

News release

28 May 2025

Notice of hearing

A hearing of ACCA's Disciplinary Committee will take place at 08.00am on 25 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 to obtain information about attending this (or any other) hearing.

The case to be heard on this day concerns Miss Yiran Shi.

Allegations

Miss Yiran Shi, a student of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants ('ACCA'):

- 1. During an on-demand Financial Accounting (FA) remotely invigilated exam taken on 24 August 2024 used an unauthorised item, namely a mobile phone during that exam contrary to Exam Regulation 5 (a).
- 2. The conduct referred to in Allegation 1 above was:
 - Dishonest, in that Miss Shi intended to gain an unfair advantage in her exam attempt for herself a) and or to assist others in their exam or in the alternative;
 - b) Such conduct demonstrates a failure to act with integrity.
- 3. Contrary to Regulation 3(1) of the Complaints & Disciplinary Regulations 2014 (as amended), Miss Shi failed to co-operate with the investigation of a complaint, in that she did not respond to any or all of ACCA's correspondence dated:

a.	3 Se	ptember	2024;

- b. 25 September 2024:
- c. 14 November 2024.
- 4. By reason of her conduct, Miss Shi is:
 - a) Guilty of misconduct pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i); or in the alternative:
 - b) Liable to disciplinary action pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(iii), in respect of Allegations 1 and 3 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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Our forward-looking qualifications, continuous learning and insights are respected and valued by employers in every sector. They equip individuals with the business and finance expertise and ethical judgment to create, protect, and report the sustainable value delivered by organisations and economies.

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