

Programme Specification (Undergraduate) FOR ENTRY YEAR: 2020/21

Programme title(s) and code(s):

BSc Economics & Accounting

BSc Economics & Accounting with a Year Abroad^

BSc Economics & Accounting with a Year in Industry^

HE Diploma in Economics & Accounting*

HE Certificate in Economics & Accounting*

Notes

HECOS Code

| HECOS Code | % |
|------------|-----|
| 100450 | 65% |
| 100105 | 20% |
| 100836 | 15% |

a) UCAS Code (where required)

LN16

2. Awarding body or institution:

University of Leicester

3. a) Mode of study

Full-time

b) Type of study

Campus-based

4. Registration periods:

BSc Economics

The normal period of registration is 3 years

The maximum period of registration 5 years

BSc Economics with a Year Abroad

The normal period of registration is 4 years

The maximum period of registration 6 years

BSc Economics with a Year in Industry

The normal period of registration is 4 years

The maximum period of registration 6 years

^{*} An award marked with an asterisk is only available as an exit award and is not available for students to register onto.

[^] Students may only enter this programme by approved transfer at the end of Year 1

5. Typical entry requirements

Three A levels normally considered as a minimum. Two AS levels or vocational AS levels will be considered in place of an A level. General Studies and Critical Thinking not accepted.

A/AS Levels: ABB or equivalent including GCSE Maths at grade B or grade 5

Access to HE course: Pass kite-marked course with a substantial number of level 3 credits at distinction, normally a minimum of 30 with some in Business or Economics. Students should also have GCSE Maths grade B.

European Baccalaureate: Pass with 77% overall.

International Baccalaureate: Pass Diploma with 30 points and 5 in SL maths.

Cypriot Apolytirion: 18.5/20 overall including 17 in Maths, plus grade B in 1 A-level.

French Baccalaureat: 13/20 overall with 13 in Maths. Students taking the international option 12/20 overall with 13 in maths.

Lithuanian Brandos Atestatas: Pass with grade 8.5 overall.

Chinese first year degree course: Normally, Pass with an average of 85% with good grades in relevant subjects.

<u>Year Abroad variant</u>: The condition for admission to the scheme will be an average mark of no less than 55% in year one. Students who meet these conditions will be invited to apply at the beginning of the second year of studies. Students will then be expected to maintain average marks of no less than 55% in their second year.

For the Year Abroad variants, students will not be admitted directly to these programmes but will be able to transfer to the programme on application for a year abroad during the second year of the BA programme under the following conditions:

- Have an overall average of 55 or higher in the first year
- Have an overall average of 55 or higher in the second year
- Must not have any failed modules in order to progress to the year abroad.

For those on the year in industry, see <u>additional programme specification content for Year in Industry programmes</u>

6. Accreditation of Prior Learning

Direct entry into the second year may be possible for those with advanced qualifications strictly comparable with our degree structure.

7. Programme aims

The programme aims to:

Provide a detailed knowledge, and critical awareness, of the main ideas, concepts, models
and principles in economic analysis, and their application to the study of accounting through
a number of specialised modules.

^{*}If you have mitigating circumstances that affect your results, you may request that your circumstances be taken into consideration.

- Develop skills in quantitative economic analysis through the use of standard mathematical and statistical techniques and their application to economic problems and data.
- Increase a graduate's marketability by: encouraging intellectual development, critical ability, research skills, communication skills and confidence in problem recognition, formulation and solution; and by promoting awareness of the general economic and financial environment and current financial issues.
- Prepare students for a wide range of careers such as chartered accountancy, business management, financial services and postgraduate study in economics or a related area.
- Develop skills of written and oral presentation, team working, information handing, use of information technology and skills for lifelong learning.
- Develop in students a detailed knowledge of core areas in economics and accounting at progressively rising levels of analytical and technical complexity.
- Introduce students to techniques of accounting (such as financial reporting, management accounting, auditing and taxation).
- Develop in students an ability to use financial software and data sources.
- Provide students who enter the Year Abroad programme the experience of learning in a different cultural environment.
- Provide students who enter the Year in Industry programme with opportunities to obtain relevant work experience and support them in developing a portfolio to demonstrate learning outcomes. Also to enable these students to learn directly about business and the professional application of their studies.

8. Reference points used to inform the programme specification

- QAA Benchmarking Statement
- Framework for Higher Education Qualifications (FHEQ)
- UK Quality Code for Higher Education
- University Learning Strategy
- University Assessment Strategy
- University of Leicester Periodic Developmental Review Report
- External Examiners' reports (annual)
- United Nations Education for Sustainable Development Goals
- Student Destinations Data

9. Programme Outcomes

Unless otherwise stated, programme outcomes apply to all awards specified in 1. Programme title(s).

a) Discipline specific knowledge and competencies

i) Mastery of an appropriate body of knowledge

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--|---|--|
| Demonstrate knowledge of the principles underlying economic analysis, financial analysis and accounting, as well as issues in microeconomics and macroeconomics. | Lectures and seminars and formative feedback particularly on the core modules EC1000, EC1001, EC2045, EC2046, EC2076, EC3052, EC3084 and EC3087 | Demonstrated through the assignments delivered through the core modules identified. |
| Describe standard mathematical and statistical techniques. | Lectures, seminars and formative feedback particularly on modules EC1005, EC1007, EC1008, EC1009 | Demonstrated through achieving a pass mark in the mid-term tests and then the final exam on the core mathematics and statistics modules in year 1 and 2. |

ii) Understanding and application of key concepts and techniques

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Explain economic and financial | Lectures, seminars and formative | Through exam performance |
| models and apply them | assessments across all modules | but also in oral presentations |
| appropriately | across the programme. | and analyses of problem |
| | | solving sets. |
| Demonstrate knowledge of the | Workshops held in computer labs | Through assessment, in |
| principles underlying financial | designed to demonstrate to the | particular EC1009, |
| 1 | 'how' in relation to economic | EC2010 and EC2011. |
| accounting, management | | EC2010 and EC2011. |
| accounting, financial | quantitative modeling | |
| management, taxation, auditing | | |
| and business law | | |
| Demonstrate the ability to apply | Developing the ability to apply | Reflective log, skills audit, |
| economic/financial/mathematical | economic/financial/mathematical | employer feedback and final |
| theories and techniques in a | theories and concepts to real | report/presentation (Year in |
| work place setting (Year in | world situations within the work | Industry variant only). |
| Industry variant only)* | environment (Year in Industry | |
| | variant only). | |
| *The extent to which a student | | |
| will have the opportunity to do | | |
| this will vary according to the | | |
| type of placement. | | |

iii) Critical analysis of key issues

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--|--|--|
| Critically analyse economic and financial arguments and relate them to current issues. | All modules across the programme and as part of ongoing professional development but specifically on EC1025, EC2011 and EC3004 | Engagement in debates within lectures and seminars as formative assessment but also in summative assessments in particular the on-going reflective development of the Leicester Award and Leicester Award Gold and the Research in Economics assignment. |

iv) Clear and concise presentation of material

| Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, | Assessed through a range of |
| tutorials, seminars, formative | written reports and data |
| & summative feedback. | analyses problem sets |
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| Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, | Assessed through a range of |
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| | Attainment on EC2004 |
| , | Attainment on EC3004 Research in Economics |
| | assignment which is an |
| 1 | extended independent piece |
| assignification LC3004 | of work |
| | Methods Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, formative & summative feedback. Intensity of the problem solving sets increases over the course of the programme to ensure knowledge is cumulatively developed, retained and operationalized. Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, |

v) Critical appraisal of evidence with appropriate insight

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--|--|--|
| Critically appraise relevant economic/accounting research | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, formative & summative feedback. Workshops and computer labs. | Attainment in EC3004 Research in Economics |
| | Maths Support Sessions | |
| Critically appraise the results from quantitative economic/accounting analysis | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, formative & summative feedback. Workshops and computer labs. | Attainment in EC3004 Research in Economics |
| | Maths Support Sessions | |

vi) Other discipline specific competencies

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|
| N/A | N/A | N/A |

b) Transferable skills

i) Oral communication

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|---------------------------------|---|--|
| Prepare and present | Seminar and assessment support | Formative: Contribution to |
| concepts, arguments or | across all years of study. | tutorials and seminars. |
| analysis orally. | Content delivered through the engagement strategy including employability skills. | Summative assessment on EC1025, EC3004 |
| | Leicester Award and Leicester Award Gold provision. | |
| | Scaffold approach to the format of assessment. | |
| Produce clear visual aids to | Seminar and assessment support | Formative: Contribution to |
| accompany an oral presentation. | across all years of study. | tutorials and seminars. |
| | Content delivered through the engagement strategy including employability skills. | Summative assessment on EC1025, EC3004 |
| | Leicester Award and Leicester Award Gold provision. | |
| | Scaffold approach to the format of assessment. | |
| Application of oral | Developing oral communication | Reflective log and final |
| communication skills within | skills in the work environment | report/presentation (Year in |
| the work environment and in | (Year in Industry variant only). | Industry variant only). |
| presentation (Year in | | |
| Industry variant only). | | |

ii) Written communication

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--|--|---|
| Produce clearly written material with appropriate use of evidence. | Year 1: Induction Programme and Study Skills Support material. | Formative assessment, coursework, exams, Research in Economics (EC3004). |
| | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, formative & summative feedback, module handbooks. | |
| Application of written communication skills within the work environment and in report writing (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing written communication skills in the work environment (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |

iii) Information technology

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Use word processing in the | Year 1: | Formative: Contribution |
| preparation of written work. | Induction Programme and Study Skills Support material. | to computer classes. |
| | Years 1 and 2: Computer classes | Summative: written reports and data analysis skills in relation to problem sets. |
| | Year 3: Research in Economics Project | |
| Use the internet to access | Year 1: | Formative: Contribution |
| appropriate information. | Induction Programme and Study Skills Support material. | to computer classes. |
| | Years 1 and 2: Computer classes | Summative: written reports and data analysis skills in relation to |
| | | problem sets. |
| | Year 3: Research in Economics | |
| | Project | |
| Use spreadsheets for data | Year 1: | Formative: Contribution |
| presentation and analysis. | Induction Programme and Study | to computer classes. |
| | Skills Support material. | _ |
| | Years 1 and 2: Computer classes | Summative: written reports and data analysis skills in relation to problem sets. |
| | Year 3: Research in Economics Project | |
| Use specialist packages for statistical analysis. | Econometrics modules EC2010, EC2011 | Formative: Contribution to computer classes. |
| | | Summative: written reports and data analysis skills in relation to problem sets. |
| Application of information | Developing IT skills in the | Reflective log, skills audit, |
| technology skills within the | work environment through | employer feedback and final |
| work environment and in | project work and student | report/presentation (Year in |
| presentation (Year in | portfolio (Year in Industry variant | Industry variant only). |
| Industry variant only). | only). | |

iv) Numeracy

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|---|--|--|
| Employ general numerical, mathematical and statistical skills. | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, computer classes, formative & summative feedback. | Formative assessment, coursework, exams, Research in Economics (EC3004) |
| Application of numeracy skills within the work environment (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing numeracy skills in the work environment through project work (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log, skills audit, employer feedback and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |

v) Team working

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--|--|--|
| Demonstrate basic team working skills. | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, computer classes. | Group-based coursework on EC1025, EC2011 and in relation to the reflections as part of the Leicester Award and Leicester Award Gold. |
| Application of team building skills within the work environment (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing team building skills in the work environment through project work (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log, skills audit, employer feedback and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |

vi) Problem solving

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|--|---|---|
| Demonstrate problem formulation and solution. | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, formative & summative feedback. Maths Support Sessions | Formative assessment, coursework, exams and mid-term tests. In particular, problem sets and data analysis assignments are relevant. |
| Application of problem solving skills within the work environment (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing problem solving skills in the work environment through project work and applying theories and concepts to real world situations (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log, skills audit, employer feedback and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |

vii) Information handling

| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
|---|--|--|
| Find and use appropriate information from a variety of sources. | Years 1, 2 and 3: Lectures, tutorials, seminars, computer classes, formative & summative feedback. | Formative assessment, coursework, exams, Research in Economics assignment. |
| | Developed specifically through the on-line academic misconduct course embedded in EC1000. | |
| Application of information handling skills within the work environment (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing data handling in the work environment through project work (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log, skills audit, employer feedback and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |

viii) Skills for lifelong learning

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| Intended Learning Outcomes | Teaching and Learning Methods | How Demonstrated? |
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| Demonstrate the ability to think reflectively about personal and professional development (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing a variety of employability and transferable skills through responsibilities associated with their work placement (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log, skills audit, employer feedback and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |
| Demonstrate professional behaviour in the work environment (Year in Industry variant only). | Developing a variety of employability and transferable skills through responsibilities associated with their work placement (Year in Industry variant only). | Reflective log, skills audit, employer feedback and final report/presentation (Year in Industry variant only). |

10. Progression points

This programme follows the standard Scheme of Progression set out in <u>Senate Regulations</u> – see the version of Senate Regulation 5 governing undergraduate programmes relevant to the year of entry.

The following additional progression requirements for this programme have been approved:

Year Abroad Variant

Students who meet the conditions set out in section 5 will be invited to apply at the beginning of the second year of studies. Students will then be expected to maintain average marks of no less than 55% in their second year.

For those on the year in industry, see <u>additional programme specification content for Year in Industry programmes</u>

In cases where a student has failed to meet a requirement to progress, he or she will be required to withdraw from the course

a) Course transfers

N/A

11. Criteria for award and classification

This programme follows the standard scheme of undergraduate award and classification set out in <u>Senate Regulations</u> – see the version of *Senate Regulation 5 governing undergraduate programmes* relevant to the year of entry.

12. Special features

- A four-day induction programme in the first week of Year 1.
- A formal employability skills development programme in year 1
- Study of core microeconomic and macroeconomic theory and applications at progressively rising levels of analytical and technical complexity.
- Provision of a broad range of optional modules that apply economic analysis, in diverse ways, to a variety of specialist subjects enabling students to focus on areas of interest.

^{*}If you have mitigating circumstances that affect your results, you may request that your circumstances be taken into consideration.

- Academic supervision of an extended research project, in an economics-related topic of the students' own choosing, resulting in a professional-style written dissertation.
- The option of a four-year 'with a Year Abroad' degree programme, with a third year spent studying at an overseas partner University either in a foreign language or in English (see below).
- The option of a four-year 'with a Year in Industry' degree programme (see below).

13. Indications of programme quality

- University Academic Review
- External examiners reports
- First Destination careers statistics
- Exemptions from professional exams (subject to satisfactory completion of certain core or optional modules):
 - Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA)
 - Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA)
 - Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales (ICAEW)
 - Chartered Institute of Public Finance & Accountancy (CIPFA)

14. External Examiner(s) reports

The details of the External Examiner(s) for this programme and the most recent External Examiners' reports for this programme can be found at exampapers@Leicester [log-in required]



Programme Specification (Undergraduate)

Appendix 1: Programme structure (programme regulations)

The University regularly reviews its programmes and modules to ensure that they reflect the current status of the discipline and offer the best learning experience to students. On occasion, it may be necessary to alter particular aspects of a course or module.

FOR ENTRY YEAR: 2020/21

BSc Economics and Accounting

Level 4/Year 1 2020/21

Credit breakdown

| Status | Year long | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
|----------|------------|------------|------------|
| Core | 30 credits | 45 credits | 45 credits |
| Optional | n/a | n/a | n/a |

120 credits in total

Core modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|--|------------|
| Year long | EC1025 | Contemporary Issues In Economics, Finance And Business | 30 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC1000 | Microeconomics | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC1005 | Maths For Economics 1 | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC1007 | Statistics For Economists 1 | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EC1001 | Macroeconomics | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EC1008 | Maths For Economics 2 | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EC1009 | Statistics For Economists 2 | 15 credits |

Notes

N/A

Level 5/Year 2 2021/22

Credit breakdown

| Status | Year long | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
|----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Core | n/a | 60 credits | 15 credits |
| Optional | n/a | n/a | 45 credits |

120 credits in total

Core modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|--------------------------------|------------|
| Sem 1 | EC2045 | Intermediate Microeconomics | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC2046 | Intermediate Macroeconomics | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC2010 | Introductory Econometrics | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC2076 | Principles Of Accounting | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EC2011 | Topics In Applied Econometrics | 15 credits |

Notes

N/A

Option modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|---------|---------------------------------|------------|
| Semester 2 | EC2022* | Principles Of Finance | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC2083* | Principles Of Personal Taxation | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC2051 | Money And Central Banking | 15 credits |

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| Semester 2 | EC2034 | Economic History | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC2050 | Firms, Markets And Welfare | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC2053 | Environmental And Resource Economics | 15 credits |

Notes

Choose at least one module from EC2022* and EC2083*.

Students choose 3 modules in total for Semester 2

This is an indicative list of option modules and not definitive of what will be available. Option module choice is also subject to availability, timetabling, student number restrictions and, where appropriate, students having taken appropriate pre-requisite modules.

Level 6/Year Final 2022/23

Credit breakdown

| Status | Year long | Semester 1 | Semester 2 |
|----------|-----------|------------|------------|
| Core | n/a | 30 credits | 30 credits |
| Optional | n/a | 30 credits | 30 credits |

120 credits in total

Core modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|--------|-----------------------|------------|
| Sem 1 | EC3087 | Financial Reporting | 15 credits |
| Sem 1 | EC3052 | Management Accounting | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EC3004 | Dissertation | 15 credits |
| Sem 2 | EC3084 | Audit And Assurance | 15 credits |

Notes

N/A

Option modules

| Delivery period | Code | Title | Credits |
|-----------------|---------|---------------------------------|------------|
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| Semester 1 | EC3083 | Business Law | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EC3077 | Investment Management | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EC3057 | Management Science | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EC3066 | International Trade | 15 credits |
| Semester 1 | EC3023* | Industrial Economics | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC3067 | International Finance | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC3089 | Behavioural Economics | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC3080 | Public Economics | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC3058 | Corporate Finance | 15 credits |
| Semester 2 | EC3085 | Principles Of Business Taxation | 15 credits |

Notes

For Semester 1, choose 2 modules

For Semester 2, choose 2 modules

NOTE: For maximum exemptions students will need to choose Principles of Personal Taxation, Principles of Business Taxation and Business Law

This is an indicative list of option modules and not definitive of what will be available. Option module choice is also subject to availability, timetabling, student number restrictions and, where appropriate, students having taken appropriate pre-requisite modules.

Updates to the programme

| Academic year affected | Module Code(s) | Update |
|------------------------|----------------|---|
| 2022/3 | EC3005 | Addition of new optional module in Semester 1 |

^{*} requires EC2050 as a prerequisite

| 2023/24 | EC3005 | Removal of optional module | |
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BSc Economics & Accounting with a Year Abroad

Students may only enter this course by meeting the criteria outlined above in section 10.

FIRST AND SECOND YEAR MODULES

As for the first and second year of BSc Economics & Accounting.

THIRD YEAR MODULES

- 1) Students will spend one academic year studying at one of our overseas partner Institutions between the second and final years of their degree programme.
- 2) During their placement students are expected to undertake modules worth the equivalent of 120 credits at the University of Leicester. For European Institutions this is normally equal to at least 40 ECTS credits, and for Universities elsewhere in the world this is normally equivalent to eight academic modules.
- 3) Modules selected during the year abroad must be approved by School's Year Abroad coordinators and must be in subject areas relevant to a students' degree programme. The selected modules cannot be identical to those that have already been studied, or will be studied upon returning to Leicester for the final year.
- 4) Students who do not satisfactorily complete their year studying abroad will be transferred to the non-Year Abroad degree path for their final year.
- 5) Students will have up until the end of the second week of the first term of their third year to transfer to the non-Year Abroad degree voluntarily. After this point students who are not able to complete their year abroad will re-join the non-Year Abroad degree in the following year.

FOURTH YEAR MODULES

As for the third year of BSc Economics & Accounting.

BSc Economics & Accounting with a Year in Industry

Students may only enter this course by meeting the criteria outlined above in section 10.

FIRST AND SECOND YEAR MODULES

As for the first and second year of BSc Economics & Accounting.

THIRD YEAR MODULES

- 1) Students will work within a sponsoring company for a minimum of 9 months between 1 July of the second year of their course and the start of the following academic year.
- 2) During their placement students will undertake a programme of training and practical experience which will be agreed by the sponsoring company and the University.
- 3) During the placement students' progress will be monitored through a variety of activities including the maintenance of a regular log. Students will complete a report and will be expected to make a presentation towards the end of their placement. The report and presentation are requirements for the awarding of the degree but are not part of the formal assessment for the degree.
- 4) Students who do not satisfactorily complete their industrial placement year will be transferred to the non-Industry degree path.
- 5) Students will have up until the end of the second week of the first term to transfer to the non-Industry degree voluntarily. After this point students who are not able to complete their year in industry will re-join the non-Industry degree in the following year.

FOURTH YEAR MODULES

As for the third year of BSc Economics & Accounting.

Appendix 2: Module specifications

See undergraduate <u>module specification database</u> (Note - modules are organized by year of delivery).

Appendix 3: Skills matrix

| Programm e Learning Outcomes | EC1000 | EC1001 | EC1005 | EC1007 | EC1008 | EC1009 | EC1025 | EC2010 | EC2011 | EC2050 | EC2045 | EC2051 | EC2046 | EC2052 | EC2053 | EC2034 | EC2083 | EC2022 | EC2076 | Year Abroad | Year in Industry | EC3023 | EC3052 | EC3004 | EC3077 | EC3066 | EC3057 | EC3058 | EC3067 | EC3083 | EC3087 | EC3084 | EC3085 | EC3080 | EC3089 |
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| (a) Discipline specific knowledge and competenc ies | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (vi) Other discipline specific competenc ies | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (b) Transferabl e skills | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Oral communic ation | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| clearly written material with appropriate use of evidence | x | x | х | х | х | х | x | x | х | x | x | X | X | x | X | х | х | х | x | x | | X | X | X | X | x | x | х | х | X | X | X | x | X | x |
| Application of written communicati on skills within a workplace environment and in report | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | x | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| writing (Year in Industry variant only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| (iii) Informatio n technology | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Use word processing in the preparation of written work | х | | | x | x | x | x | | | | x | | x | | | x | x | х | | x | x | | |
| Use the internet to access appropriate information | | | | х | x | х | X | | | | | | | | | х | | | | | | | |
| Use spreadsheets for data presentation and analysis | | | х | х | | х | х | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Use specialist packages for statistical analysis | | | | | | х | X | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Application of information technology skills within a workplace environment and in presentation (Year in | | | | | | | | | | | | | | x | | | | | | | | | |

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| (iv) Numeracy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Employ general numerical, mathematical and statistical skills | x | x | х | х | х | х | x | x | x | x | х | х | х | x | х | х | х | x | | x | x | x | x | x | x | х | x | x | x | x | x | x |
| Application of numeracy skills within a workplace environment (Year in Industry variant only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | х | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (v) Team working | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Demonstrate basic team working skills | | | | | | | х | | Х | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Application of team building skills within a workplace environment (Year in Industry variant only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | х | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (vi) Problem solving | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| Demonstrate problem formulation and solution | х | х | x | Х | х | х | x | X | х | x | x | x | х | x | x | х | х | х | Х | х | | х | х | х | х | х | х | Х | х | х | х | Х | х | х | x |
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| Application of problem solving skills within a workplace environment (Year in Industry variant only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | x | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (vii) Informatio n handling | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Find and use appropriate information from a variety of sources | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | X | x | | x | x | х | x | x | x | x | x | х | х | X | x | x | X |
| Application of information handling skills within a workplace environment (Year in Industry variant only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | х | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (viii) Skills for lifelong learning | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Collect and apply new | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | х | х | Х | х | Х | х | Х | х | х | Х | | х | Х | Х | | х | х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | | | Х | Х |

| ideas and concepts | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Ī | |
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| Combine new knowledge and techniques with prior understandin | х | x | x | X | x | x | | x | x | | | | | | | x | x | x | x | | х | X | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | x | | x | x |
| g | | | | | | | Х | | | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Demonstrate and produce independent work | х | | | | | Х | х | Х | Х | | | | | | | х | | Х | х | | | | х | х | х | | | x | | Х | | | |
| Demonstrate time | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| management skills through adhering to deadlines | х | x | х | x | x | Х | × | Х | х | x | × | × | X | X | X | х | х | х | х | | х | х | Х | х | Х | х | x | Х | х | Х | | Х | Х |
| Use a variety | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| of sources of knowledge appropriately | Х | х | Х | Х | х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | Х | | Х | Х |
| Demonstrate ability to learn in a different cultural environment (Year Abroad | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | х | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Application of a variety of employability and transferable skills (some outlined | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | x | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| already above) within a workplace environment (Year in Industry variant only) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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