





ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Degree Level: Undergraduate



 Qualification type	 Location	 Study mode	 Duration
Bachelor's Degree	Main Campus	Full Time	Four Years

KEY FACTS

Teaching Language

English

Accreditation



مجلس التعليم العالي
Higher Education Council

Membership



Exemptions



The Chartered
Institute of
Management
Accountants*



Full exemption in FIA, 4 papers in ACCA and 9 papers in CIMA

NQF*

NQF Placed (2016)
Reference Q16-001 Level 8

BQA**

Full Confidence (2015)

Study Abroad

Yes

Internship

Yes

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*National Qualifications Framework

**The Education and Training Quality Authority

OVERVIEW

The Bachelor's Degree in Accounting and Finance (BSAF) has been designed to provide students with an undergraduate qualification, preparing them for a career in accountancy or finance.

The aim of this programme is mainly to increase the employability skills of students and graduating trained professionals ready for the market.

It offers in-depth knowledge in both accounting and finance through different means such as lectures, projects, field trips, practical training, internships, case studies, industry speakers, seminars, and various financial and accounting software.

The programme helps students to gain knowledge in the field of financial accounting, bookkeeping, auditing, managerial accounting, international accounting, financial management, investment and portfolio management, and international finance.

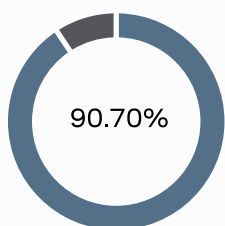
PROGRAMME AIMS

The aim of the Accounting and Finance programme is to:

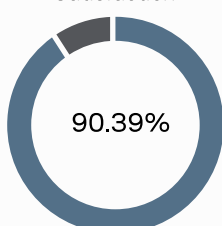
- Equip students with the required accounting knowledge and skills to help them compete effectively in the labor market.
- Provide students with sufficient background in accounting that helps them pursue their graduate studies and pass professional examinations.
- Develop students' soft skills including communication and teamwork.
- Encourage lifelong learning and personal development.

GENERAL STATISTICS

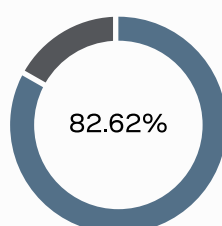
Employer Satisfaction



Student Internship Satisfaction



Graduate Satisfaction



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Admission to Ahlia University (AU) is selective based on academic achievements. Applications are welcomed from all students regardless of race, colour, gender, religion, nationality, physical or learning disability. Admission is purely based on merit.

General Requirements

To be eligible for consideration for admission to the undergraduate programmes, applicants must meet the following entry requirements set by the university in-line with Bahrain Higher Education Council requirements:

- The applicant must hold a recognised and endorsed secondary school certificate or its equivalent
- The applicant must be medically fit for the academic programme they wish to enrol in

Specific Requirements

The applicants who meet the following programme specific admission requirements will be admitted to the programme:

Bachelor's Degree in Accounting & Finance	Academic Score in the Secondary School Certificate (Tawjihia) or its Equivalent		
	Unconditional Acceptance	Conditional Acceptance; Passing An Interview	Tracks Accepted
	60%	50%	All Tracks

Orientation Programme

The Orientation Programme is a one-semester programme offered to full-time students who do not fully meet some of the admissions criteria (eg. english proficiency) but intend to pursue their education at Ahlia University.

Placement Tests

The university administers placement tests in English language and Mathematics. Students who pass these exams are exempted from the orientation programme.

FEES

Structured around 134 credit-hours covering 45 courses. The duration of study for each course is fifteen weeks, covering approximately 45 lecture hours.

Application Fee	BD 20
Registration Fee	BD 200
Placement Tests Fee (if applicable)	BD 40
Orientation Courses (if applicable)	BD 1,200
100 Level Courses - 12 courses (BD 300 Per Course)	BD 3,600
200 Level Courses - 11 courses (BD 330 Per Course)	BD 3,630
300 Level Courses - 11 courses (BD 360 Per Course)	BD 3,960
400 Level Courses - 11 courses (BD 390 Per Course)	BD 4,290
TOTAL	BD 16,840

STUDY PLAN

First Year

During the first year, students are exposed to a range of foundation level courses such as accounting, management, IT and language oriented courses. The first academic year starts the students off with the basic required knowledge for them to initiate their journey into the field of accounting & finance.

Second Year

In the second year, the student develops further understanding of accounting and finance.

Students also learn about the principles behind macroeconomics, statistics and modern history of Bahrain. MIS and bank management are other courses taught in second year level.

At this stage, students develop their understanding from basic knowledge to the deeper level of accounting and finance.

Third Year

In the third year of a student's academic journey, subjects include intermediate accounting, auditing, cost and accounting along with intermediate finance courses.

Further, students will learn money and banking, business law, international finance, insurance and re-insurance and ethics.

Fourth Year

During the fourth year, the student is expected to study advanced accounting, contemporary issues in accounting, research method, monetary and financial system, investment portfolio management and can choose two free electives.

Students are encouraged during their university life to get engaged in curricular and extra-curricular activities including attending guest lectures, seminars, conferences, participate in student clubs activities, local and international competitions, sports, and other social activities.