university
- Build up your profile on Social Media
- Engage with mentors

Have determination, maintain your confidence and be patient.
CPA AND EMPLOYABILITY RESOURCES
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• CPA Network

• CPA Australia Videos for International Students


• IEAA Employability Video – International Student Employability: Top Tips to Expand Your Job Prospects https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=I6gxwMke2FE

• CPA Mentoring

• Insider Guides: Tips on job hunting, studying and finding volunteering work, check out their employment section.

• International Career Evening Thursday, October 10, 2019

• Diwali Networking Event  Friday October 11, 2019
CPA AUSTRALIA NETWORK
STUDENTS AND GRADUATES


Join the CPA Australia Network to be the first to hear about graduate and internship opportunities, career advice from CPA Career Mentor, career events and on campus activities.

- CPA CAREERS
- STUDY YOUR WAY
- BECOME AN AMBASSADOR
- INTERNATIONAL STUDENT FORUM
- AUSTRALIAN OPEN WORK EXPERIENCE
- GRADUATE AND INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES
- PROFESSION SESSIONS
- STUDENT ASSOCIATIONS
- CPA CAREER MENTOR
VIDEOS FROM INSIDER GUIDES

How to improve your English
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BLw8wb2mNXs&mc_cid=9747e38c8b&mc_eid=6086dc65b6

Top jobs for international students
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Yme3u1NGsql&mc_cid=2745b024d6&mc_eid=6086dc65b6

Being job ready
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HI3QcEfGhPY

Student Stories: Working common student jobs, networking and taking opportunities.
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5SbdIDreUOE&mc_cid=8d3d13e942&mc_eid=6086dc65b6
OPPORTUNITIES WITH CPA AUSTRALIA

- International Career Evening/International Student Forum/Diwali
- Returning Nationals Activities
- BCPA Information Sessions (conducted in English and Mandarin)
- Employability Workshops
- Internships in PwC Hong Kong, Macau and China
- Network with Employers and CPA Staff at CPA Careers event
- CPA Mentoring
- CPA Ambassador Program
- Global Careers Month
TAKE YOUR CAREER ACROSS THE WORLD

GLOBAL CAREERS MONTH EXCLUSIVE TO CPA AUSTRALIA MEMBERS

CPA Australia have teamed up with over 350 Recognised Employer Partners across the globe to help you take your career around the world. Discover mid- and senior-level finance positions from leading brands and organisations all over the world throughout Global Careers Month this November.

Explore your international job opportunities today!

cpaaustralia.com.au/globalcareers
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT CAREER EVENING

CPA AUSTRALIA, LEVEL 3, 113 HARRINGTON STREET, SYDNEY
Wednesday 9 October | 5.30pm – 8.00pm
Thursday 10
LEARN HOW CPA AUSTRALIA CAN SUPPORT YOU THROUGHOUT YOUR CAREER IN AUSTRALIA AND AROUND THE WORLD

Discover how CPA Australia supports you as an international student
Network with professionals and learn how CPA Australia can assist with your migration enquiries
Gain insights into global employment opportunities

To find out more and secure your place, register not at: bit.ly/ISCEV19
LET YOUR LIGHT SHINE

Learn how you can stand out from the crowd.

Date: Friday 11th October 2019
Time: 5:00 PM
Location: CPA Australia
Level 3, 111 Harrington Street,
Sydney, NSW 2000
Dress: Indian Traditional / Smart Casual

To register: http://bit.ly/2n33LKB
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