

# Capital University of Economics and Business Overseas Chinese College Course Syllabus

Year and Semester	Fall (Freshman)		
Course Name	Introduction to management		
<b>Course Code</b>	ACCA F1		
<u>Course Type</u>	General Education (Required)	□ General Education (Elective)	
	Derofessional Course (Required)	□ Professional Course (Elective)	
	□ Basic Disciplinary Course		
<b>Course Credits</b>	2		
Course Hours	30		
<u>Prerequisites</u>	None		
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Learning Centre	T: 18:00-20:00; F: 10:00-12:00		
Grade/Section	2021 ACCA1; 2021ACCA2		
<b>Course Time/Place</b>	M&F: 8:00-9:50 / A101;A102		
<u>Textbook</u>			

ACCA Foundations in Accountancy/ACCA. Business and Technology. For exams from 1 September 2021 to 31 August 2022

# **Course description**

The course is to introduce accountancy firmly in its context as a central business function. It aims to introduce knowledge and understanding of the business and its environment and the influence this has on how organizations are structured and on the role of the accounting and other key business functions in contributing to the efficient, effective and ethical management and development of an organization and its people and systems.

# **Student Learning Outcomes**

After learning this course, the students will be able to:

Knowledge:

- Explain how the organization is structured, governed and managed by and on behalf of different stakeholders
- Identify and describe the key environmental influences and constraints on how the business operates in general and how these affect the accounting function in particular
- Describe the history, purpose, and position of accounting in the organisation and the roles of other functional areas
- > Identify and explain the functions of accounting systems and internal controls

Capability



- Draw the structure of organization particularly with effectiveness of its internal and external stakeholder
- > Play roles and positions of accounting in organization in each functional areas

> Demonstrate effective professional skills such as: communication skills, leadership skills etc. Mindset

- > Establish the integrity and objectivity in business workplace specially in management
- > Be logical, ethical, methodical, consistent and accurate
- > Apply critical thinking in the process of decision making

#### **Website Source**

1. www.mymanagementlab.com

2. <u>www.businessweek.com</u>

# **Teaching Methods**

This course contains lectures, case studies, discussions, homework, quizzes, presentation and exams. Exercises and practice questions will be delivered to students as a way to test their understanding of the knowledge. This will require individual or group assignment before, in or after class.

#### **Grade Criterion**

Component	Weight	Description
		A cumulative final examination will be given based on all of the contents
		of the class. The exam paper may be composed of multiple-choice
	20%	questions, short answer questions, essay questions, problems, and
Final Exam		preparation of financial statements. Students should rely primarily on
		homework assignments to give them a sense of what they may see for
		material on exams.
		A cumulative midterm test will be given based on all of the contents that
Mid-Term Test	20%	have been taught in class. The test paper may be mainly composed of
		multiple-choice questions and it should be completed in class.
		Most of the assigned homework is taken from the Exercises in the
Homework	15%	textbook. Assignments will be collected at the clearly stated date. Late
Homework		assignments will not be accepted. The graded assignments may be kept
		by the tutor for reference and won't be returned to students.
		There will be at least 2 quizzes during the semester. Quizzes may or may
Quizzes	15%	not be announced in advance. It may also be used as a way to check the
Quizzes	1370	attendance. Quizzes will test your knowledge of both concepts and the
		application of those concepts.
	10%	The students will be divided into several groups to prepare a presentation.
Presentation		Each student is required to be involved in the presentation. The topics
		can be selected from the textbook or lectures. Each group need to finish
		a PPT related to the topic which is given and hand in the related resources
		to the teacher before the presentation.
Participation	10%	Individuals will be asked to participate individually in a question and
Faruerpation	1070	answer at least 5 times during the semester. The performances should be



		counted in their participation.
Attendance	10%	Refer to attendance policy listed below
Total	100%	

# **Detailed Grade Computation**

	Before Midterm	After Midterm
Attendance	5%	5%
Participation	5%	5%
Homework	5%	5%
Quizzes	5%	5%
Presentation		20%
Midterm test	20%	
Final exam		20%
Total	40%	60%

# **Grading Policy**

A+ 97-100	A 93-96	A- 90–92	B+ 87-89	B 83-86	B- 80-82
C+ 75-79	C 70-74	C- 67–69	D+ 63-66	D 62-60	F 0- 59

# Exam Schedule

Midterm Test: 11.1-5, 2021 (tentative) Final Exam: 1.10-14, 2022

#### Assessment of Student Performance

#### ☞ Self-Study and Reading ability Practice

Instructor will give out the chapters or the reference books to read and use class hours to have discussion; students should be able to show a proactive attitude and ability for self-study and reading. Knowledge and oral English will be elements of homework or presentation score.

#### ☞ Homework

Students should finish their homework by themselves. Copying from others will be treated as cheating and the homework scores will be lowered. Students should hand in all assignments on time. Late assignments will be accepted at the discretion of the instructor (i.e., when the student was ill or had an excused absence). Late assignments without reasonable proof will be refused and the score will be zero.

#### Attendance

Because the course covers a great deal of material, attending every class session is very important for performing well.

- Being late for 15 minutes or more is considered an absence.
- Five hours or above of unexcused absences will result in the lower level of the final grade by one grade band (e.g. from C to D +). Any excused absence must be discussed directly with the teacher.
- Absence which is more than 1/3 of the total teaching hours will cause an F (a failing grade) directly. but students are welcome to continue attending classes.
- An incomplete grade (I) will be considered in case of medical or family emergencies.

# Therefore Participation

- Students should participate in classes actively. Half of participation grade is determined by their presentation in class. They are encouraged to ask questions relevant to the subject and express their own opinions. Every student should respect the ideas, opinions, and questions of their classmates.
- Students should also use office hours to ask questions or talk with the instructor for good communication and effective learning.
- Frequent visiting the instructor and chatting in English during office hours is highly recommended.
- Any misbehavior and non-class related activities in class will result in the lower level of the participation grade, including ringing cell phones.
- All above behaviors will be solely evaluated by the instructor for scoring.

#### Textbook

Students must bring the textbook to class.



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Week	Date	Schedule	
4	9.27&10/1	Introduction	
	(National Day)		
5	10.4&10.8	Chapter 1	
		Business organization and their stakeholders	
6	10.11&10.15	Quiz 1	
7	10.18&10.22	Chapter 2	
		Business environment	
		• PESTEL	
		• SWOT	
		The value chain	
		Five forces	
8	10.25&10.29	Review	
9	11.1&11.5	Midterm	
10	11.8&11.12	Chapter 4	
		The macro economic environment	
		Government policies	
		Fiscal and monetary policy	
		Inflation	
		Unemployment	
		Economic growth	
11	11.15&11.19	Chapter 5	
		Micro-economic factors	
		Supply and demand	
		Elasticity	
12	11.22&11.26	Exercise	
13	11.29&12.3	Quiz 2	
14	12.6&12.10	Chapter 9	
		The role of accounting	
		The accounting function	
15	12.13&12.17	Chapter 10	
		Control, security and audit	
		Internal control and internal audit	
		External audit	
16	12.20&12.24	Chapter 11	
		Identifying and preventing fraud	
		Money laundering	
17	12.27&12.31	Presentation	
18	1.3&1.7	Review	

Note: Some chapters or sections may leave for self-study, they may also be included in the quizzes or exams.



# **Teacher's Office Hour**

- The instructor's office hour is shown in the front of the office door.
- Students are suggested to use the instructor's office hour and learning center to ask questions or talk with the instructor once at least per week for good communication and effective learning, which is recorded in the students' participation.
- The time can be scheduled by instructors or students, or both.

# **Cheating and Plagiarism**

Cheating is not tolerated. Any student caught cheating on a quiz; test or exam will be given a mark of zero (0) for the particular work. At the beginning of the semester the definition of plagiarism will be carefully explained, when any thoughts or writings of another person are used, they must be clearly identified (usually one uses quotation marks) and the source notes. If any student is caught cheating on any homework assignment, the highest score the student can earn in that course is a "C".

#### **Important Dates**

Fall Semester, 2021	September 2, 2021— January 16, 2022
Sep.27	Classes Begin (Freshmen)
Oct.1	National Day
Jan.1, 2022	New Year's Day
Jan.10-14	Final Exam Period (Freshmen)
Jan.17	Winter Vacation Begins

Note: This syllabus is tentative and may be changed or modified throughout the semester. All students will be notified and a new syllabus will be given.

Instructor:

# **Department Head:**

