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# GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN **COMPLIANCE**





## Programme Overview

Key highlights:

- First and only graduate compliance programme
- Developed by compliance professionals
- Certification in as quickly as one semester
- Apply best practices to cases and work scenarios

The Graduate Certificate in Compliance (GCC) programme, developed by compliance professionals for aspiring compliance professionals, aims to provide a strong foundation in regulatory and financial crime compliance and to apply that knowledge in designing and implementing an effective compliance risk and control framework.

The first of its kind among local university programmes, the GCC programme is intended to help meet the growing demand for compliance professionals as regulators worldwide seek to build increasingly robust financial systems amid regulatory breaches and code-of-conduct issues.

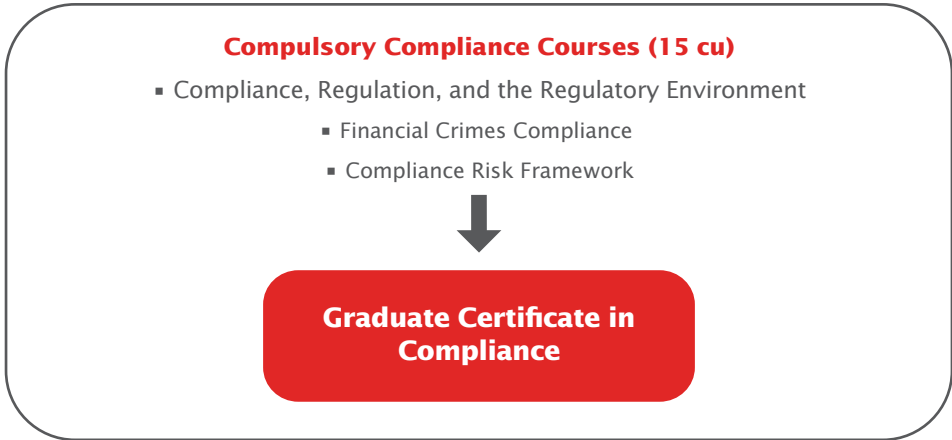
As the GCC programme can be completed in 6 months, the programme serves as a gateway into the area of compliance not only for fresh graduates but also for professionals working in other areas of the financial services industry who are looking to make the transition with minimal disruption.

Highlights of this programme include a focus on Singapore regulations to increase relevance to those working in the Singapore financial services sector, best practices in the combating of financial crimes (including money laundering and the countering of terrorism financing), the design of controls to address identified compliance risks, and an appreciation of how emerging trends like FinTech and RegTech, which have led to new business models, present unique compliance risks and challenges.

Classes will involve interactions with practitioners and will be conducted using case studies and work-based scenarios so that students can identify and analyse compliance-related issues and apply their knowledge in advising stakeholders.

## Programme Structure

Each of the courses in the GCC programme is 5 credit units and can be taken on a stand-alone basis. These courses can be stacked to a Graduate Certificate in Compliance upon successful completion of 15 credit units of coursework. The minimum programme duration is 6 months. Classes are conducted in the evenings during weekdays or on weekends, so students can continue to work in the day and study in the evening. Students have to maintain a minimum CGPA of 2.5 in their coursework as part of the fulfilment of the GCC programme.



## ADMINISTRATIVE DETAILS

### Admissions

Applicants should be Singapore citizens, permanent residents or residents in Singapore. In addition, you will need the minimum requirement of a bachelor's degree or equivalent from a reputable university. Applicants with social outreach or volunteering experience is an added advantage.

Shortlisted candidates may be required to undergo one or more interviews and/or take such written admission or other evaluation tests as may be prescribed by the university from time to time.

The offer of admission is dependent on the number of places available in individual programmes. The decision of the Admissions Committee of the Singapore University of Social Sciences is final and binding. The University reserves the right to refuse admission and is not obliged to offer an explanation for the non-admission of unsuccessful candidates.

### Tuition Fees

Our tuition fees are on par with those of other local universities. The amount of course fees you pay in each semester depends on the number of courses you take in that semester. Course fees cover all study materials, classes, tutor supervision, assignments and examinations. They do not include fees for optional textbooks and other additional items specified by the university from time to time.

Please visit [suss.edu.sg](http://suss.edu.sg) for current tuition fees.