



Australian Government

Auditing and Assurance Standards Board



# GRADUATE 20 PROGRAM 21

# THE OPPORTUNITY

**Each year, the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board (AUASB) invites one or more Honours or postgraduate Accounting students to participate in its Graduate Program.**

The Graduate Program will allow students to gain experience and exposure to all facets of accounting and auditing standard setting, from the technical behind-the-scenes work required to create or amend standards, through to project management, communications, and research.

During this time, Graduates will have exposure to senior figures in the world of finance, including regional and international standard setters. AUASB Graduate interns are highly sought after by large and mid-tier accounting firms, corporates, and other Government agencies.



***“This Graduate Program is such a great experience for self-development, and it has helped me understand the direction I want to pursue in my career”.***

**- Jean You, 2019 Graduate Intern**

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## What To Expect

The 12-month Graduate Program is a competitively remunerated position. Participants can expect to provide technical support to the AUASB, which amongst other activities, will include:

- Researching national and international topics related to accounting standards, which affect the for-profit, not-for-profit and public sectors
- Assisting in the drafting of accounting standards
- Collating and analysing submissions received by the AUASB for presentation to the Board, and preparing papers about current financial reporting issues
- Participating in meetings, including some interstate travel
- Engagement with key stakeholders, including the Big 4
- Preparing newsletters and other communications materials relating to major international developments in financial reporting and related issues



# HOW TO APPLY



## Requirements

The program runs for 12 months, and to be considered, graduates should demonstrate the following:

- Excellent academic results, including research experience that has been demonstrated through an Honours degree in accounting or finance, or a relevant postgraduate qualification
- Excellent communication skills
- An interest in the accounting industry
- A keen interest in developing effective technical, organisational, and interpersonal skills that will be transferrable in their future career

## How To Apply

Applications should be sent to [enquiries@uasb.gov.au](mailto:enquiries@uasb.gov.au) no later than 23 October 2020, and must include the following documents:

- A cover letter outlining why you are interested in the AUASB Graduate Program
- Resume
- Official transcript of results
- Evidence of right to work in Australia

For more information about the AUASB Graduate Program, please contact us at [enquiries@uasb.gov.au](mailto:enquiries@uasb.gov.au)