



The American Anti-Corruption Institute (AACI)

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Overview

Certified Anti-Corruption Fellow (CACF)

Engaging University Students to Prevent Corruption

Tempe - Arizona

# The Fight Against Corruption

- Corruption exists in each country, but to varying degrees.
- More than 180 countries have ratified the United Nations Convention Against Corruption (UNCAC).
- The UNCAC is the only international legally binding agreement that may have consequences for the signed parties.
- Youth are a central pillar in the design and application of the national anti-corruption strategy.



# The Role of Universities in Fighting Corruption

- Universities are social organs that have a central role in fighting corruption.
- Most universities do not engage their students in fighting corruption.



# The Role of Universities in Fighting Corruption (Cont.)

- Most universities do not teach students relevant anti-corruption courses.
- Even when they teach anti-corruption in different forms, they deliver it in an academic manner that does not have a significant impact on the mindset of the youth.



# The Universities' Dilemma

- The government, private sector, investors, community, students, parents, and other stakeholders expect universities to provide students with a minimum of optimum anti-corrupt knowledge and skills, but universities cannot or do not do so.
- Today's students are the leaders of tomorrow. They are the decision-makers who will determine the success or failure of the fight against corruption at all levels.
- Many universities do not have sufficient and appropriate resources.



# Certified Anti-Corruption Fellow (CACF)

- It is a professional certification process that provides students with a minimum of optimum anti-corrupt knowledge and skills and tests their knowledge in one day.
- The program is delivered by The AACI's experts and proctored by members of The AACI.
- The CACF is available for students at universities that have agreed with The AACI to deliver it at its premises.
- The AACI delivers the CACF review course and exam in-person or via Zoom.



# CACF Texbook

The syllabus of the CACF is the following:

- Internal control
  - Fraud and corruption
  - Corporate governance
  - Management and decision making
  - The global commitment to fighting corruption
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- 246 Pages; 5 Units; Q&A



CERTIFIED ANTI-CORRUPTION FELLOW

(CACF)

REVIEW TEXTBOOK

EXAM UNIT

THE AMERICAN ANTI-CORRUPTION INSTITUTE (AACI)

2020 EDITION

# CACF Syllabus and Grades Allocation

THE CACF EXAM COVERAGE			
The CACF Syllabus	Number of Questions	Percentage of the Exam	
Part 1: Internal Control	15	30%	
Part 2: Fraud and Corruption	15	30%	
Part 3: Corporate Governance	8	16%	
Part 4: Management and Decision Making	8	16%	
Part 5: The Global Commitment to Fight Corruption	4	8%	
<b>Total</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>100%</b>	





# CACF Eligibility Requirements...

- A CACF candidate is a current student (Bachelor's, Master's, or Ph.D.) at the university who has completed at least 90 semester credit hours.
- The university agreed with The AACI to conduct the CACF for its students at its premises.



# CACF Parameters

- It is a closed book and a proctored online exam.
- The entire exam consists of 50 (fifty) multiple-choice and true/false questions.
- It is limited to 65 (sixty-five) minutes. Once you start the exam, it will stop automatically after 65 minutes.
- You cannot pause and resume later.
- You must attempt each question to move forward. However, you will not be able to go backward.



# CACF Parameters (Cont.)

- You can take the exam twice: the first one on the day of the CACF Review Course and Exam, and the second time by December 31st of the year you attended the review course. Should you pass the exam, you will not be eligible to sit for it again.
- The passing score on the exam is 75%, or 38 questions out of 50.
- When you pass the exam, you may download the CACF certificate.



# Registration for the CACF

- The university shall provide us with an excel sheet that has the names of the CACF candidates.
- We will return the excel sheet together with the **registration passwords** so that CACF applicants may begin registering (the Exam Unit will supply us with your web address on time) to enable CACF candidate:
  1. **Download and read** the CACF Review Textbook, and
  2. Sit for a **practice session** of the CACF:15 questions;20 minutes, multiple-choice and true-false questions.



# A One-Day Review Course and Exam

- We shall agree on a date where we shall deliver the program in person or via Zoom.
- The American Anti-Corruption Institute (AACI) expert will deliver the program in person or via Zoom. However, a CACM (member of The AACI) shall proctor the CACF exam at the university premises.
- Number of Students Per Session (program)
  1. Min. 50 CACF candidates (students)
  2. Max. 100 CACF candidates (students)



# Delivery of the CACF Review Course and Exam

## 1- Duration: 8 hours.

- The entire program, including the in-person proctored online exam, will take 8 hours to complete.

## 2- Six-hour in person or online live sessions

- The AACI's expert shall conduct two 'online or in person' live CACF review sessions; for three hours each. They provide an overview of the CACF review textbook and address students' queries.



# Cost

The cost per student is USD XXX. It covers the following:

- CACF registration
- CACF textbook
- CACF review course
- Proctoring fee
- Sitting for the CACF exam
- CACF Certificate ( upon passing the exam)



# Payment

Payment is due in two installments:

- 50% before we send the passwords for the CACF candidates to register for the program.
- 50% before we deliver the CACF review course and proctor the exam.





# Relevant Notes

1. The administration of this program shall be done by Tomorrow's Advice Global, Beirut, Lebanon.
2. The AACI will deliver the program, monitor the program administration, and oversee the exam delivery.
3. The university will provide the necessary facilities for students to take the exam. It is a closed-book, in-person proctored exam.

**Caveat:** A CACF is not a member of The American Anti-Corruption Institute (AACI).





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