

The CMA credential is ...

- **Focused** – On the critical skills you use in Business.
- **Rigorous** – 10 distinct content domains are tested at a mastery level.
- **Respected** – Leading Employers seek to hire and promote CMAs.
- **Valued** – CMAs earn higher compensation than noncertified professionals.
- **Convenient** – CMA Exams are offered electronically in hundreds of locations worldwide.

The CMA exam is designed specifically to validate mastery of the advanced skills required to manage finance functions within an organization, enabling you to deliver value in today's complex business environment.

There are two parts to the CMA exam, consisting of four hours each, which can be taken in any order.

By focusing only on advanced accounting and financial management skills, the exam is rigorous yet responsive to the needs of the marketplace and time-constrained professionals.

“Passing the CMA exam is an important step towards becoming a well rounded finance professional who truly adds value to organizations.

Being a CMA demonstrates that you are a business partner who understands the needs of management and is able to support the management team with deep insight on how businesses work as well as providing strategic support. Great networking opportunities come on top!”

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“Successful completion of the CMA is surely a validation of the ability of the employee, but also demonstrates the commitment and willingness of the individual to make an investment in his or her professional future. The hard work you put into your certification will prove to your employer that you are really dedicated to your career and your job!”

Andrea Ostinelli, CMA
Finance Director Johnson & Johnson

Switzerland

“The role of a CFO or finance leader, here in Germany as well as internationally, has evolved over the past decade or so. Whereas previously, financial reports and the efficient processing of transactions dominated our work, today business unit leaders expect a CFO to help define and implement new business strategies in global markets. The CMA exam offers the finance population an ideal way to gain the knowledge necessary to make those kinds of decisions.”

**Thorsten Pruin, CPA, CMA,
CFM, CIA, CISA**
CFO Monier Roofing Components GmbH

Germany

“The CMA has been really hard work for me, but that is also why I am now proud of enjoying its life long recognition. CMA is the certification of my personal branding: competency, professionalism, ambition, problem solving orientation. This is what I stand for, and CMA contributes to express this to my employer and to my colleagues.”

Michela Arnò, CMA
Sr. Associate - Financial Accounting and Control
ING Retail Bank International

The Netherlands

“The world today is very dynamic and even more dynamic and quickly changing is the business environment. Subsequently, a finance specialist must have solid knowledge in all areas of business, including excellent analytical skills and quick decision making capabilities. From my point of view, for persons pursuing finance careers, the CMA certification is the most adequate and helpful program to distinguish their excellence and to respond to those challenges of the business environment.”

Baurzhan Dairabaev, CMA, DiplFR
Finance Director
Toyota Tsusho Kazakhstan Auto LLP

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“Whenever I was asked what makes the CMA so special compared to other professional certificates, I answered that CMAs are making a better and more profitable business instead of just reporting the right figures. In 2008, I became a CMA and since then continuously deployed what I had learned back into the practice. I will keep telling people about this and encourage them to put on their hats of financial leadership.”

Kai Zhu, CMA
Manager Controlling
KaVo Dental GmbH (Danaher Dental Group)

Germany

“I keep telling younger people that the CMA certificate is for the long-term. It is not a free ticket to stardom, but rather a life-time passport for recognition. I was lucky to realize that early in my career and continued to invest in myself. I also hold DipIFR certificate of ACCA, the CPA, and local accountancy certificates. However, I value my CMA degree differently as I believe it is a clear indication of my knowledge base as well as the depth of my business experience.”

**Kerim Kazgan, PhD, CMA,
CPA, DiplFR, SMMM**
CFO Borusan Otomotiv

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