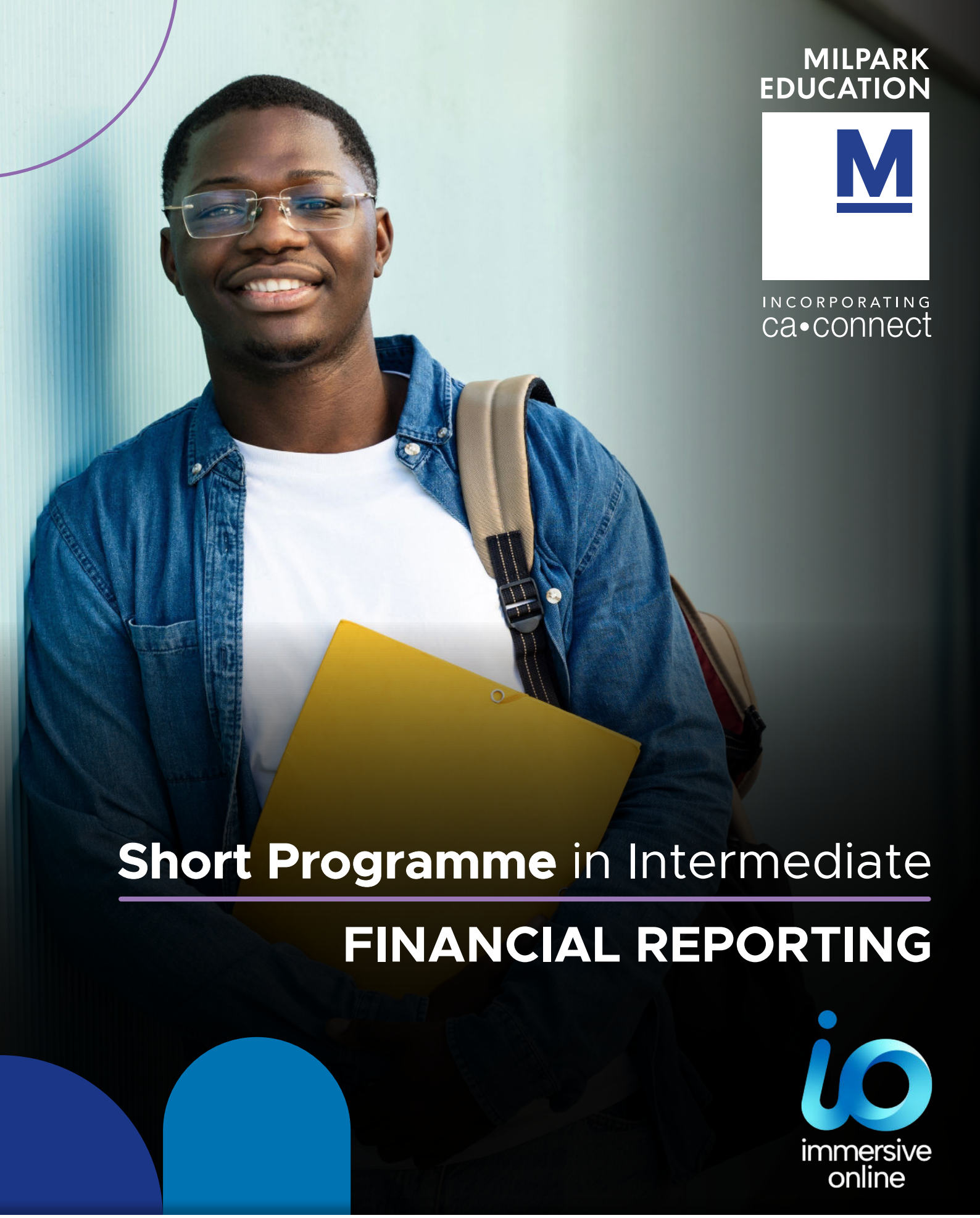


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Short Programme in Intermediate

FINANCIAL REPORTING

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Mode Of Learning:
Immersive Online Learning

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1 Description and Programme Purpose

The **Short Programme in Advanced Accounting, "BCTA Bridging Programme"**, offered as Milpark Education's **Bridging Programme for entry into PGDA/CTA**, has a minimum admission requirement in respect of **Financial Accounting/Reporting** up to NQF level 6 (see below).

The **Short Programme in Intermediate Financial Reporting** offered by Milpark Education will help students achieve the minimum admission **requirement** and enable them to enrol for the BCTA Bridging Programme.

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This programme is designed for students with an appropriate **Bachelor of Commerce Degree**, **Diploma** or equivalent qualification at **NQF level 7**, but who did not meet the minimum **Financial Accounting/Reporting** requirement. Upon successful completion of this programme, students can apply for admission onto the **BCTA Bridging Programme.**

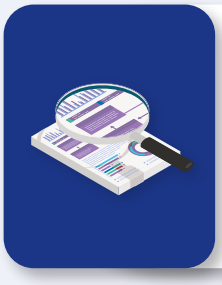
The minimum requirements for admission to the BCTA Bridging Programme are as follows:

An appropriate **Bachelor of Commerce Degree**, **Diploma** or equivalent qualification at **NQF level 7**. The qualification should, at minimum, include study of **Financial Accounting/Reporting** aimed at preparing students to be **Chartered Accountants**, up to NQF level 6.

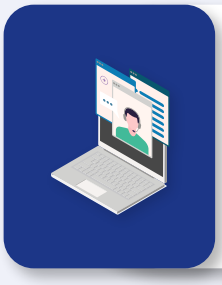
For a **qualification to be considered "appropriate"**, it would usually have been obtained from a SAICA-accredited institution. If the undergraduate qualification is not from a **SAICA-accredited institution**, the applicant would need to demonstrate that their undergraduate qualification is aligned with **SAICA's competency framework**.

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2 Who Should **Enrol**



The programme is designed to **help students who have a Bachelor of Commerce Degree**, Diploma or equivalent qualification at **NQF level 7**, but who do not have **Financial Accounting/Reporting** up to second year/ NQF level 6, by improving their financial accounting/reporting abilities and enabling them to enrol for the **BCTA Bridging Programme.**



It runs for a full semester via the **Distance Learning Online** study mode. The combination of **financial reporting** and compliance content covered in the compulsory module will ensure that **students are well positioned** for success in the **BCTA Bridging Programme**.

3 Programme **Outcomes**

Upon **successful completion** of this programme, students will be able to:

1. Apply **core principles** and concepts of financial **reporting and compliance.**
2. Demonstrate an **intermediate understanding** of important conceptual reporting and **compliance principles** required for ethical leadership.
3. Interpret and **apply relevant International Financial Reporting Standards** (IFRS), the **compliance requirements** of Value-Added Tax (VAT), and basic Income Tax laws.
4. **Demonstrate an intermediate** understanding of the **fundamental reporting** and compliance **principles relevant** to basic business combinations.



4 Programme Structure

The programme consists of one compulsory module called *Intermediate Financial Reporting and Compliance (IFRC01-OS)*. **The module is offered in both semesters of the year.**

	Module name and code
Compulsory	Intermediate Financial Reporting and Compliance (IFRC01-OS)

5 Mode Of Learning

The programme will be offered via **Immersive Online (IO) Learning**. IO Learning is our guided, dynamic and flexible digital study experience designed to foster deeper learning and meaningful connection.

Through **scheduled online sessions**, interactive content, and collaborative activities, **students engage in a human-centred environment** that blends structure with flexibility. **IO Learning** uses advanced online systems and multimedia resources to support clear pathways, small-group collaboration and **personalised feedback**, creating a rich, connected, and engaging learning journey.



6 Module **Description**

Intermediate Financial Reporting and Compliance (IFRC01-OS)

This module consolidates and reinforces the **core principles and concepts of financial reporting** and compliance, focusing on initiating and processing journal **entries and closing journal entries**. Students will acquire knowledge on important conceptual reporting and compliance principles required for **ethical leadership**, focusing on South African companies trading in a global economy. The module covers the interpretation and application of relevant International **Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)**, the **compliance requirements** of Value-Added Tax (VAT), and basic Income Tax laws within the context of a private company. Additionally, **students will learn about the fundamental** reporting and compliance principles relevant to basic business combinations.

7 **Admission** Requirements

The **minimum admission requirement is an appropriate** Bachelor of Commerce Degree, Diploma or equivalent qualification at **NQF level 7**. The qualification should, at a minimum, include study of **Financial Accounting/ Reporting up to NQF level 5.**

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Applicants must, at a minimum, submit the following documents with their application:

Copy of South African 13-digit identity document or valid passport.

Copy of Senior Certificate with matriculation endorsement/ exemption for degree studies

Copy of National Senior Certificate with a bachelor's degree pass

Copy of Senior Certificate or National Senior Certificate plus a qualification at **NQF Level 5 or above (120 credits or more)**, supported by a copy of the certificate or letter of completion.

Note: The documents listed above represent the minimum requirements. Applicants may be asked to **provide additional supporting documentation** if further evidence is needed. Applicants are **encouraged to provide all supporting documentation** at the time of applying to avoid unnecessary delays in the processing of their application.



8 Access to **Technology**

Through the *myMilpark* **and** *myCourses* **online tuition** and support environments, students have **access to all course materials** (including formative and summative assessments), discussion opportunities, administrative **services and a wealth of external resources.**

Minimum requirements to study online and complete assessments and online proctored assessments

A **laptop or personal computer** (PC) with one of the **following operating systems**:

- Windows 10+
- macOS 10.11+
- Ubuntu 18.04+
- Chrome 58+

- Continuous (daily) access to a **stable internet connection** with an upload and download speed of at least 5 Mbps.
- A **camera/webcam** (720p resolution)
- Speakers and a microphone **OR** headphones
- 2GB free **RAM** (memory)
- 250MB **free disk space.**

View Technical Requirements

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9 Student Support

Comprehensive student support services are available. Students are provided with administrative support by Student Services. **Lecturers will present a compulsory weekly** online class per module. **Interactive group discussions allow students** to learn from lecturers and peers. Students have access to lecturers with whom they can interact individually during online lecturer consultation sessions. **Students who experience study** and/or personal problems have access to a student support adviser.

All support services are available to registered students via myMilpark (myCourses).

10 Library Access

The Milpark library **provides access to eBooks in a virtual library called Cyberlibris** (Scholartext). Lecturers may **create smart bookshelves per course** or module for students to access (these shelves can contain prescribed and recommended books). Students can **also create their own personal smart bookshelves** containing resources for their studies.

Having access to a digital library means that **thousands of students can access books and resources from anywhere** at the same time online. There is **no need to make reservations** and requests, and **no limit to the time** a student has to access a book.

With the **implementation** of Cyberlibris, students also have **access to full-text resources** via ProQuest (global), Emerald (global), Ebsco (global) and Sabinet (South African publications) to assist with **research and to enrich their learning experience**. Access to the **library is included** in the module fee.



11 Rules of **Progression**

The programme consists of one compulsory module *Intermediate Financial Reporting and Compliance (IFRC01-OS)*. Upon **completion of the programme**, students can apply for admission onto the **BCTA Bridging Programme.**

12 Assessment

Formative assessment contributes **50% to the final mark**. It consists of a combination of assignments and tests. The exact **formative structure for the module** will be communicated to the student at the start of the module.

Students will **complete a final summative assessment** at the end of the module which contributes **50%** towards the final mark.

Students need to obtain a **sub-minimum mark of 40%** in the **final summative assessment** and an overall mark of **50% to pass the module.**

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13 Duration

The duration of this **Short Programme in Intermediate Financial Reporting** is **six months.**

14 Certification

On successful completion of the programme, students will be entitled to apply for admission onto the **BCTA Bridging Programme.**

15 Further Studies

Milpark Education is committed to the **process of lifelong learning** and opening **access to higher education.**

The programme will provide for articulation into the **BCTA Bridging Programme** which prepares students for the **Postgraduate Diploma in Accounting (PGDA)**, NQF level 8.



16 Pricing

All module fees include one round of **formative and summative assessments**, supplementary examinations excluded. **Module fees do not include** the cost of prescribed textbooks which will be for the student's own account. The prescribed book list will be **available** on *myMilpark* on registration.

17 Disclaimer

The content of this brochure is **accurate at the time of going to print**. Milpark Education reserves the right to change the programme content due to changes in legislation, market requirements and other reasons. **Notice of such changes will be published on our website.**

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