



*Post Graduate Program in*

# **MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING**

*Pathway to CIMA Professional Qualification*

## Chartered Institute of Management Accountants – CIMA

CIMA (Chartered institute of Management Accountants) established in the year 1919, is a globally recognized qualification for careers in Business & Finance. More than 218,000 CIMA members are working in 177 countries.

*“ Work Across the organization, not just finance. Work across the world, not just India.”*

### What does CIMA Professionals do?

- Advise managers about the financial implications of projects
- Explain the financial consequences of business decisions
- Formulate business strategy
- Monitor spending and financial control
- Conduct internal business audits
- Explain the impact of the competitive landscape.

### Some of the roles performed by Management Accountants are:

Business analyst	Group treasurer	Financial manager	Forensic accountant
Project manager	Director of operations	Director of IT	Director of business planning
Chief finance officer	Financial controller	Management consultant	Director responsible for change

### A Global Profession:

AICPA, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and CIMA, two of the world's most prestigious accounting bodies, have established Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA) as the most valued, globally recognized management accountant designation. On becoming CIMA Members you are automatically entitled to the CGMA Designation.

**Membership of CPA , Australia:** All the CIMA members (on submissions of documents and fee) will get CPA - Australia qualification (without writing any exam).

### Best of Finance and Management in CIMA

CIMA Professional qualification not only prepares you for a career in Finance by teaching subjects like Financial, Management & Accounting but also teaches you Business & Management skills with subjects like Strategy, Cost planning, Marketing, HR etc. CIMA bridges the gap between MBA & CA, as CIMA members are more equipped to DRIVE business performance, not just MEASURE it.



## Exemptions by ICWA (ICAI):

CWA and CA members are entitled to 15 exemptions out of the 16 exams conducted by CIMA. They directly have to sit the Strategic case study exam.

## Employer's choice - Globally

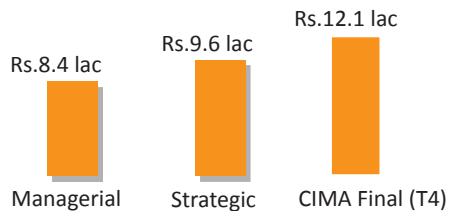
CIMA Professional qualification is a passport to a global career because it is highly valued by employers. It is held in high esteem in 176 countries around the world and is in great demand because of its strategic and managerial focus.

Nearly 4500 companies have become training partners of CIMA. A few of them are:

Sector	Companies
FMCG	Procter Gamble, Unilever, Nestle, Pepsi co, Coca Cola, Telco, Kellogg's
Banking & Finance	KPMG, Deloitte, PWC, E& Y, Barclays, HSBC, Morgan Stanley, RBS, Deutsche Bank, American Express
IT	Accenture, IBM, Cisco, Siemens, Capgemini,
Automobile	Ford, Airbus, Rolls Royce
Other	Shell, BP, British Airways, Sony, Vodafone, Xerox

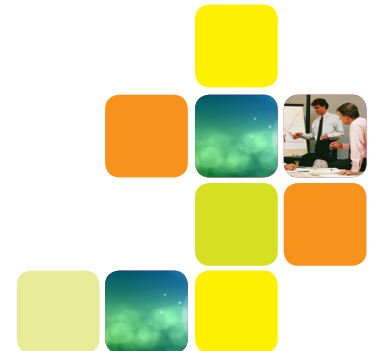
## Annual Remuneration levels in India (based on level of exam passed)

Source 2011 CIMA India part qualified Salary survey.



\*Low base under 30 & Salary includes both Basic and bonus

**Growing requirement of CIMA Members in India**  
Indian companies continue to expand their business activities beyond domestic boundaries and MNCs continue to set up their operations in India. This has resulted in an immense need for a global professional qualification that is recognized and widely accepted across organizations, sectors and countries.



## Proschool PGP in Management Accounting

Recognizing the need for Management Accountants with depth of knowledge and cross functional skills, IMS Proschool has introduced a dedicated 9 months program in Management Accounting for both – students and working professionals. This program is aimed at developing a range of skills and will open many career options in finance. The program design is approved by CIMA and candidates with Proschool's PGP-MA certification can directly appear for the Management Gateway examination of CIMA, thereby getting exemption from 7 papers at Operational & Managerial levels.

## Pathway to CIMA Professional Qualification

The path to CIMA membership is open to all irrespective of whether a candidate is from Commerce, Science or Arts background.



### PGP-MA Advantage

- Accounting and Finance Career with a Management Focus
- Cost and Time Efficient
- Shortest route to a CIMA qualification
- Flexible design for Students and Working Professionals
- Comprehensive classroom study that prepares you for CIMA Master gateway exam



## Program Outline:

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
Financial Accounting	Financial Reporting	Advance Financial Reporting
Managerial Economics	Financial Management - Excel	Case Study Analysis
Organization and Management	Relationship Management	Project & Relationship Management
Management Accounting I	Management Accounting II	Advance Management Accounting
Basic of Excel and Communication	Report Writing	

## Program Variants

### PGP MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING – Weekend

For working professionals & graduates who want to work along with the program. This program will be available in both *a. Classroom and b. Live Virtual Classroom format.*

### PGP MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING – Comprehensive

This specialized program is designed for graduates or undergraduates who want to undergo full time program and also looking for practical training that will impart them with job-oriented skill sets. You'll be gaining working experience of various roles of the Finance Industry through Project Driven/ Role playing Classes by essaying the following roles under the guidance of an expert mentor.

## Role Playing:

- **Financial Reporting Manager:** learn IFRS and apply the concepts of IFRS to prepare the Financial Statements.
- **Internal Auditor:** learn about Risk Management and Internal Audit and prepare an audit report for a company.
- **Pricing Analyst:** learn transfer pricing and will apply the concept as Pricing Analyst.
- **Budgeting and Financial Planning Manager:** prepare the budget of a company, and help in forecasting by preparing the project finance model.
- **MIS Reporting:** learn Advance Excel like Dashboard, Pivot Table, Macros ext and prepare various reports like : HR Report, Cost Report, Department report etc.
- **Business Analyst:** learn to analyze strategies and take smart decisions for business development.

- Note\***
- *Apart from playing above role(s), Business Communication and Professional grooming will become major part of the program.*
  - *Project driven training will be conducted on weekdays. Training medium includes classroom, live Virtual Class-room & Online Training.*



## Certifications

### PGP-MA

On successful completion of the course, students will be awarded Proschool's Post Graduate Certification in Management Accounting.

### CIMA Advance Diploma in Management Accounting:

After getting PGP in Management Accounting certification, students will be automatically eligible to appear for CIMA Gateway Assessment & after passing Gateway Assessment, CIMA Institute will award the successful candidates "Advance Diploma in Management Accounting".

### AWARD of CIMA Membership

After getting Advance Diploma in Management Accounting, students have to clear 3 papers and 1 case study of Strategic Level and along with required work experience to become CIMA Qualified Professional.

### Testimonials:



**Srinivas Krishnan** : CIMA, Managing Director, Crown W worldwide CIMA gives us an excellent exposure in application of management concepts in practice. It has helped me develop my skills for the same and has definitely boosted my growth as a professional



**Muthu Manickam** : CIMA, Vice President , HDFC Bank Ltd Obtaining the CIMA Qualification is a testament to the skill sets one has acquired and provides the much needed confidence. It allows one to be abreast of the latest developments in the industry and the accounting world and aids a member to be up to date.



*\*Installment options are available*

## Difference Between MBA Finance and CIMA

An admission in the top 20 B-schools is a route to a rewarding career, however, it is always better to have a backup plan. This comparison is only with those colleges which do not belong to the top 20.

	<b>MBA (Finance)</b>	<b>CIMA</b>
Value for Money	Costs between Rs.3 lacs to 7 lacs.	Costs around 1 to 1.8 lakhs, which is comparatively lesser.
Faculty	Mainly academicians with PhD background.	Faculties with CIMA background and working with top firms at high positions.
Flexibility	Full time course, with no option of online batches or weekend courses, which puts limits on working.	Weekend batches for classroom training and live virtual classes to earn while learning and recover the training cost.
Syllabus	Purpose of syllabus is general management	Curriculum is a blend of CA, MBA and CWA courses, with focus on finance subjects.
Recognition	MBA has recognition in India.	Professional global qualification from CIMA and AICPA.
Competition	High competition due to large number of pass outs.	Lesser competition in the job market, and preferred by 4500 MNCs.
Role Playing Training	No role playing guidance is furnished under MBA (Finance) program.	Role play training under the guidance of industry experts for polishing your skill sets relevant in the job-market.

### Admission Process

1. Eligibility Criteria: The candidate should be a Bcom or BBA graduate with minimum 55% or above. Final year candidates can also apply . Final year candidates should have minimum 60% or above in 10+2 or equivalent .
2. Selection process: Candidates will be shortlisted on the basis of their application and will be called for an interview. Candidates selected in the interviews will be intimated by email and can confirm their admission by paying Exam fee.

### How to Apply?

- Step 1: Download and fill the application form available at [www.proschoolonline.com](http://www.proschoolonline.com) or fill the application form available with this brochure
- Step 2: Attach – 2 Passport size photo and self attested copy of highest qualification till date
- Step 3: Send it by post / Courier to IMS Proschool Centre
- Step 4: Schedule Your interviews



# About Proschool

Proschool, is an Initiative of IMS. At IMS, our goal for the past 35 years has been simple - Build a long term successful career. Prschool is an extension of the same mission. At Proschool, we provide practical skills and knowledge at affordable cost, in the shortest possible time. Our endeavor is to get students into jobs that give them useful experience for a successful and longterm career. And we hope to serve the industry by providing them trained resources that are productive and efficient.

## IMS Proschool Success

- Trained over 20,000 candidates on Financial Planning and Wealth Management
- Created over 500 Associate Financial Planner's
- Over 1000 students for Financial Modeling Programs

## Trainer to the Industry

- State Owned Banks – SBI, BOI, SBBJ, IDBI
- Foreign Banks – CITI, Deutsche
- Security Houses –Kotak Securities, ICICI Direct, Motilal Oswal, Tata Securities
- Mutual Fund Companies – Sundaram BNP Paribas, Optimix.
- Insurance Companies – ICICI Prudential

## Institutional Tie- ups

- Partner of NISM, an initiative of SEBI to create Financial
- Planning proficiency among students across India.
- CIMA: official Learning Partner of CIMA Global
- NSE India for Financial Modeling Certificate Program
- Government of Gujarat, Tribal Development Department for Skill Development.

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**Skill India**  
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Skill Development  
Corporation  
Transforming the skill landscape

## Our Centres

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