Program ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN ACCOUNTING AND BUSINESS

Course Description FINANCIAL REPORTING

Course Code FR

Compoment COURSE OUTLINE

A. The conceptual and regulatory framework for financial reporting

- 1. The need for a conceptual framework and the characteristics of useful information
- 2. Recognition and measurement
- 3. Regulatory framework
- 4. The concepts and principles of groups and consolidated financial statements

B. Accounting for transactions in financial statements

- 1. Tangible non-current assets
- 2. Intangible assets
- 3. Impairment of assets
- 4. Inventories and agriculture
- 5. Financial instruments
- 6. Leasing
- 7. Provisions and events after the reporting period
- 8. Taxation
- 9. Reporting financial performance
- 10. Revenue
- 11. Government grants
- 12. Foreign currency transactions

C. Analysing and interpreting the financial statements of single entities and groups

- 1. Limitations of financial statements
- 2. Calculation and interpretation of accounting ratios and trends to address users' and stakeholders' needs
- 3. Limitations of interpretation techniques
- 4. Not-for-profit, and public sector entities
- D. Preparation of financial statements
 - 1. Preparation of single entity financial statements
 - 2. Preparation of consolidated financial statements for a simple group
- E. Employability and technology skills
 - 1. Use computer technology to efficiently access and manipulate relevant information
 - 2. Work on relevant response options, using available functions and technology as would be required in the workplace
 - 3. Navigate windows and computer screens to create and amend responses to exam requirements, using the appropriate tools
 - 4. Present data and information effectively, using the appropriate tools