

12 December 2024

Disciplinary Committee ordered student removed

On 03 December 2024, the Disciplinary Committee of ACCA (the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) found proved the following allegations against Mr Haisheng Hu of Beijing, China:

Allegations

Allegation 1

- (a) On or around 08 February 2021 and 08 March 2021, Mr Haisheng Hu submitted or caused to be submitted to ACCA the documents listed in Schedule A all or any of which purported to have been issued by the James Cook University when in fact they had not;
- (b) Mr Haisheng Hu's conduct as set out in paragraph 1(a) above was:
 - i) Dishonest in that Mr Haisheng Hu knew that any or all the documents referred to at 1(a) above were false and were submitted in order to gain exam exemptions to which he was not entitled.
- (c) By reason of his conduct in relation to any or all of the matters set out at 1(a) – 1(b) above Mr Haisheng Hu is:
 - i) Guilty of misconduct pursuant to Byelaw 8(a)(i).

The Disciplinary Committee ordered that Mr Haisheng Hu be removed from the student register and to pay costs to ACCA in the sum of £5840.00.

Please note that this may be the subject of an appeal.

ACCA's regulations require ACCA to publish the Committee's findings and orders by way of a news release, as soon as practicable.

** An order made by the Disciplinary Committee shall take effect from the date of expiry of the Appeal Period referred to in the Appeal Regulations unless the Committee directs that the order should have immediate effect*

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