

Without Question



Learning Outcomes for Universities

Without Question: an innovative teaching tool for universities

Without Question is the second film produced by ICAEW which brings to life the challenges and complexities of a fast paced work environment that ICAEW Chartered Accountants operate in. Through this immersive story, students are able to gain an insight into business relationships, decisions and problems enabling them to discuss the ethical implications and far-reaching impact of the actions of the various characters.

Without Question can be used across your business school as an additional engaging resource to your courses, helping to bring classroom learning to life.



Without Question highlights the pivotal role accountants can play in the success or failure of a business.

Without Question helps to demonstrate the importance of professional scepticism and ethical behaviour in an immersive and complex working environment. It also showcases the professional skills that are vital for successful chartered accountants. Developing these seven key skills at university will make students more employable and start them on their journey towards to completing the ACA. These skills are:

- Adding value
- Communication
- Decision-making
- Problem solving
- Ethics and professionalism
- Teamwork
- Technical competence

Each of these professional skills also follow five key themes that will be vital for the future professional. *Without Question* helps students to use these themes in order to develop their professional skills:

- Adaptability the ability to recognise that business is in a constant state of change and evolution, to be curious about this, and to be flexible and adjust thinking, approach or methods as required.
- Insight the ability to analyse and interpret data and think critically to provide commercial insight.
- Collaboration the ability to partner and consider diverse perspectives to create successful outcomes while being accountable for self.
- **Perspective** the ability to take a holistic view of business issues and decisions, considering external stakeholder interests and enterprise-wide implications.
- Learning and reflection the ability to reflect on experience, learn and change to be more efficient and effective.

For information about the future professional please visit icaew.com/futureprofessional



Use Without Question to:

- Demonstrate the importance of professional development - a key component of ACA training.
- Illustrate how companies and boards operate through real-life scenarios.
- Develop students' commercial awareness - understand the business decisions ICAEW Chartered Accountants need to make and the impact on them.
- Highlight the importance of ethics and professional scepticism and explore how ICAEW Chartered Accountants should and could deal with ethical dilemmas.
- Explain the work of auditors and their role to give impartial advice to boards.
- Highlight the need for quality checking and the right way to interrogate information.
- Develop employability skills that will be assessed throughout the recruitment process of large graduate recruiters eg, how to manage upwards, difficult client relationships and teamwork.

Why choose Without Question?

- Minimal pre-preparation required this film is supported by a suite of flexible training materials that have been developed for university use in lectures and seminars.
- Reinforces classroom learning using realistic scenarios that give students the opportunity to apply their knowledge to simulations of real-life situations.

- Can be incorporated into modules for use in exams, coursework etc.
- Unlimited access to film contact and resource throughout the period of the licence.
- The themes and settings in the film are purposefully generic so it can be used for training in any country.

ICAEW Partners in Learning will receive a discounted price for a *Without Question* licence. There is no cost involved in becoming a Partner in Learning and all universities and higher education providers are eligible to apply. Forms and further information on the Partner in Learning scheme can be downloaded at icaew.com/hei

How to purchase a licence for Without Question

A licence for Without Question will give you:

- unlimited use of *Without Question* for three years; and
- training materials to support your lectures/seminars.

To make an enquiry into purchasing the film contact us at withoutquestion@icaew.com. We'll send you a licence agreement to sign and payment details. On receipt of these, we'll send you a link to download the film and supporting materials.

About Without Question

To view the trailer and for more information, visit icaew.com/withoutquestion

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Training, developing and supporting accountants throughout their career, we ensure that they have the expertise and values to meet the needs of tomorrow's businesses.

Our profession is right at the heart of the decisions that will define the future, and we contribute by sharing our knowledge, insight and capabilities with others. That way, we can be sure that we are building robust, accountable and fair economies across the globe.

ICAEW is a member of Chartered Accountants Worldwide (CAW), which brings together 11 chartered accountancy bodies, representing over 1.6m members and students globally.

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