# THE QUALIFICATION





The advanced level, specialist qualification in international tax

ADIT is a driving force in the field of international taxation and provided a real opportunity to reinforce my practical skills in international tax law, developed initially through an LL.M.

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Around 2,000 firms and organisations employ ADIT people around the world

#### What is ADIT

The international tax professional today has a varied background, and is expected to be increasingly mobile with an understanding of more than one taxation system. ADIT, designed by a board of world-leading experts, has been created to provide the robust foundation in international tax that today's professional needs. ADIT is an independent means of demonstrating international tax expertise at a global standard, and currently supports a growing community of students, graduates and International Tax Affiliates in over 120 countries and territories.

# An accessible qualification

Because ADIT is designed for international tax professionals across the globe, with a wide range of academic and professional tax backgrounds, there are no pre-requisite qualifications. The exams are similar in level to those of a master's degree, and depending on your existing subject knowledge you can choose from a range of study options and course providers.

#### A modular structure

#### **MANDATORY MODULE**

PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL TAXATION

ADIT's modular structure is designed with flexibility in mind.

For more information on the modules and to view the ADIT syllabus, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/module-detail

#### **Extended essay**

Candidates may submit an extended essay in place of one of the exam choices, consisting of 15,000 to 20,000 words on any aspect of international taxation (subject to approval).

CHOOSE ANY TWO	
AUSTRALIA	INDIA
BANKING	IRELAND
CHINA	MALTA
CYPRUS	SINGAPORE
ENERGY RESOURCES	SOUTH AFRICA
EU DIRECT TAX	TRANSFER PRICING
EU VAT	UNITED KINGDOM
HONG KONG	UNITED STATES
EXTENDED ESSAY ON A TAX SPECIALISM OF YOUR CHOICE	

# **Exams held twice a year**

All modules are examined each June. The most popular modules are also examined in December.

# **Transparent exams**

Real questions and answers from previous exams are available to help with your study. Practice with previous exams will help you become familiar with the format and level of the exam, identify areas for further study and focus on exam technique.

To view past papers and suggested answers, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/past-papers

## Sit the exams online

ADIT exams are delivered online and can be sat anywhere in the world.

Ahead of exam day, you'll download our bespoke exam app onto your laptop or desktop computer. The exam can then be taken at a location of your choice, such as your home or office.

For more information, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/managing-exams

## **Study options**

ADIT courses, training and materials are provided by a range of academic institutions, commercial training organisations and course providers:

- ADIT specific courses specifically designed to prepare students for the ADIT exams
- Online learning materials and support from a course provider but no classroom attendance required
- In-house training the course provider comes to your organisation
- Classroom courses provided by other professional and academic institutions, with teaching relevant to the ADIT exams
- Self study our detailed syllabuses and recommended reading lists are supplied online and can be used as a guide to prepare for the examinations

For more information on study options, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/study-options



### **Certificates**

Certificates are issued to each student who successfully achieves the ADIT qualification, upon completion of three modules.

In addition, on-demand **standalone** and **modular** certificates are available to students who have partially completed the qualification.

For further information, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/certificates

## **Affiliates**

Students who successfully achieve the ADIT qualification are eligible to become International Tax Affiliates of the Chartered Institute of Taxation, and enjoy a number of benefits including networking and continuous professional development opportunities, recognition within the tax profession, and access to a range of tax resources.

To find out more, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/join

#### Fees\*

Student registration fee: £242
Exam registration fee (per exam): £222
Extended essay registration fee: £222

\* All fees are correct at the time of publication and are subject to change.

For key dates and deadlines, visit www.tax.org.uk/adit/exam-timetable

Holding the ADIT qualification demonstrates an advanced expertise in international tax and also certifies an exceptional ability to advise multinational organisations. It is valuable to my firm and highly regarded by my clients.

#### **Taiwo Oyedele**

Chairman, Presidential Committee on Fiscal Policy & Tax Reforms Government of Nigeria



Over 120 countries represented with ADIT people on every continent

www.tax.org.uk/adit

## Leadership

An Academic Board of leading international tax academics oversee and evaluate the technical content and rigour of the ADIT examinations to ensure the highest standard of assessment:

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