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Take a career leap with the Chartered Institute of Management Consultants[®]

CIMC MEMBERSHIP

The Chartered Institute of Management Consultants ® is a professional body for those working in the field Management Consultancy. Globally, the Chartered Institute of Management Consultants® shows the way for those working in the management consulting arena by upholding high ethical standards and good governance

The Institute is dedicated to high ethical and professional standards within the profession and are committed to raising the profile of the management consultancy. The CIMC has an expanding membership who work at all levels of management consultancy and are represented in over 20 countries across the globe.

CIMC membership is open to all those who work or are planning a career in the managing consultancy profession. Many of our members hold positions in high profile firms and are at the top of their chosen profession. We offer a choice of membership grades that enable you to choose the membership category that suits you best. We look forward to welcoming you to CIMC.

MEMBERSHIP GRADES

The CIMC membership structure caters for different educational and professional needs. It is designed to allow you entry at an appropriate level, accurately reflecting your academic standards, vocational skills, experience and contribution to the accounting profession.

CIMC offer three grades of membership:

- Chartered Management Consultant - ChMC
- Associate Member
- Fellowship

EXEMPTIONS

Examination waiver program allows highly qualified applicants to apply directly for the ChMC designation. There are no precise criteria for the examination waiver as CIMC applicants are based worldwide. All applications are evaluated individually by the Certification Board.

CAPELLA PARTNERSHIP

ABOUT CAPELLA

Capella's Management Consulting Certificate has been developed in partnership with CIMC.

Capella is an accredited online university dedicated to providing an exceptional, professionally-aligned education that puts you in the best position to succeed in your field. Our challenging curriculum is competency-based, combining foundational theory with real-world application, to ensure our students receive a high-quality education.

FLEXPATH

This unique approach to learning also can help you save money while you complete your degree sooner. FlexPath is approved by The Higher Learning Commission and the U.S. Department of Education. With FlexPath, you will work at your own pace to complete a series of assessments in each required course. A key advantage of this approach allows you to move quickly through subjects in which you are already proficient and skip re-learning things you already know.

THE CERTIFICATE

The Management Consulting certificate is designed to prepare learners to pursue the ChMC designation.

Learners focus on developing competencies associated with the Common Body of Knowledge in Management Consulting and gain knowledge and skills to tackle the complex management challenges facing organizations today.

TRANSFER TO AN MBA

Once you've completed the Management Consulting Certificate, continue building advanced management skills—while saving time and money—by transferring up to 15 Management Consulting certificate credits into select Capella MBA specializations.

Capella's Management Consulting certificate was developed in partnership with the Chartered Institute of Management Consultants® (CIMC), an internationally recognized organization dedicated to the professional development of management professionals. Capella's certificate replaces the 15,000-word consultancy project incorporating the *Common Body of Knowledge in Management Consulting* as the academic pre-requisite to obtaining the Chartered Management Consultant® (ChMC) designation.

Management Consulting Certificate Description and Courses

The Management Consulting certificate is designed to prepare learners to pursue the ChMC designation from the Chartered Institute of Management Consultants. Learners focus on developing competencies associated with the *Common Body of Knowledge in Management Consulting* and gain knowledge and skills to tackle the complex management challenges facing organizations today.

Five Required Courses 15 quarter credits

Choose five from the following courses:

MBA6006	Leading Innovation in the Global Organization (3 quarter credits)
MBA6014	Financial Accounting (3 quarter credits)
MBA6016	Finance and Value Creation (3 quarter credits)
MBA6018	Data Analysis for Business Decisions (3 quarter credits)
MBA6024	Organizational Strategy (3 quarter credits)
	OR
MBA6147	Entrepreneurial Strategy (3 quarter credits)
MBA6231	Project Planning, Management, and Financial Control (3 quarter credits)

TOTAL 15 QUARTER CREDITS

Admissions Requirements

Bachelor's degree from an institution accredited by a U.S. Department of Education-recognized accrediting agency or an internationally recognized institution.
2.30 cumulative GPA from a bachelor's degree-granting institution.

Course Descriptions

MBA6006 - Leading Innovation in the Global Organization (3 quarter credits). In this course, learners examine the global leadership models and practices that drive innovation and change and enhance competitive advantage in complex and diverse environments. Learners also explore and assess the ways global leaders work to shape organizational culture, structure, and processes that support innovation and change.

MBA6014 - Financial Accounting (3 quarter credits). This course covers the tools, techniques, and methods of financial accounting and their applications in business. In particular, learners examine various financial accounting tools and appropriate techniques for applying them to inform business decisions across local and global organizations. Learners also explore financial statement development, analysis, and control and the tax, ethical, and legal implications of various accounting decisions.

MBA6016 - Finance and Value Creation (3 quarter credits). This course covers the tools, techniques, and methods of finance and their applications in business. In particular, learners examine the financial tools and methods used to create firm value across local and global organizations. Learners also explore the financial structures of firms; global financial markets; and the tax, ethical, and legal implications of various finance decisions. Prerequisite(s): MBA6014.

MBA6018 - Data Analysis for Business Decisions (3 quarter credits). In this course, learners study the ways in which data analysis informs and supports business decisions. Learners explore and practice applying tools and techniques for converting raw qualitative and quantitative data into information that is supportive of organizational decision making. Other course topics include data acquisition and organization, descriptive and basic inferential statistics, and content analysis.

MBA6024 - Organizational Strategy (3 quarter credits). In this course, learners integrate the theories, practices, and models of strategy with foundational global business knowledge. Learners examine the competitive local and global business environment, evaluate the core business functions of various organizations, and analyze the information that derives from those functions. Learners then synthesize this information into a comprehensive strategic plan that is designed to enhance organizational decision making and leadership. Prerequisite(s): MBA6008 or MBA6180; MBA6014; MBA6016; MBA6018 or MBA6140. Prerequisites do not apply to Management Consulting certificate learners. Cannot be fulfilled by transfer or petition.

MBA6147 - Entrepreneurial Strategy (3 quarter credits). In this course, learners examine various strategies used in local and global entrepreneurial ventures; the ways in which these strategies help facilitate the sustainability of the venture; and how different strategies can be applied at different times of the venture's lifecycle. Learners also study the purpose of entrepreneurial exit strategies and explore current topics associated with entrepreneurial social responsibility, including "green"/environmental considerations. Prerequisite(s): MBA6024, MBA6141. Prerequisites do not apply to Management Consulting certificate learners.

MBA6231 - Project Planning, Management, and Financial Control (3 quarter credits). This course focuses on defining management techniques for planning, estimating, and facilitating successful enterprise projects. Learners define a project, develop work breakdown structures, prepare project schedules, and determine ways to coordinate the various resources. Techniques are introduced to help keep projects on track and enhance team motivation. In addition, learners explore planning, time management, and risk management activities that assist them throughout their program and professional careers. Prerequisite(s): MBA6016. Prerequisite does not apply to Management Consulting certificate learners.

Tuition & Fees*

Members and employees of CIMC get a 10% discount on Capella's Management Consulting certificate—and on all other Capella University courses.

	PER CREDIT	TOTAL CERTIFICATE
Application Fee		\$50
Tuition	\$720	\$10,800
CIMC member discount	\$(72)	\$(1,080)
TOTAL \$	\$648	\$9,720

*This tuition estimate is effective July 1, 2013, and is subject to change.

Transferability to MBA Degree Program

Once you've completed the Management Consulting Certificate, continue building advanced management skills—while saving time and money—by transferring up to 15 Management Consulting certificate credits into select Capella MBA specializations.

Job Outlook

The job outlook for management consultants is expected to be strong—the U.S. Bureau of Labor statistics projects more than 20% growth in the next decade—as businesses seek new ways to gain efficiencies and drive down costs.

Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics

Start when you're ready – learners have the option to enroll at eight different times throughout the year.

If you have questions about Capella's Management Consulting Certificate or would like more information, please contact an enrollment counselor at 1-888-227-9896 or via [email](mailto:info@capella.edu).

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MERGERS & ACQUISITION CERTIFICATE

The Mergers and Acquisitions certificate is a completely online course provided by our academic partner, Brainmeasures. Brainmeasures have top-of-the-line professionals who work closely with experts in every field they teach, and these minds work together to create inclusive material. On top of this, the course designers draw on the experience of field experts in order to transmit some of their experience into the students through example learning. This means that a student with a Brainmeasures certification has a level of experience that no other entry-level employee could possibly ever have.

This course consists of the Brainmeasures Mergers and Acquisitions course, followed by an online exam. After successful completion of the online exam you will be awarded a certificate from Brainmeasures and a Mergers and Acquisition certificate from CIMC.

COURSE SYLLABUS

Below is a glossary look at what this course covers:

- Process of Acquisition
- Keys of Participation
- Target Evaluation
- Sheet of Terms
- Patience
- Agreements
- Integration Process
- Accounting
- Acquisition Types
- Legalities

COURSE OVERVIEW

Complete the online Certificate in Mergers & Acquisition offered by our partner, Brainmeasures.

- On successful completion of this certificate you will be awarded the professional designation of Certified Merger and Acquisition Specialist - CMAS
- Professional designation certificate, will be issued on the payment of administrative fee to CIMC.
- You will be given a reference e-book to read which has 321 pages and the test will be based on that e-book, you can take the test only after 10 days of purchase.