

07 May 2026

Notice of hearing

A hearing of ACCA's Disciplinary Committee will take place at 08.00am on 02 June 2026. 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 Mr Zhang Xiaoqian.

Allegations

Mr Zhang Xiaoqian ("Mr Xiaoqian"), a former registered student of the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants ("ACCA"):

1. On 4 August 2024 Mr Xiaoqian submitted or caused to be submitted to ACCA false documents, namely a Bachelor of Science in Accounting with Specialization in Professional Accountancy Certificate dated 6 June 2018 (the "Certificate") and an Examination Transcript dated 12 June 2018 (the "Transcript"), purportedly issued by the University of Macau in support of his application for exemptions.
2. Mr Xiaoqian's conduct in allegation 1 above was:
 - a) Dishonest in that he knew that the Certificate and Transcript he submitted or caused to be submitted to ACCA were false; or in the alternative;
 - b) Such conduct demonstrates a failure to act with integrity.
3. By reason of any or all of the conduct in allegation 1 and/or 2 above, Mr Xiaoqian is:

(a) Guilty of misconduct pursuant to bye-law 8(a)(i).

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

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Founded in 1904 to widen access to the accountancy profession, we've long championed inclusion and today proudly support a diverse community of over 252,500 members and 526,000 future members in 180 countries.

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.

Guided by our purpose and values, our vision is to develop the accountancy profession the world needs. Partnering with policymakers, standard setters, the donor community, educators and other accountancy bodies, we're strengthening and building a profession that drives a sustainable future for all.

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