



## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

### Peneraju Profesional Akauntan Siswazah-MICPA (PPAS-MICPA)

#### A. PROGRAMME OVERVIEW

##### 1. What is the programme about? What does it aim to achieve?

This programme aims to increase the number of certified professional accountants via the fastest route to a career in accountancy. This programme is targeted towards young and motivated candidates to start their professional accounting certification after their tertiary studies.

##### 2. Who is the programme for?

This programme is targeted at graduates with a degree in accounting from any institutions accredited from The Malaysian Institute of Certified Public Accountants (MICPA). The entry requirements are as below:

- Malaysian Bumiputera
- 25 years old and below
- Degree in Accounting accredited with a minimum CGPA of 3.00 accredited by MICPA
- Household gross income is not more than RM 20,000 per month

##### 3. Which professional accounting certification would I be able to pursue under this programme?

This programme gives you the opportunity to obtain professional accounting certificates of MICPA and the Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand (MICPA-CAANZ). Graduates with MICPA- CAANZ certificate will be entitled to use the titles of Certified Public Accountant (Malaysia) and Chartered Accountant (ANZ).

##### 4. What are the benefits of this programme and how is it different from other programmes?

This programme gives scholars the opportunity to obtain an internationally recognized professional accounting certification (MICPA-CAANZ) immediately after completion of degree while being funded at leading education institutions in Malaysia.

Furthermore, scholars will also undergo a Nurture and Develop Programme (NDP) design to improve the soft skills of each scholars to be well-equipped before embarking on a career.

##### 5. How long is the programme?

Scholars will need to complete all certification papers within 3 years which consists of 9 months of full time study and 27 months of part time study while working with Approved Training Employers (ATE) certified by MICPA.

## B. EDUCATION FUND

### 1. What type of sponsorship covered by this programme?

This programme is sponsored in a convertible loan basis where the tuition fees, annual subscription fees, initial registration fees, exam fees and exemption fees, allowances and accommodation (subject to changes), will be put under a loan basis. However, scholars are only required to pay only a maximum of 20% from the total of the mentioned fees upon completion of the programme (terms and conditions apply). Further reductions of the payable amount will be subjected to Yayasan Peneraju's discretion and the scholar's performance.

**\*Yayasan Peneraju has the rights to change any policies that have been declared.**

### 2. What are the consequences I would face if I breach the contract?

Scholars who withdraw or who are terminated from the programme are required to pay all costs incurred on behalf of the scholar to Yayasan Peneraju. The amount will be calculated by Yayasan Peneraju up to the point of termination.

### 3. If I receive another loan / scholarship, am I still eligible to receive Yayasan Peneraju's sponsorship?

No. Only one sponsorship is allowed at one time.

## C. TUITION PROVIDER

### 1. Is this programme offered in all states in Malaysia?

Currently, no. It is dependent on the tuition provider's locality. At this point, this programme is offered in Klang Valley only.

### 2. Which tuition provider offered for this programme?

You may refer to our website and select the preferred tuition provider when applying for this programme.

### 3. Do I need to get the offers from tuition provider before applying for this programme?

No. Malaysia Professional Accountancy Centre (MyPAC) will manage the enrolment of successful candidates with your selected tuition provider.

## D. APPLICATION

### 1. How do I apply for this programme?

You can apply through Yayasan Peneraju's website ([www.yayasanpeneraju.com.my](http://www.yayasanpeneraju.com.my)) when the application opens.

### 2. What should I do after applying for this programme?

You will be contacted by MyPAC to submit the relevant documents. Only candidates that meet the requirements and complete the documents will be informed by MyPAC to attend the interview and assessment sessions.

### 3. Am I required to apply in tuition provider's website?

No. If you already made the application through Yayasan Peneraju's website, there is no need to apply through tuition provider.

### 4. What if I am currently taking MICPA-CAANZ? Can I still apply?

No. We only accept applications from applicants who have not started any certification papers.

## E. ASSESSMENT

### 1. Is there any assessment for the selection?

A technical test and interview session will be part of the assessment process to select qualified Bumiputera candidates who meet the application requirements for the programme.

### 2. If I pass the assessment, how will I be notified?

Those who pass the assessment will be notified in the form of email by MyPAC.

## F. AGREEMENT/BOND

### 1. Would I be bonded with Yayasan Peneraju after I have finished the programme? If so, how many years would the bond be in effect?

No. Scholars who have completed the programme will not be bonded by Yayasan Peneraju. However, scholars are required to work in Malaysia, or if outside of Malaysia, scholars are required to work with a Malaysian company (terms and conditions apply).

### 2. Am I required to commit to any kind of official contract / agreement?

Yes. An official offer will be made and scholars are required to enter into a Sponsorship Agreement with Yayasan Peneraju.

**3. Would I be able to reject the offer if I am shortlisted?**

Yes. The agreement is only bonded after it has been signed and delivered to Yayasan Peneraju.