

20 May 2025

## Notice of hearing

A hearing of ACCA's Disciplinary Committee will take place at 08:00am on 17 June 2025. It will be held remotely but based at the ACCA's Offices, The Adelphi, 1-11 John Adam Street, London, WC2N 6AU.

The hearing is open to any member of the public or the media who wish to attend. However, ACCA is only able to accommodate remote access to the hearing. Please contact [adminadjudication@accaglobal.com](mailto:adminadjudication@accaglobal.com) to obtain information about attending this (or any other) hearing.

The case to be heard on this day concerns Miss Zixi Yang.

## Allegations

Zixi Yang ('Miss Yang'), at all material times an ACCA trainee:

- 1) On or about 27 February 2023 in relation to her ACCA Practical Experience Training Record caused or permitted a third party
  - a) To register Person A as her practical experience supervisor and further,
  - b) To approve in Person A's name 11 months of qualifying experience.
- 2) On or about 27 February 2023 in relation to her ACCA Practical Experience Training Record caused or permitted a third party
  - a) To register Person B as her practical experience supervisor and further,
  - b) To approve in Person B's name 31 months of qualifying experience and further,
  - c) To represent that Person B was IFAC qualified which Miss Yang knew was not true and further,
  - d) To approve in Person B's name her performance objectives.

- 3) Miss Yang's conduct in respect of the matters described above was:
- a) In relation to Allegations 1 a) and / or 2 a), dishonest in that Miss Yang knew her supervisors, Person A and / or Person B, had been falsely registered as her practical experience supervisors.
  - b) In relation to Allegations 1b) and / or 2b), dishonest in that Miss Yang knew her supervisors, Person A and / or Person B, had not approved her qualifying experience.
  - c) In relation to Allegation 2c) dishonest in that Miss Yang knew Person B was not IFAC qualified and therefore not permitted in accordance with ACCA's guide to approve her performance objectives
  - d) In relation to Allegation 2d) dishonest in that Miss Yang knew Person B had not approved her performance objectives.
  - e) In the alternative, any or all of the conduct referred to in Allegations 1 and 2 above demonstrates a failure to act with Integrity.
- 4) In the further alternative any or all of the conduct referred to in Allegations 1 and 2 above was reckless in that Miss Yang failed to ensure that her Practical Experience Training Record was approved in all material respects by her practical experience supervisors Person A and/or Person B.
- 5) By reason of her conduct, Miss Yang is guilty of misconduct pursuant to ACCA byelaw 8(a)(i) in respect of any or all the matters set out at 1 to 4 above.

The allegations listed above are current at the date of publication.

The case will be heard by a panel of the ACCA's Disciplinary Committee.

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