







1 Programme Closure

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It is no longer possible to register for the

Strategic financial management [PAM004]

Strategic performance management [PAM005].

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The PGDip Professional Accountancy is offered as an exit qualification only. It consists of

ACCA Strategic Professional Essential (SBL) or papers equivalent to SBL and SBR totaling at least 60 credits; and

two University of London modules (excluding the *Strategic financial project* [PAM006] module).

It is recommended that students attempt Strategic financial management [PAM004] and Strategic performance management [PAM005] prior to the Strategic financial project [PAM006].

3 Registration

Effective date of registration

3.1

Your effective date of registration will be:

1 January if you first register before a December registration deadline; or 1 July if you first register before a June registration deadline.

Date of first study session

3.2

If your effective date of registration is 1 January, the study session for the first module(s) you select will start in the same month and will finish in June of the same year.

If your effective date of registration is 1 July, the study session for the first module(s) you select will start in the same month and will finish in December of the same year.

Period of registration

3.3

The minimum and maximum periods of registration to complete the programme from your effective date of registration are:

	Minimum	Maximum
MSc Pathway 1	One year	Five years
PGCert (Pathway 1)	Six months	Five years
MSc Pathway 2	Six months	Five years

We will only grant an extension to the maximum period of registration in exceptional circumstances. Any extension to the maximum period of registration will be at the Programme

The last assessments for Professional Accountancy Pathway 1 will be held in May 2026.

5 Assessment for the programme

Assessment

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An examination is defined as an element of assessment that takes place in a controlled environment. You will be given details of how the courses on your programme are assessed, the specific environment or location that is permitted and the time allowed for the assessment. You will be contacted at least 5 months prior to the assessment session with these details.

All examinations are scheduled using an online delivery method. You must ensure that your device is kept up to date and complies with [University Computer Requirements](#).

Wherever they are held, all examinations take place on the same dates and at specific times in line with the published timetables.

Appendix A Module outlines

See the [module specifications](#) for more information about the module content:

Strategic financial management [PAM004]

This module blends core principles of financial management with business strategy. The module looks at four main areas:

- 1 Corporate Finance
- 2 Mergers and IPOs
- 3 Investment Management and
- 4 International Capital Markets.

It covers major strategic financial issues of importance to company financial officers (FDs and CFOs) and other financially oriented corporate senior managers, including managers and analysts involved or interacting with finance-related activities and decisions.



% range	Grade Descriptor	Description
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