

# *The Academy*

## *PwC's Educational Institute*

**Today's business world needs leaders with strategic thinking, who can inspire those around them. Our international experience and leading market position gives us a unique opportunity to help both you and your company to increase the value of human capital which you need to succeed in the market.**

The educational institute, The Academy, which has operated on the Slovak market since 2009, is the unique creation of consulting firm PwC. As one of the few such institutions in Slovakia, it offers the internationally recognised certifications and qualifications of leading professional organisations such as the ACCA, CIMA, PMI and CIPD. We also organise training courses on various topics in the field of finance, accounting, and human resources.

Our vision is to help you by providing internationally recognised professional qualifications, aligned with business and soft skills training, to educate future leaders; those you need to succeed in the global marketplace.



### **We believe that continuing education is of great importance and benefit**

- Investment in quality education is one of the decisive factors when choosing an employer - you become more in demand as an employer and increase the loyalty of your employees.
- Attracting and retaining quality graduates and skilled professionals is one of the main goals of employers. Internationally recognised qualifications and certification will help your organisation reach other circles in the labour market, and at the same time will give you the opportunity to identify key talent within your company.

### **How we are unique**

- **Experienced tutors - members of professional organisations**, with more than 20 years of experience in providing consulting services and training for our clients and students.
- The Academy provides students with **comprehensive administrative support** and preserves the cooperation of students with tutors during the whole training programme.
- The Academy offers **competitive prices** and is an authorised centre for the ACCA and CIMA electronic exams in Bratislava and Košice.
- **Innovation** - every year we bring new qualifications to our clients according to their interests and needs.
- **CPD points** - for completion of The Academy training, you can get CPD points.

## Finance

### ACCA - Association of Chartered Certified Accountants

ACCA is one of the largest and fastest-growing international accountancy bodies.

#### ACCA Qualification

ACCA study provides the knowledge, skills and professional competence and prepares financial experts capable of building successful careers across all sectors.

#### Foundations in Accountancy

FIA is a set of entry - level awards which are concluded by a certificate.

#### DipIFR

#### ACCA Diploma in IFRS

This study programme is aimed at expanding knowledge and better understanding of IFRS.

#### IFRS, statutory accounting, US GAAP and tax

A cycle of one-day training on selected topics providing a basic overview and news in the respective field.

#### IFRS Academy

#### The most extensive IFRS training in Slovak

A 10-day study programme that comprehensively covers the issue of IFRS. Individual modules can be completed as a whole, or you can combine up to 5 selected areas based on your area of interest.

#### VAT School

6 module seminar is designed for everyone who works with VAT and needs to gain a comprehensive knowledge of it, who is in charge of tax returns, accounting for and deducting VAT, issuing invoices and the proper determination of VAT treatment.

## CIMA - Chartered Institute of Management Accountants

The CIMA is the world's largest professional body of management accountants.

#### CIMA Professional Qualification

CIMA study prepares people for a career in business. It explains the significance of numbers to non-financial managers.

#### CIMA Qualification for Lawyers

#### Certificate in Business Accounting

The CIMA Certificate in Business Accounting qualification provides legal professionals with a solid comprehension of the financial decision-making.

## Project Management

### PMI – Project Management Institute

PMI is the world's largest membership association for the project management profession.

#### Project Management Professional (PMP)®

PMP® credential is the most important industry-recognized certification for project managers.

#### Certified Associate in Project Management (CAPM)®

CAPM® is a valuable entry-level certification for project practitioners designed for those with little or no project experience.

## Human Resources

### CIPD - Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development

The CIPD is the professional body for HR and people development.

#### CHRP Certificate in HR Practice

Qualification for HR professionals who wish to expand their knowledge and skills.

#### CHRM Certificate in HR Management

Qualification for those who are already working in a managerial position in HR, leading a team of people or individual projects.

#### CIPD Masterclasses

A series of one-day seminars on various HR topics

## Management Skills

### Unique Shaolin courses

Developed especially for CEOs and top managers.

#### „Self-Empowerment”

At the end of the training, participants will be able to apply the techniques to remove and overcome the limitations to improve their quality of life in general and more.

#### Conflict Management

The objective of this training is to provide the practical skills to avoid the escalation of conflicts and to find ways to resolve them.

#### Stress Management

The ultimate goal of this session is to help you move away from being "pushed around" by your appointments, your commitments, your stress and your emotions.

#### Dealing with Uncertainty

For some people uncertainty can lead to a feeling of being powerless which is furthermore accompanied by being frozen and blocked. Learn why and how to use your agility, open-mindedness and focus to speed up your actions.

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