



**LEADING TREASURY
PROFESSIONALS**

**BA Finance
BA Accounting and Finance**

FAST TRACK TO ACT PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

As a graduate of the BA Finance or BA Accounting and Finance programme at Hertfordshire Business School you can take advantage of the exemptions you will have earned through your university studies to gain the ACT's internationally recognised professional accreditation.

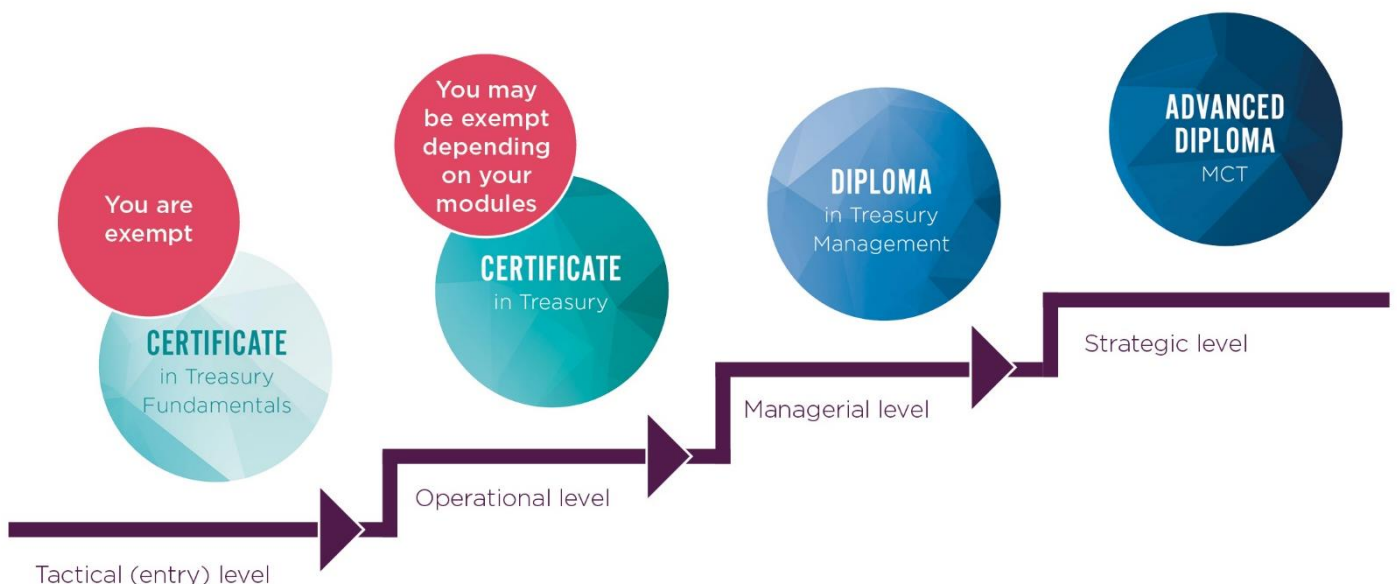
ACT qualifications pathway

The ACT has a progressive learning path. This means there is a qualification to suit your needs at whatever level you are at. You can study to support your career development as your progress from a junior to more senior position or jump on and off the study pathway at your appropriate level.

- Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals
- Certificate in Treasury
- Diploma in Treasury Management
- MCT Advanced Diploma

What this means for you

Completing your BA Finance or BA Accounting and Finance degree means that you are exempt from the Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals. Depending on the modules you have studied, you may also be exempt from all of, or certain modules of, the Certificate in Treasury.



You have several options to choose from depending on which modules you have taken as part of your degree:

Option 1: Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals

Successful BA Finance and BA Accounting & Finance graduates who have passed the Corporate Treasury Management module can take up the award of Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals. This means that you can receive the Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals certificate and stipulate that you have the Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals on your CV.

You do not need to sit an assessment to gain this exemption as your university studies have been mapped to the Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals syllabus.

The fee to receive your award is **£95* and the eAffiliate membership fee of £100 if you are not yet an eAffiliate member**. Thereafter there is an annual membership fee.

If you want to take up your Certificate in Treasury Fundamentals award, you will need to complete the online exemption form, which can be found at www.treasurers.org/universityexemptions.

Option 2: Certificate in Treasury

Certificate in Treasury – Option 2A Exemption

Successful BA Finance and BA Accounting & Finance graduates who have passed the Corporate Treasury Management module can receive an exemption for the Certificate in Treasury. This means you can start studying the Diploma in Treasury Management straight after graduating.

The fee to receive your exemption is:

Affiliate membership fee: £169.00 (£169 for a full membership year starting in May – you pay a pro rata amount depending on when you start. Thereafter there is an annual membership fee, payable in May)

Exemption fees for Certificate in Treasury £750 *

If you want to gain the exemption to our CertT award you will need to complete the online exemption form, which is available at: www.treasurers.org/universityexemptions

Certificate in Treasury – Option 2B Exemption and Dual Award

Successful BA Finance graduates who have taken and passed BOTH Corporate Treasury Management AND Analysing Financial Statements (formerly known as Analysing Financial Information); & BA Accounting & Finance graduates who have taken and passed BOTH Corporate Treasury Management AND International Financial Management can take up the award of the Certificate in Treasury. This means that you receive the Certificate in Treasury certificate and can stipulate you have the Certificate in Treasury on your CV.

The fee to receive your award is:

Affiliate membership fee: £169.00 (£169 for a full membership year starting in May – you pay a pro rata amount depending on when you start. Thereafter there is an annual membership fee, payable in May)

Exemption fees for Certificate in Treasury £750 *

If you want to gain the exemption to our CertT award you will need to complete the online exemption form, which is available at: www.treasurers.org/universityexemptions

Certificate in Treasury – Option 2C Partial exemption

BA Accounting and Finance graduates who have taken and passed the International Financial Management module; & BA Finance graduates receive exemption for Certificate in Treasury (CertT) units:

- Unit 1: Context of Treasury
- Unit 2: Cash & Liquidity Management
- Unit 3: Corporate Finance

You would therefore only need to complete 2 units to gain the Certificate in Treasury qualification.

The fee to receive your award is:

Student membership fee £169

Exemption fees for CertT (3 units) £450*
Assessment/exam fee (2 units) £300 *
Online course fee (ACT Learning Academy) (2 units) £700 *

For more information about the CertT learning programme please visit: <https://www.treasurers.org/certt>.

This has syllabus, factsheet and links to booking learning and assessment.

To claim your exemptions, go to www.treasurers.org/universityexemptions

* Fees are subject to any applicable sales taxes/VAT

Further information

If you have any queries please contact the ACT Professional Standards team on:

email: professionalstandards@treasurers.org

Telephone: +44 (0)20 7847 2527

eAffiliate membership

If you are not interested in taking up the exemptions at this stage, you can still take your first steps into an extensive network of treasury and finance professionals, by becoming an eAffiliate member of the ACT.

eAffiliate membership offers a range of benefits including:

- Inclusion on circulation lists for events and webinars and invitations to member-only events such as regional group meetings and careers forums.
- A digital copy of The Treasurer magazine, plus full access to The Treasurer website: www.treasurers.org/thetreasurer
- Access to the ACT's Careers Hub, which holds a wide range of personal career development resources: www.treasurers.org/membership/careerhub
- Access to the ACT mentoring scheme, Mentor Me

There are discounted rates for eAffiliate membership for students at ACT Approved Universities. Please contact Louise Tatham, Head of Professional Development on ltatham@treasurers.org for further information.

We look forward to welcoming you into the network.

Association of Corporate Treasurers (ACT)

The Association of Corporate Treasurers (ACT) is the membership organisation for treasurers, with a global network of around 7,000 members and students in 90 countries. The ACT supports its network in several ways, ensuring that the treasury and finance community is informed and empowered with CPD resources so that every individual can perform to the best of their ability. 86% of FTSE 100 companies employ ACT members and students.

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