

Accredited University

Programme Accreditation Statement

(This Accreditation Statement consists of 7 pages)

Issued to:	Higher Colleges of Technology (005464202)																
Programme:	Bachelor's degree in Logistics and Supply Chain Management																
Physical location:	All or some of the following campuses: <table border="1"><tr><td>Dubai Women's College</td><td>Dubai Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Abu Dhabi Women's College</td><td>Abu Dhabi Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Al Ain Women's College</td><td>Al Ain Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Fujairah Women's College</td><td>Fujairah Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Ras Al Khaima Women's College</td><td>Ras Al Khaima Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Sharjah Women's College</td><td>Sharjah Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Madinat Zayed Women's College</td><td>Madinat Zayed Men's College</td></tr><tr><td>Ruwais Women's College</td><td>Ruwais Men's College</td></tr></table>	Dubai Women's College	Dubai Men's College	Abu Dhabi Women's College	Abu Dhabi Men's College	Al Ain Women's College	Al Ain Men's College	Fujairah Women's College	Fujairah Men's College	Ras Al Khaima Women's College	Ras Al Khaima Men's College	Sharjah Women's College	Sharjah Men's College	Madinat Zayed Women's College	Madinat Zayed Men's College	Ruwais Women's College	Ruwais Men's College
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Delivery method:	Face to face																
Course director:	Dr. Aleksandra Zivaljevic																
Route/conditions:	As defined in Section 1																
Validation period (academic year):	1 September 2025 to 31 August 2026																

The above-named certificated learning programme is recognised for accelerated entry to:

CIPS Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply

The following conditions apply and must be met in full:

1. A condition of accreditation requires the University to ensure learners are aware of CIPS and encourage membership of CIPS during their period of study.
2. This Statement is renewable annually and is subject to a review process which requires the University to provide details of any relevant changes to the programme, particularly as they relate to content, structure or standard. Previous versions of the programme are not automatically accredited.
3. This Statement applies solely to the programme and institution mentioned above. Any other programmes, however similar in content, structure or standard are not included and must be accredited separately.
4. CIPS reserves the right to withdraw its accreditation of this programme if it becomes evident that the content, structure or standards have deviated substantially from the original programme or, if in the opinion of CIPS, further association with the programme brings CIPS into disrepute.

APPENDIX I

LEVEL ACCREDITATION – PROGRAMME RECOGNITION

Learners who successfully complete all units listed below, of Higher Colleges of Technology (HCT) Bachelor's degree in Logistics and Supply Chain, may apply for direct entry to the CIPS Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply, without having to complete the CIPS Diploma in Procurement and Supply. However, learners are NOT eligible to be awarded certification for the CIPS Diploma in Procurement and Supply.

Applications must be received within five years of the date on the degree certificate.

Section 1

Module Code	Module Title	Credit Value
Year 1 (Semester 1) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
MGT 1003	Principles of Management	3
ECO 1003	Microeconomics	3
ACC 1003	Financial Accounting	3
Year 1 (Semester 1) – General Studies:		
LSM 1003	Applied Mathematics	3
LSS 1003	Life and Study Skills	3
Year 1 (Semester 2) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
MRK 1103	Principles of Marketing	3
ECO 1103	Macroeconomics	3
ACC 1103	Managerial Accounting	3
Year 1 (Semester 2) – General Studies:		
AES 1003	Emirati Studies	3
LSC 1103	Academic Reading and Writing 1	3
Year 2 (Semester 3) – Student must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
STS 2003	Business Statistics	3
FIN 2003	Financial Management	3
SLM 2003	Supply Chain Management *	3
Year 2 (Semester 3) – General Studies:		
AES 1013	Arabic Communication	3
LSC 2103	Academic Reading and Writing 2	3
Year 2 (Semester 4) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
OPM 2103	Operations Management	3
MGT 2103	Organisational Behaviour	3
QMT 2003	Total Quality Management	3
Year 2 (Semester 4) – General Studies:		
LSN 1113	Introduction to Sustainability	3
LSC 1503	Academic Spoken Communication	3
Year 3 (Semester 5) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
BIS 3003	Business Information Systems	3
MGT 3003	Business Ethic and Corporate Governance	3
STS 3113	Advanced Statistical Models	3

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Module Code	Module Title	Credit Value
SLM 3003	Supplier Management *	3
Year 3 (Semester 5) – General Studies:		
LSH 2403	Innovation and Entrepreneurship	3
Year 3 (Semester 6) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
MGT 3103	Strategic Management and Simulation	3
LAW3103	Business and Commercial Law	3
SLM 3103	Warehouse and Distribution Management *	3
SLM 3113	Logistics Management *	3
Year 3 (Semester 6) – General Studies:		
AES 3003	Professional Arabic	3
Year 4 (Semester 7) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
SLM 4003	Supply Chain Risk Management *	3
SLM 4013	Supply Chain Operations Planning and Control *	3
QMT 4103	Project Management	3
SLM 4033	Sourcing in Procurement *	3
Year 4 (Semester 7) – General Studies:		
LSS 2533	Research Methods	3
Year 4 (Semester 8) – Students must complete and pass ALL modules listed below		
SLM 4103	Procurement and Inventory Management *	3
SLM 4113	Negotiating and Contracting in Procurement *	3
SLM 4123	Managing Relationships in Procurement *	3
QMT 4053	Lean Management	3
SLM 4203	Logistics and Supply Chain Final Project	6

*Denotes core courses for the Bachelor’s Degree programme.

Additionally, there are also two internships (6 credits each), in which all students are required to participate.

There are no conditions attached to this Level Accreditation; this is a named degree and there are no optional courses, and all students must complete and pass all courses in the table above before they are permitted to graduate onto the CIPS Level 5 Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply.

Section 2

Conditions

- 1) Full undergraduate and postgraduate programmes will be assessed for CIPS Accreditation.
- 2) Universities applying for a programme Accreditation provided by CIPS must be registered on the Ecctis database <https://www.ecctis.com/> formerly the National Academic Recognition Information Centre (NARIC).
- 3) A minimum of 120* credits of specialist content must be present in each Accredited Programme.
- 4) Course length
 - a. CIPS requires undergraduate programmes to be of a minimum 3 year duration with a minimum total credit value of 360*.
 - b. Masters programmes will be a minimum of 1 year duration with a minimum total credit value of 180* credits.
- 5) Universities and Programmes will be assessed using evidence provided by the University on the Accreditation application form. Accreditation decisions will be reviewed and confirmed by the CIPS Accreditation Panel.
- 6) Fees for initial Accreditation assessment and annual membership (renewal fee) are paid in advance. Fees are subject to annual increases which will be notified by CIPS in advance. Accreditation is only valid provided there are no outstanding fees relating to the accreditation application/renewal.
- 7) Each University with an Accredited programme will be issued with an Accreditation Statement and CIPS Accreditation Certificate confirming the Accreditation status of each programme.
- 8) For programmes delivered in multiple physical locations the following applies:
 - a. For face to face delivery or a blended delivery, each physical delivery University location will be required to apply for and fund (at the standard renewal rate) their own Accreditation Statement and Certificate.
 - b. For programmes delivered as full on-line programmes from one site to students in multiple locations, a single Accreditation Statement and Certificate is required at the standard renewal rate.
- 9) Programme Accreditations are not confirmed retrospectively.
- 10) Access to Accreditation Statements will be provided via the CIPS website. Universities are required to share the details of the Accreditation Statement with each student enrolled on Accredited programmes at the start of each year of their studies.
- 11) Students will not receive CIPS certificates for their participation in a CIPS Accredited Programme. CIPS membership certificates (MCIPS) will be issued once all the conditions for CIPS membership have been met.

12) University responsibilities:

- a. Ensure the Accreditation Statement is provided to all students of Accredited programmes at the start of each year.
- b. Actively promote CIPS and CIPS membership (MCIPS and MCIPS Chartered) to students and teaching staff.
- c. Use, refer and encourage the use of CIPS Knowledge (from the CIPS website) within the Accredited programme, dissertations and so on.
- d. Use the CIPS brand as directed in the CIPS brand guidelines (please refer to CIPS website www.cips.org for more information).
- e. Notify CIPS at accreditations@cips.org if there are any minor adjustments (a module change for example) to the programme as these will need to be assessed in context of the whole programme.
- f. Undertake a full programme review at least every 5 years and ensure the programme update is reaccredited by CIPS.
- g. Ensure programme Accreditations are in place for each year of a programme; discontinuous accreditations will prevent students applying for MCIPS if their programme takes more than 1 year to complete.
- h. Collaborate with CIPS to support the development of the profession.

13) MCIPS application conditions for graduates of CIPS Accredited Programmes:


- a. Accreditation Statements are in place for each of the years of the student's programme (i.e. a 3 year undergraduate programme will require 3 accreditation statements covering each year of study)
- b. Students will have passed their programme in full with no condonements or other exemptions.
- c. Students will have completed all the options or modules specified in the Accreditation Statement and met the other conditions detailed in the Accreditation Statement.
- d. Only students completing the full programme will be eligible for MCIPS, credit transfers between courses or institutions not specified on the Accreditation Statement will not be accepted.
- e. Where applicable, students have completed a dissertation as per the Accreditation conditions – please note the requirements in terms of topic titles and dissertation focus.

- f. Students must provide the following evidence as part of their application for MCIPS:
- i. A Line Managers' letter
 - ii. A fully detailed CV with relevant procurement and supply related experience
 - iii. A copy of qualification certificate
 - iv. A copy of qualification transcript with all completed units
 - v. A copy of dissertation/thesis, if applicable to the programme taken
- 14) Learners must apply to CIPS for membership, MCIPS, within five years of achieving the accredited programme award. The five year period commences from the date of award on the original certificate issued by the HEI or AO.
- 15) All application documents for CIPS membership, MCIPS, must be submitted in English.
- 16) CIPS reserves the right to withdraw accreditations in the following circumstances:
- a. Immediate withdrawal – where the activities of the university are or may bring the CIPS brand into disrepute.
 - b. End of year withdrawal – where in CIPS's own opinion the programme no longer meets the CIPS principles and/or the conditions set out above.

*(*Global regional credit value variation (where applicable) is assessed and considered by the CIPS external reviewer in issuing this accreditation statement, and equivalent weightings have been deemed acceptable)*

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SIGNED



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