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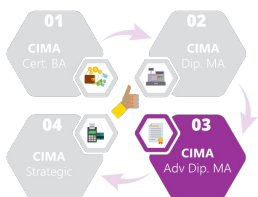
# CIMA Advanced Diploma in Management Accounting (CIMA ADV DIP MA)

## Overview

**Management Accounting** has been identified as one of 2018/2019 most in demand position within the **financial sector** (Careerjunction, April '18) both **locally** and **internationally**, the **CIMA designation**, being the most requested pre-requisite skill.

Congratulations on successfully completing the **CIMA** operational and management level examinations! On successful completion of the programme, students are awarded with **CIMA Advanced Diploma in Management Accounting (CIMA ADV DIP MA)**.

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## Features & Benefits

- Upon completing the **CIMA Advanced Diploma in Business Accounting** you will be able to enrol for your CIMA Strategic Level. The focus of Strategic level is on the long term and setting the strategy for the business.
- By becoming a **CIMA** member you will join the world's largest professional body of management accountants. You will be able to use the **Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA) designation** and be part of a truly global network, making international transferability a no effort exercise.



- The CGMA designation is powered by two of the world's leading accounting bodies – **CIMA** and **AICPA**. It aims to establish management accounting as the most valued profession in business worldwide.
- Get a free **Office 365 Education A1 license**, valid for the duration of your studies.



- Job placement assistance through our industry network and online recruitment portal, exclusively available to **AIE graduates**. Visit [www.recruitgraduates.co.za](http://www.recruitgraduates.co.za) for more.



## International Alliances/Progression Options (As per CIMA website)

CIMA members have access to a number of strategic alliances, including:

- Recognition from the [South African Institute of Chartered Accountants](#)<sup>[15]</sup>
- An accelerated route to Associateship of the [Association of Corporate Treasurers](#)<sup>[10]</sup>
- A mutual recognition agreement with the [Society of Management Accountants of Canada](#)<sup>[11]</sup>
- A mutual recognition agreement with [CPA Australia](#)<sup>[12]</sup>
- A strategic alliance with the [Institute of Chartered Accountants of Australia](#)<sup>[13]</sup>
- A joint qualification program with the [New Zealand Institute of Chartered Accountants](#)<sup>[14]</sup>
- MOU with [Institute of Cost Accountants of India](#)
- Strategic Alliance with the [Institute of Cost and Management Accountants of Pakistan](#) (ICMAP)
- An accelerated route to the CGMA designation for members of the **Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy (CIPFA)**

### Duration

#### Full Time

- **Full Time; Contact** or Hybrid Learning, 12 Months
- **Full Time; Online** Learning, 12 Months

#### Part-Time

- **Part Time; Flexi Online** Learning, 12 Months

\* *Class structures are subject to change without notification.*

[Learn More](#)

## Career Options

- Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA)
- Business Managers
- Management Accountant
- Finance Manager
- Cost Accountant
- Business Analyst
- Management Consultant
- CFO

## Study Kit

Your study kit is included in your fees and will contain:



 myAIE Student Portal

- **Free WIFI** (On-Campus only).
- **Stationery kit**
- CIMA Approved and Accredited E-books
- **Orientation kit including:** Student Card, Welcome Letter, and Getting Started Guide.
- Access to our myAIE student portal and student support team via phone, email and tickets.

**Project and Relationship Management:**

- Introduction to strategic management and assessing the global environment30%
- The human aspects of the organisation20%
- Managing relationships20%
- Managing change through projects30%

You will learn how to:

- A. Develop a holistic approach to managing organisations from external and internal perspectives
- B. Implement organisational strategy through people, projects, processes and relationships.

**Advanced Management Accounting:**

- Cost planning and analysis for competitive advantage25%
- Control and performance management of responsibility centres30%
- Long-term decision making30%
- Management control and risk15%

You will learn how to:

- A. Analyse, plan and manage costs to support the implementation of the organisation’s strategy
- B. Manage and control the performance of business units within the organisation in line with short-term budgets and long-term strategy
- C. Make investment decisions, taking into account the risks related with such decisions

**Advanced Financial Reporting:**

- Cost planning and analysis for competitive advantage25%
- Control and performance management of responsibility centres30%
- Long-term decision making30%
- Management control and risk15%

You will learn how to:

- A. Analyse, plan and manage costs to support the implementation of the organisation’s strategy
- B. Manage and control the performance of business units within the organisation in line with short-term budgets and long-term strategy
- C. Make investment decisions, taking into account the risks related with such decisions