

# Chartered Banker MBA

A Post Graduate Qualification in Collaboration with the Bangor Business School



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**BANGOR**  
UNIVERSITY

ASIAN  
BANKING  
SCHOOL

In association with:



Chartered Banker

The Chartered Banker MBA was created in 2010 by the Bangor Business School in partnership with the Chartered Banker Institute.

It is the only degree in the world with dual qualification that allows you to gain a top MBA and the 'Chartered Banker' status - the highest professional designation available to bankers worldwide.

Bangor Business School is the only institution in the world able to offer the Chartered Banker MBA.

There are now over 1,000 CBMBA holders in 100 countries.

# WHERE IS BANGOR?



Bangor University was established in 1884 and is the first in the world to offer a degree in Banking

Bangor Business School was the first learning institution in the UK to be designated a Centre of Excellence by the Chartered Banker Institute

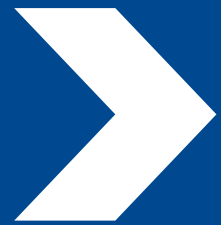
Bangor Business School was listed as one of the world's most influential business schools by the Financial Times (June 2021)

Bangor Business School is ranked in the world's top 10% of Institutions and Economists in the Field of Banking and is ranked highest of all UK universities by RePEc (Sept 2021)



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ABOUT  
BANGOR



# PROGRAMME DELIVERY

**2** Intakes per year  
April & October

Fully Online

Study Guides

Textbooks

Online tutorials

Revision workshops

Lectures

Personal Tutor

# Study Pathway – Short (Super) Accelerated Programme

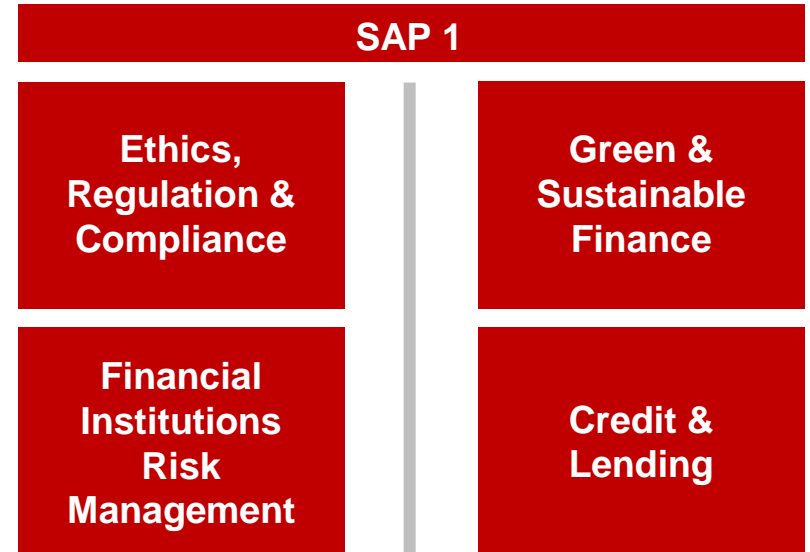
**12**  
Months

RM  
**75,000**  
Fee

- £3,125 per module (total £12,500) for the Short (Super) Accelerated Programme
- A 1/3 Scholarship to self or part funded individuals

**4**  
Modules

This is a set route where students study the following four modules depending on which route they are eligible for:



## Entry Requirements

**Short Accelerated Route 1**

- Holders of an MBA or congruent master's degree; or
- A bachelor's degree together with 10 years or more very senior banking experience held at an executive level

**Short Accelerated Route 2**

- Applicants with a first degree and a high-level professional qualification (such as your AICB Chartered Banker), and senior executive experience for at least 10 years

*Note : The standard full programme requires 8 Core and 4 Optional modules and takes 24 months to complete at a cost of £27,000 (about RM162,000) per person*

# Study Pathway - Accelerated Programme for Banking Professionals

**18**  
Months

**RM 108,000**  
Programme Fee

- £2,250 per module (total £18,000) for the Accelerated Programme
- A 1/3 Scholarship to self or part funded individuals

**6**  
Core Modules



**2**  
Optional Modules

See below for the structure of each study route; please note module listings are for guide purposes only and are subject to change:

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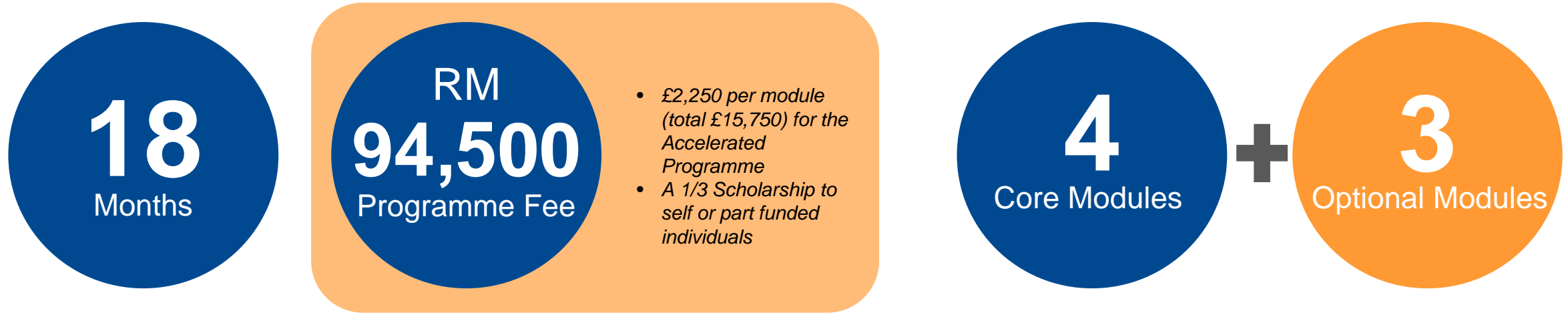
Applicants with an approved and completed professional qualification (such as those already holding Chartered Banker status) together with at least three years of relevant managerial experience.

*Note : The standard full programme requires 8 Core and 4 Optional modules and takes 24 months to complete at a cost of £27,000 (about RM162,000) per person*

## SUGGESTED SEMESTER GROUPING FOR MODULES



# Study Pathway - Accelerated Programme for Accounting Professionals



## Entry Requirements

Applicants with an approved and completed accountancy qualification (such as ACCA) together with at least three years of relevant managerial experience.

*Note : The standard full programme requires 8 Core and 4 Optional modules and takes 24 months to complete at a cost of £27,000 (about RM162,000) per person*

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## SUGGESTED SEMESTER GROUPING FOR MODULES

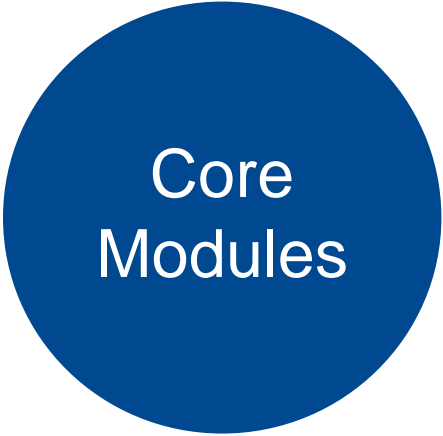






**All students will be enrolled onto a 'Study Skills' module that individuals who have been away from academia for some time will find beneficial**

# Assessments & Exams

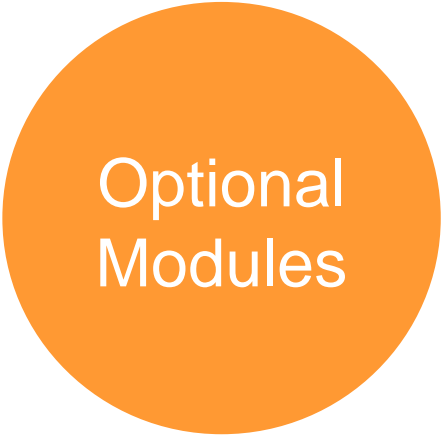


## Core Modules

Assessed with a 2,000-word assignment due half-way into the semester and a 2-hour examination at the end. The weightage is 40/60 respectively and the passing mark is 50%.

### Examinations

- Computer-based and invigilated remotely
- Strictly 2 hours with 20 minutes reading time
- Exam format varies per module and consists of MCQs and/or essays
- Online Revision Session will be held before each exam
- Access to a test version of the Computer Based exam platform
- Past papers will be made available on the learning platform for practice purposes
- If a student has failed an exam, they can re-sit the paper at a fee of £100 each time up to 3 attempts
- Exams are arranged on one day, globally



## Optional Modules

Project based and wholly assessed on the 3,500-word assignment which is due on the last day of the semester.

# Payments

## **CORPORATE** Sponsored Students

- **Payment Options**
  - STF claimable
  - Online payment via ABS website
  - HRD Corp – Skim Bantuan Latihan (SBL)
- **Corporate Discount**
  - Effective December 2024, the Bangor Business School will no longer extend discounts for corporate sponsored students

## **SELF OR PART** Funded Students

- **Payment Options**
  - Monthly instalments or pay per semester or module with Bangor Business School
  - EPF Account 2 withdrawal – For Malaysians and non-Malaysians below 55 years old
  - 0% Interest Credit Card Instalment Plan with AmBank & Affin Bank
  - Term Loan facilities with flexible repayment schemes with AmBank, Affin Bank & Maybank
- **Scholarship**
  - A 1/3 Scholarship to self or part funded individuals is available from the Bangor Business School
    - Example: For the Short (Super) Accelerated Route where two modules are studied per semester, the fee would be:  
 $£6,250 - 1/3 = £4,167$  per semester x 2 semesters = £8,334 in total

# How to Apply

1

Pre-qualification (i.e. route eligibility confirmation through review of CVs) is no longer available with Bangor University. Candidates are asked to explore the various pathways offered based on their qualifications and work experience on the [Bangor University website](#) or [ABS website](#)

2

Once candidates have an idea of their route eligibility, they can apply for the programme through ABS.

3

This can be done by submitting a personal statement, updated CV, reference letter from your relevant employer, copies of official certificates of completed educational qualifications i.e. degree awards and professional qualifications along with official course transcripts and a copy of the main page of your passport to ABS

4

ABS will then submit your application with the supporting documents to the Bangor Business School Application Portal for their review and further processing. An Offer letter will be issued if the application is complete. The candidate will then find out their route eligibility and the accompanying fees.

5

While an applicant's route and eligibility will be subject to final confirmation by the Bangor Business School, ABS can use their discretion to make recommendations to the School on behalf of an applicant.

For registration and more information, visit:

**[www.asianbankingschool.com](http://www.asianbankingschool.com)**

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