

ACCT 7009 AUDITING

Credit Points 10

Legacy Code 200398

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Description The aim of this unit is to introduce students to the practice of auditing and the underlying concepts, auditor's responsibilities and the audit environment. The focus of attention is on audits carried out under the provisions of corporations legislation and reference is also made to other forms of audit. The unit uses blended learning and case study approaches and students will learn to apply professional, ethical and legal requirements and responsibilities in completing and reporting on auditing and assurance tasks.

School Business

Discipline Accounting

Student Contribution Band HECS Band 4 10cp

Level Postgraduate Coursework Level 7 subject

Pre-requisite(s) ACCT 7010

Equivalent Subjects LGYA 8983 - Auditing (PG)

Restrictions

Students must be enrolled in a postgraduate Business program. Students wishing to take this subject as an elective need approval from the program Advisor.

Assumed Knowledge

Knowledge of accounting systems and company accounting.

Learning Outcomes

On successful completion of this subject, students should be able to:

1. Evaluate the objectives and limitations of auditing;
2. Apply Australian auditing standards to case study situations;
3. Apply knowledge of the auditor's legal, professional and ethical responsibilities to clients to audit problems;
4. Make and defend audit judgements using audit procedures including probability assessment;
5. Conduct and evaluate statistical and non-statistical audit sampling;
6. Appraise the role of the various stakeholders in the audit process;
7. Evaluate the effectiveness of a sustainability audit.

Subject Content

The structure of the profession
 Professional ethics and legal responsibilities
 Audit objectives and evidence
 Audit planning
 Risk and materiality
 Internal control
 Audit sampling including probability distributions and hypothesis testing
 The audit report
 Post audit responsibilities
 Contemporary Issues

Assessment

The following table summarises the standard assessment tasks for this subject. Please note this is a guide only. Assessment tasks are regularly updated, where there is a difference your Learning Guide takes precedence.

Item	Length	Percent	Threshold	Individual/ Group Task
Presentation	15 Minutes	10	N	Individual
Intra-session Exam	1.5 hours	30	N	Individual
Final Exam	2 hours	60	Y	Individual

Prescribed Texts

- Gay, G & Simnett, R 2015, Auditing and Assurance Services in Australia, 6th edn, McGraw-Hill. [or latest edition]
- Croucher, JS 2016, Introductory Mathematics and Statistics, 6th Revised edn, McGraw Hill [or latest edition]

Teaching Periods

Quarter 2

Parramatta City - Macquarie St

Day

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Quarter 4

Parramatta City - Macquarie St

Evening

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Sydney City Campus Quarter 4

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Day

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