

### **SAICA Accredited programmes**

*Quality assurance processes over Academic programmes leading to the qualification as a Chartered Accountant [CA(SA)]*

In its role as an Education and Training Quality Assurer (ETQA) and in terms of its current recognition standing with the Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors (IRBA), the South African Institute of Chartered Accountants (SAICA) accredits certain programmes specifically designed to allow access to the Initial Test of Competence (ITC) (QE I).

Programmes accredited by SAICA are only offered by certain providers (listed below).

SAICA's accreditation is over and above

- Institutional Audits performed by the Higher Education Quality Council (HEQC);
- Programme accreditation granted by the HEQC in its role as the band ETQA for Higher Education; and
- Recognition of degrees registered on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF), which is awarded by SAQA.

Accreditation of a programme by SAICA means that (extract from the Accreditation and Monitoring Framework):

- “the provider has put in place the appropriate resources that, if utilised effectively, should enable it to deliver the programme at the required standards and levels of quality; and
- the programme meets SAICA's requirements in terms of the standards of learning and teaching.

Accreditation of a programme is **not** an assurance that a provider is achieving the required standard of delivery of that programme. Rather, accreditation certifies that a programme contains the requirements necessary to meet SAICA's accreditation standards.”

An essential element of accreditation is quality control. Hence SAICA assesses and monitors the relevant programmes of higher education institutions / universities. The quality assurance process performed by SAICA includes:

- The completion of an annual self-evaluation by each provider / university offering an accredited programme; and
- A monitoring visit at least once in every five-year cycle. (The fourth accreditation and monitoring cycle having commenced in 2021 and will be completed in 2025.)

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Importantly, accreditation is a PROCESS and SAICA works with each of the providers below to assist them in maintaining their accreditation status (Looked at another way, SAICA see the accreditation of programmes as a PARTNERSHIP).

Should a programme not meet SAICA's standards, the provider would first be given an opportunity to make the necessary changes to its programmes so as to yield a more positive outcome before steps are taken to de-accredit a programme. De-accreditation too is a PROCESS which would take place over a period of time during which it would be possible for the provider to take steps which could result in its accreditation status being restored. De-accreditation would NOT prejudice students already in the system (i.e. students would be allowed to continue and complete their degrees at such an institution.)

A programme's accreditation status could therefore be as follows:

OPINION	ACCREDITATION STATUS
1. Meets expectations	Continue accreditation
2. Needs improvement	Accredited with conditions that need to be met within a specified time frame for the accreditation to continue
3. Accredited, subject to meeting SAICA requirements	Accredited provided that the provider takes steps <b>immediately</b> to respond to deficiencies in the programme which meet IPD Committee requirements. If appropriate action is taken by the provider this will result in a change in the accreditation status rating to 1 or 2. If appropriate action is NOT taken this could result in the programme accreditation status being withdrawn by SAICA.
Withdrawal of accreditation	No longer accredited and programme name is withdrawn from the SAICA list of accredited programmes

Going forward SAICA intends to accredit undergraduate programmes at providers where the postgraduate degree (PGDA) is not offered in an effort to build capacity and growth at tertiary institutions. Such accreditation will only be granted if a formal articulation agreement is in place with an institution that does offer an accredited PGDA programme and this articulation agreement meets SAICA's formal requirements.

For detailed information relating to accreditation refer to the following documents issued by SAICA:

- Accreditation Criteria \*
- Accreditation and Monitoring Framework \*

\* these documents are available on request from the **Senior Executive: Professional Development (Mandi Olivier)**

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<b>Independent Institute of Education – MSA</b>	Ms S Anderson <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Faculty of Business, Engineering and Technology IIE MSA Tel: 011 950 4303 Private Bag X60 ROODEPOORT 1725	<b>B Bus Sci (Acc)</b> [Bachelor of Business Science with a specialisation in Accounting] SAQA ID: 88603  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>complete and graduate at the end of the 2012 academic year or later.</b>		<b>PG Dip (Acc)</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 88609  The programme is accredited for delivery at the IIE MSA campus in <b>Rooedeport from 2013.</b> (Status as at 3 December 2012)	<b><u>Undergraduate qualification</u></b> <b>1: Meets expectations</b>  <b><u>PGDA or equivalent</u></b> <b>2: Needs improvement</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2009, 2012, 2013 & 2018  Follow up visit conducted: 2010, 2011, 2015, 2016, 2017 & 2020
<b>Independent Institute of Education – Varsity College</b>	Ms S Anderson <i>Head of School</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	School of Finance and Accounting Varsity College Tel: 031 573 7482 P.O. Box 2369 RANDBURG 2125  The programme is accredited for	<b>B Acc</b> [Bachelor of Accounting] SAQA ID: 99284  <b>Sandton; Durban-Westville; and Durban-North Sites:</b> The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>commence the programme in 2017 and graduate at the end of the 2019</b>		<b>PG Dip (Acc)</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 109416  The programme is accredited for delivery at the IIE VC campus in <b>Durban-North from 2020.</b> (Status as at 3 January 2020)	<b><u>Undergraduate qualification</u></b> <b>1: Meets expectations</b>  <b><u>PGDA or equivalent</u></b> <b>Accredited</b>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2016 (Sandton; Durban-Westville and Durban-North)

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		<p>delivery at the following sites:  IIE Varsity College  <b>Sandton;</b>  IIE Varsity College  <b>Durban-Westville;</b>  IIE Varsity college  <b>Durban-North</b>  IIE Varsity College  <b>Pretoria;</b>  IIE Varsity College  <b>Cape Town</b></p>	<p><b>academic year or later.</b></p> <p><b>Pretoria and Cape Town Sites:</b>  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>commence the programme in 2018 and graduate at the end of the 2020 academic year or later.</b></p>			<p>Accreditation visit conducted: 2017 (Pretoria and Cape Town)</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2017 &amp; 2020 (Sandton; Durban-Westville and Durban-North)</p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2019</p>
<p><b>Institute of Accounting Science</b></p>	<p>Prof G Swartz  <b><i>Institute Head</i></b></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Institute of Accounting Science  Tel: 011 432 3994  P.O. Box 930  GLENVISTA  2058</p>			<p><b>PG Dip (Acc)</b>  [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting]  SAQA ID: 101527</p> <p>The programme is accredited for delivery at the IAS campus in <b>Meyersdal from 2018.</b></p>	<p><b>Accredited</b></p> <p>Accreditation visit conducted: 2015</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2016, 2017, 2018 &amp; 2019</p>

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<b>Milpark Education</b>	<p>Mr G Olivier  <i>Head of Department</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Department of Professional Accounting</p> <p>2nd Floor Sunclare Building            Cnr Protea &amp; Dreyer Rds            Claremont            Cape Town            7708</p> <p>Melville Extension 2            Cnr Main Rd East &amp; Landau Terrace            Auckland Park            Johannesburg            2006</p> <p>54 Norfolk House            Cnr Norfolk Terrace &amp; Blair Atholl Dr            Westville            Durban            3630</p>			<p><b>PG Dip (Accounting) [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting]</b>            SAQA ID: 108930</p> <p>The programme is accredited for delivery <b>from April 2019.</b></p>	<p><b>Accredited</b></p> <p>Accreditation visit conducted: 2018</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2019 &amp; 2020</p>

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<p><b>Nelson Mandela University</b></p>	<p>Prof A Singleton  <i>Head of Department</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Department of Accounting Sciences  Nelson Mandela University  Tel: 041 504 2447  P O Box 77000  PORT ELIZABETH  6031</p>	<p><b>B Com (Accounting)*</b>  [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)]  (40103, 45003, 45003)  SAQA ID: 87057</p> <p><i>* Previously B Com (Accounting) revision effective for degrees completed in 2007; Previously B Com (Accounting for Chartered Accountants) 2008 to 2018</i></p> <p><b>B Com (Accounting Science) **</b>  [Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting Science (Economics and Business Management) (42301, 42211); (Computer Science and Information Systems) (42303; 42213); (Law) (42302, 42212)]</p> <p>SAQA ID: 91998</p> <p><i>(CA/R modules only)</i></p> <p><i>** previously BCom (Rationum), offered till 2018</i></p>	<p><b>PGDA*</b>  [Postgraduate Diploma in Accountancy]  (40710)  SAQA ID: 90906</p> <p><i>*The programme is accredited for delivery from 2013</i></p>	<p><b>PGDA</b>  [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting]*  (40701)  SAQA ID: 115399</p> <p><i>* Offered from 2017</i></p> <p><b>B Com Hons (Accounting)</b>  [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Accounting)]</p>	<p><b>1: Meets expectations</b></p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2009, 2014 &amp; 2019</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2011, 2013, 2016, 2018 &amp; 2020</p>

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			For information on the programme offerings under the Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting Science, please refer to the NMU website link.			
<b>North-West University</b>	<p>Prof N van der Merwe <b>Coordinating Programme Leader</b></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>School of Accounting Sciences North-West University Tel: 018 299 1459 Fax: 086 629 6380 Private Bag X6001 POTCHEFSTROOM 2520</p>	<p><b>B Com (Chartered Accountancy)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Chartered Accountancy)] SAQA ID: TBA This qualification was submitted as a category A application for HEQSF alignment. Registration with SAQA is therefore in process.</p> <p><b>B Com (Forensic Accountancy)*</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Forensic Accountancy)] SAQA ID: 100947</p> <p><i>* The candidate must be in possession of a letter from the HOD stating that the relevant additional subjects required have been completed.</i></p>	<p><b>B Com Hons (Financial Accountancy)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Financial Accountancy)]* SAQA ID: 100908</p> <p><i>*The programme is accredited for delivery from 2014.</i></p>	<p><b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accountancy] SAQA ID: 102204</p> <p>The programme is accredited for delivery <b>from 2020</b></p> <p><b>B Com Hons (Chartered Accountancy)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Chartered Accountancy)] SAQA ID: 100907</p>	<p><b>1: Meets expectations</b></p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2006, 2012 &amp; 2017</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2014 &amp; 2019</p>

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<b>Regent Business School</b>	Prof P Stegen <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accounting Tel: 031 304 4626 P.O. Box 10686 MARINE PARADE 14056			<b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 101977  The programme is accredited for delivery <b>from 2020</b>	<b>Accredited</b>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2019  Follow up visit conducted: 2020
<b>Rhodes University</b>	Prof K Maree <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accounting Rhodes University Tel: 046 603 7624 P O Box 94 GRAHAMSTOWN 6140	<b>B Com*</b> [Bachelor of Commerce] SAQA ID: 15147  <i>* The candidate must have passed and completed the Accounting Curriculum with the following subjects:</i>  - Accounting 3 (4101300) - Auditing 3 (4102100) - Taxation 3 (4104100) - Man Acc & Finance 3 (4108300)		<b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 19448  <b>B Com Hons (Financial Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Financial Accounting)] SAQA ID: 8001  B Acc (4 yr degree)* [Bachelor of Accounting]  <i>* The last intake was in 2006</i>	<b>1: Meets expectations</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2008, 2013 & 2018  Follow up visit conducted: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2015 & 2019



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<b>University of Cape Town</b>	Ass Prof J Kew <i>Head of College</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	College of Accounting University of Cape Town Tel: 021 650 2293 Private Bag RONDEBOSCH 7700	<b>B Com Financial Accounting (CA stream)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Financial Accounting (Chartered Accountancy Stream)] (SAQA ID number still awaited)  <b>B Bus Sci Finance (CA stream)</b> [Bachelor in Business Science Finance (Accounting) (Chartered Accountancy Stream)] SAQA ID: 4403	Advanced Diploma in Accounting*  * No longer offered from 2017 Prior to 2015 named: Postgraduate Diploma in Management (Accounting conversion)  Postgraduate Diploma in Management (Financial Accounting)**  ** No longer offered from 2009	<b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 5191  <b>B Com Hons (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Accounting)]* SAQA ID: 5009  *The programme is accredited for delivery from 2015.	<b>1: Meets expectations</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2009, 2015 & 2019  Follow up visit conducted: 2011, 2013 & 2017
<b>University of Fort Hare</b>	Mrs W Terblanche <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accounting University of Fort Hare Tel: 043 704 7122 Private Bag X 7426 EAST LONDON 5201	<b>B Com (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)] 3 year Programme (60001) SAQA ID: 17394  <b>B Com (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)] 4 year Programme (60006) SAQA ID: 17394	Advanced Diploma in Accounting* SAQA ID: 116274  *Prior to 2013 named: Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting (PGDA) (Preliminary)	<b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 115390	<b>1: Meets expectations</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2006, 2011 & 2016  Follow up visit conducted: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2018 & 2020

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<p><b>University of the Free State</b></p>	<p>Prof FE Prinsloo <i>Director: School of Accountancy</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Faculty: Economic and Management Sciences University of the Free State Tel: 051 401 2333 P.O. Box 339 BLOEMFONTEIN 9300</p>	<p><b>B Acc</b> [Bachelor of Accounting] SAQA ID: 16946</p> <p><i>The candidate must have passed and completed the following <b>four</b> year modules:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>FIN ACC</b> (EFIN3708)</li> <li>- <b>AUD</b> (EACG3708)</li> <li>- <b>MA &amp; FM</b> (EMFM3708)</li> <li>- <b>TAX</b> (ETAX3708)</li> </ul> <p><i>The candidate must have passed with a combined average of 58%, and with a subminimum of 55% in each module to proceed to the B Acc Hons / PGDipCA</i></p>	<p><b>B Com Hons (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Accounting)] SAQA ID: 8519</p> <p><b>Or</b></p> <p><b>PGDip (GA)</b> [Postgraduate Diploma (General Accountancy)] SAQA ID: 97843</p> <p><i>The candidate must have passed <u>only</u> the following <b>four</b> year modules:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>FIN ACC</b> (EACC6808)/(EACC5808)</li> <li>- <b>AUD</b> (EAUD6808)/(EAUD5808)</li> <li>- <b>MA &amp; FM</b> (EMAF6808)/(EMAF5808)</li> <li>- <b>TAX</b> (ETXN6808)/ETXN5808)</li> </ul> <p><i>The candidate must have passed with a combined average of 58%, and with a subminimum of 55% in each module to proceed to the B Acc Hons / PGDip CA</i></p>	<p><b>B Acc Hons</b> [Bachelor of Accounting Honours] SAQA ID: 17470</p> <p><b>Or</b></p> <p><b>PGDip (CA)</b> [Postgraduate Diploma (Chartered Accountancy)] SAQA ID: 97681</p> <p><i>The candidate must have passed and completed the following four year modules to access the ITC:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <b>FIN ACC</b> (EFIN6808)/(EFIN5808)</li> <li>- <b>AUD</b> (EACG6808)/(EACG5808)</li> <li>- <b>MA &amp; FM</b> (EMFM6808)/(EMFM5808)</li> <li>- <b>TAX</b> (ETAX6808)/(ETAX5808)</li> </ul>	<p><b>1: Meets expectations</b></p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2007, 2014 &amp; 2020</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2010, 2012, 2016 &amp; 2018</p>

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<b>University of Johannesburg</b>	Prof B Marx <i>Head of Department</i>    <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accountancy University of Johannesburg Tel: 011 559 3156 P O Box 524 AUCKLANDPARK 2008	<b>B Acc</b> [Bachelor of Accounting] SAQA ID: 90622  <i>Accreditation effective from 2012, first intake from 2012</i>  <b>B Com (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)]*  <i>*Last intake in 2012 - The candidate must have passed and completed the <b>CA stream Curriculum</b> with the following subjects:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Accounting 300</li> <li>- FinMan 300</li> <li>- Auditing 300</li> <li>- Taxation 300</li> </ul>	<b>BCTA</b> [Bridging Certificate in the Theory of Accounting]	<b>PGDAS</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting Science]* SAQA ID: 102395  <i>* Offered from 2017</i>  <b>B Com Hons (Accounting with specialization in Chartered Accountancy)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Accounting with specialization in Chartered Accountancy)] SAQA ID: 111613	<b>1: Meets expectations</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2007, 2015 & 2020  Follow up visit conducted: 2010, 2012, 2014 & 2017

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University of KwaZulu-Natal	<p>Dr S Pillay  <b>Coordinator of Accounting Programmes</b></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>School of Accounting            University of KwaZulu-Natal            Tel: 031 260 2261            Private Bag X54001            DURBAN            4000</p>	<p><b>B Com (Accounting)*</b>            [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)]            SAQA ID: 79009</p> <p><i>* Pipeline students from the formerly merged institutions may have differently named qualifications</i></p>		<p><b>PGDA</b>            [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting]            SAQA ID: 72944</p> <p><b>B Com Hons (Accounting)</b>            [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Accounting)]*</p> <p><i>* The last intake was in 2019</i></p>	<p><b>1: Meets expectations</b></p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2006, 2011 &amp; 2012</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018 &amp; 2020</p>

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<b>University of Limpopo</b>	Prof. MS Tayob <i>Acting Director            School of            Accountancy</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for            detailed            information on            the accredited            programmes</i>	School of Accountancy University of Limpopo Tel: 015 268 3232 Private Bag X1106 SOVENGA 0727	<b>BAcc</b> [Bachelor of Accountancy] SAQA ID: 79144  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>complete and            graduate at the end of            the 2014 academic            year or later.</b>	<b>B Com Hons            (Accountancy)</b> [Bridging Certificate Theory in Accountancy (Bachelor of Commerce Honours in Accountancy)] * SAQA ID: 102806  <i>The candidate must            have passed and            completed the <b>BCTA            stream.</b> [NOT Public            Finance]</i>  <b>* Prior to 2018            named:            BCTA            [Bridging Certificate            in the Theory of            Accounting]**</b>  <b>**The BCTA effective            date of accreditation            applies to students who            completed and graduated            at the end of the 2016 or            2017 academic year</b>	<b>PGDA</b> [Post Graduate Diploma in Accountancy] SAQA ID: 98917  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>complete and            graduate at the end of            the 2017 academic            year or later.</b>	<u><b>Undergraduate            qualification</b></u> <b>1: Meets            expectations</b>  <u><b>Bridging            programme</b></u> <b>2: Needs            improvement</b>  <u><b>PGDA or            equivalent</b></u> <b>2: Needs            improvement</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2011, 2015, 2016 & 2018  Follow up visit conducted: 2012, 2014, 2017 & 2020



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			<p>SAQA last date for achievement 2022/10/20)</p> <p>*(teach out till 2017, accredited ONLY for students previously registered for this programme)</p> <p>Pre-2009 NQF Level: 6 Post-2009 NQF Level: 7</p>		this programme)	
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<p><b>University of Stellenbosch</b></p>	<p>Prof SPJ von Wielligh <i>Director of School of Accountancy and Vice Dean: Faculty: Economic and Management Sciences</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>School of Accountancy University of Stellenbosch Tel: 021 808 3428 STELLENBOSCH 7600</p>	<p><b>BAcc</b> [Bachelor of Accounting] SAQA ID: 7387</p> <p><b>BAccLLB</b> [Bachelor of Accounting and Bachelor of Laws] SAQA ID: 15369</p>		<p><b>BAccHons</b> [Bachelor of Accounting Honours] SAQA ID: 109822</p> <p><b>PGDip (Accounting)</b> Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting* SAQA ID: 112688</p> <p><i>* Offered from 2021</i></p>	<p><b>1: Meets expectations</b></p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2008, 2014 &amp; 2020</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2010, 2012, 2016 &amp; 2018</p>
<p><b>University of Pretoria</b></p>	<p>Prof M Stiglingh <i>CA Programme Coordinator</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Department of Accounting University of Pretoria Tel: 012 420 3761 Fax: 012 362 5142 BROOKLYN 0022</p> <p><i>Please contact Prof Stiglingh for more information on the bridging programme being offered</i></p>	<p><b>B Com (Accounting Sciences)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting Science)] SAQA ID: 7033</p>		<p><b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 117632</p> <p><b>CTA</b> [Certificate in the Theory of Accountancy] <i>Must have both to be able to write SAICA ITC</i></p>	<p><b>1: Meets expectations</b></p> <p>Full monitoring visit conducted: 2009, 2015 &amp; 2020</p> <p>Follow up visit conducted: 2011, 2013, 2017 &amp; 2019</p>



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<b>University of the Western Cape</b>	M B Raymond <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accounting University of the Western Cape Tel: 021 959 3256 Private Bag X17 BELLVILLE 7535	<b>B Com (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce (Accounting)] SAQA ID: 7259	<b>ADA</b> [Advanced Diploma in Accounting]  New programme SAQA ID to be confirmed	<b>B Com Hons (Accounting)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce Honours (Accounting)] SAQA ID: 7291  <b>PGDA</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting] SAQA ID: 96614	<b>1: Meets expectations</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012 & 2017  Follow up visit conducted: 2008, 2009, 2013, 2015 & 2019
<b>University of the Witwatersrand</b>	Prof N Padia <i>Head of School</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	School of Accountancy University of the Witwatersrand Tel: 011 717 8062 Fax: 011 717 8223 Private Bag 3 WITS 2050	<b>BAccSci</b> [Bachelor of Accounting Science]  <i>Programme Code: CBA08</i> SAQA ID: 49923		<b>PGDipAcc</b> [Postgraduate Diploma in Accountancy]  <i>Programme Code: CXA02</i> SAQA ID: 9889  <b>BAccSciHons</b> [Bachelor of Accounting Science Honours]  <i>Programme Code: CHA16</i> SAQA ID: 49751	<b>1: Meets expectations</b>  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2008, 2010, 2014 & 2019  Follow up visit conducted: 2009, 2012, 2016 & 2018

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<b>University of Venda</b>	Prof EK Oseifuah <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accountancy University of Venda Tel: 015 962 9141/9107 Private Bag X5050 THOHOYANDOU 0950	<b>B Com (Accounting Science)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting Science] SAQA ID: 99555  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>complete and graduate at the end of the 2019 academic year or later.</b>			<b>Accredited</b>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2019  Follow up visit conducted: 2020
<b>University of Zululand</b>	Mr M Livingstone <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accounting and Auditing University of Zululand Tel: 035 902 6796 Private Bag X1001 KWADLANGEZWA 3886	<b>B Com (Accounting Science)</b> [Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting Science] SAQA ID: 98845  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>complete and graduate at the end of the 2018 academic year or later.</b>			<b>Accredited</b>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2017  Follow up visit conducted: 2018, 2019 & 2020

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<b>Walter Sisulu University</b>	Mr N Radebe <i>Head of Department</i>  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i>	Department of Accounting Walter Sisulu University Tel: 047 502 2068 Private Bag X1 MTHATHA 5117	<b>BCompt</b> [Bachelor of Accounting Sciences] SAQA ID: 80190  The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>commenced with the programme in 2013 and who complete and graduate at the end of the 2017 academic year or later.</b>			<b>Accredited</b>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2016  Follow up visit conducted: 2017, 2018, 2019 & 2020

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### APC Professional Programmes

SAICA introduced the Assessment of Professional Competence (APC) from 2014. The APC replaced both Part II examinations (PPE and Financial Management). One of the eligibility requirements for writing the APC is the completion of a Professional Programme. SAICA has undertaken its accreditation process on providers who applied for accreditation and has accredited the providers set out below. As both of the Professional Programmes only commenced in 2014, SAICA emphasizes that as a result there are a number of aspects SAICA has not yet been fully able to evaluate. Continued visits will be conducted to all providers during the course of third monitoring visit cycle (2016 – 2020). SAICA nevertheless expresses its confidence in the providers below to remain accredited.

Accredited programme status description:

OPINION	ACCREDITATION STATUS
1. Meets expectations	Continue accreditation
2. Needs improvement	Accredited with conditions that need to be met within a specified time frame for the accreditation to continue
3. Accredited, subject to meeting SAICA requirements	Accredited provided that the provider takes steps <b>immediately</b> to respond to deficiencies in the programme which meet IPD Committee requirements. If appropriate action is taken by the provider this will result in a change in the accreditation status rating to 1 or 2. If appropriate action is NOT taken this could result in the programme accreditation status being withdrawn by SAICA.
Withdrawal of accreditation	No longer accredited and programme name is withdrawn from the SAICA list of accredited programmes

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Accredited programmes: Professional Programme for Assessment of Professional Competence				Accreditation status
Name of education provider	Name of contact person	Education provider address	Certificate issued	
Accounting Professional Training (Pty) Ltd  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the professional programme</i>	Professor P Bourne Joint managing director	Tel: 021 761 3468/9 Fax: 021 761 3480 97 – 99 Gabriel Road PLUMSTEAD 7800	Professional Development Programme	<b>1: Meets Expectations</b> <i>(refer to status description above)</i>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2013  Follow up visit conducted: 2014, 2017 & 2018  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2015, 2016 & 2019
	Professor B Marx Joint managing director	Tel: 011 559 3134 Fax: 011 559 2133 P O Box 1452 FLORIDA HILLS 1716		
Accredited programmes: Professional Programme for Assessment of Professional Competence				Accreditation status
Name of education provider	Name of contact person	Education provider address	Certificate issued	
Endunamoo Professional Course (Pty) Ltd  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the professional programme</i>	Mr R Muthelo Managing director	Tel: 011 312 0690 13 Park Crescent Riverview Office Park MIDRAND 1685	Endunamoo Professional Course Certificate	<b>Accredited</b> <i>(refer to status description above)</i>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2020

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Accredited programmes: Professional Programme for Assessment of Professional Competence				Accreditation status
Name of education provider	Name of contact person	Education provider address	Certificate issued	
University of Cape Town College of Accounting  <i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the professional programme</i>	Prof J Kew Department of Accounting University of Cape Town	Tel: 021 650 5078 Tel: 021 650 5097 Tel: 021 650 5051 Private Bag RONDEBOSCH 7700	Certificate of completion of the UCT Short Course for APC	<b>1: Meets Expectations</b> <i>(refer to status description above)</i>  Accreditation visit conducted: 2013  Follow up visit conducted: 2014, 2017 & 2018  Full monitoring visit conducted: 2015, 2016 & 2019

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**AGA Academic Programmes**

The academic programme for the Associate General Accountants (AGA(SA)) is provided predominantly by universities but may be provided by any other educational provider.

Accreditation and monitoring of the academic programme is necessary as these programmes provide access to the AGA(SA) qualification and because SAICA plays no role in its delivery. SAICA has undertaken its accreditation process on providers who applied for accreditation and has accredited the providers set out below. Continued visits will be conducted to all providers during the course of the monitoring visit cycle The first five-year monitoring cycle commenced in 2020 (2020-2025).

For detailed information relating to accreditation refer to the following documents issued by SAICA:

- Accreditation Criteria \*
- Accreditation and Monitoring Framework \*

\* these documents are available on request from the **Project Director: AGA and Reciprocity (Adri Kleinhans)**

Accredited programme status description:

OPINION	ACCREDITATION STATUS
1. Meets expectations	Continue accreditation
2. Needs improvement	Accredited with conditions that must be met within a specified time period for accreditation to continue
3. Accredited, subject to meeting SAICA requirements	Accredited provided that the provider takes steps immediately to respond to deficiencies in the programme which meet IPD Committee requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If appropriate action is taken by the provider this will result in a change in the accreditation status rating to 1 or 2.</li> <li>• If appropriate action is NOT taken this could result in the programme accreditation status being withdrawn by SAICA.</li> </ul>
Withdrawal of accreditation	No longer accredited and programme name is withdrawn from the SAICA list of accredited programmes

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Accredited programme: AGA(SA)				
University name	Head of Department (HOD) Name	University address & contact details	Qualification	Accreditation status
<p><b>Central University of Technology</b></p>	<p>Dr Leandi Steenkamp <i>Head of Department</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Department of Accounting and Auditing Faculty of Management Sciences</p> <p>Bloemfontein Tel: 051 507 3911</p> <p>Welkom Tel: 057 910 3500</p> <p>Private Bag X20539 BLOEMFONTEIN 9300</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>BManSci (Accountancy)</b> Bachelor of Management Sciences in Accountancy SAQA ID: 104529</li> <li>• <b>BManSci (Internal Auditing)</b> Bachelor of Management Sciences In Internal Auditing SAQA ID: 101519</li> </ul> <p><b>Bloemfontein and Welkom sites</b></p> <p>The effective date of accreditation will apply to all students who <b>complete and graduate from April 2024 or later.</b></p>	<p><b>Accredited</b></p> <p>Accreditation visit conducted: 2020</p>
<p><b>University of Johannesburg</b></p>	<p>Prof Ben Marx <i>Head of Department</i></p> <p><i>Click <a href="#">here</a> for detailed information on the accredited programmes</i></p>	<p>Department of Accountancy University of Johannesburg Tel: 011 559 3156 P O Box 524 AUCKLANDPARK 2008</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>BCom Accounting</b> Bachelor of Accounting SAQA ID: 90622</li> <li>• <b>BCom Accounting (Extended programme)</b> Bachelor of Accounting (Extended programme) SAQA ID: 90622</li> </ul> <p>This accreditation is <b>effective from the 2015 intake of students for the two qualifications.</b></p>	<p><b>Accredited</b></p> <p>Accreditation visit conducted: 2020</p>