

Governance New Zealand Exemption Policy - Chartered Secretary

| Route | Finance for Decision Making | Corporate Law | Development of Strategy | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Corporate Governance | Risk & Compliance |
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| Fast Track Professional | | | | | | |
| Route 1: Qualified lawyer with current practicing certificate or qualified accountant with 5+ years' relevant experience | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core | Exempt |
| Law Professional | | | | | | |
| Route 2A: Qualified lawyer with a current practicing certificate and with 0-5 years' relevant experience | Core | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core | Core |
| Finance Professional | | | | | | |
| Route 2B: Qualified accountant with 0-5 years' relevant experience | Exempt | Core | Exempt | Core | Core | Core |
| Related Law Degree | | | | | | |
| Route 3A: Law degree but not a qualified lawyer | Core | Exempt | Core | Core | Core | Core |
| Related Finance Degree | | | | | | |
| Route 3B: Finance related degree but not a qualified accountant | Exempt | Core | Core | Core | Core | Core |
| Law & Finance Degree | | | | | | |
| Route 3C : Law degree and finance degree but not a qualified lawyer or accountant | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core | Core | Core |
| Standard Entry | | | | | | |
| Route 4: Entry requirements to include one or all of the following: Degree (other than finance/law related) 5+ years' relevant work experience MBA or Diploma in Business Management/Accounting/Law | Core | Core | Core | Core | Core | Core |



Governance New Zealand Exemption Policy – Chartered Governance Professional

| Route | Finance for Decision Making | Corporate Law | Development of Strategy | Enterprise Risk Management | Corporate Governance | Risk & Compliance |
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| Fast Track Professional | | | | | | |
| Route 1: Qualified lawyer with current practicing certificate or qualified accountant with 5+ years' relevant experience | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core | Exempt |
| Law Professional | | | | | | |
| Route 2A: Qualified lawyer with a current practicing certificate and with 0-5 years' relevant experience | Core | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core | Core |
| Finance Professional | | | | | | |
| Route 2B: Qualified accountant with 0-5 years' relevant experience | Exempt | Core | Exempt | Core | Core | Core |
| Related Law Degree | | | | | | |
| Route 3A: Law degree but not a qualified lawyer | Core | Exempt | Core | Core | Core | Core |
| Related Finance Degree | | | | | | |
| Route 3B: Finance related degree but not a qualified accountant | Exempt | Core | Core | Core | Core | Core |
| Law & Finance Degree | | | | | | |
| Route 3C: Law degree and finance degree but not a qualified lawyer or accountant | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core | Core | Core |
| Standard Entry | | | | | | |
| Route 4: Entry requirements to include one or all of the following: Degree (other than finance/law related) 5+ years' relevant work experience MBA or Diploma in Business Management/Accounting/Law | Core | Core | Core | Core | Core | Core |



Governance New Zealand Exemption Policy - ICSA/ICSI MoU

| Route 5A: Chartered Secretary | Finance for Decision Making | Corporate Law | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Development of Strategy | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Corporate Governance | Risk & Compliance |
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| ICSA/ICSI MoU Entry | | | | | | | |
| Route 5: Students must have been an Associate or Fellow member of good standing with the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) for a minimum of two years | Exempt | Core | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Exempt |
| Route 5B: Chartered Governance Professional | Finance for Decision Making | Corporate Law | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Development of Strategy | Enterprise Risk Management | Corporate Governance | Risk & Compliance |
| ICSA/ICSI MoU Entry | | | | | | | |
| Route 5: Students must have been an Associate or Fellow member of good standing with the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) for a minimum of two years | Exempt | Core | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core |
| Route 5C: Chartered Secretary & Chartered Governance Professional | Finance for Decision Making | Corporate Law | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Development of Strategy | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Corporate Governance | Risk & Compliance |
| ICSA/ICSI MoU Entry | | | | | | | |
| Route 5: Students must have been an Associate or Fellow member of good standing with the Institute of Company Secretaries of India (ICSI) for a minimum of two years | Exempt | Core | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Core |



Affiliate Membership (non-chartered) Entry Route

| Route 6: Affiliate | Finance for Decision Making | Corporate Law | Corporate Accountability: Meetings & Disclosure | Development of Strategy | Enterprise Risk Management | Corporate Governance | Risk & Compliance |
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| Affiliate (non-chartered) | | | | | | | |
| Route 6: Exemption may be granted if applicant holds a recognised professional qualification and have a min of 2 years' relevant work experience. Refer website for criteria | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Exempt | Core | Exempt |

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Core: This module is compulsory and must be passed.

Exempt: You will not need to study this module. Further exemptions may be awarded for non-core modules based on the content of

previous academic study/qualifications.

Fast Track Professional

Finance professional: Must be a fully qualified CA or equivalent and be current Member of CAANZ (NZICA), CPA or CIMA.

A full CV must accompany your application for exemptions

Legal professional: Must be a fully qualified LLB or equivalent and be a Solicitor, Barrister and Advocate registered with the NZ Law Society/Bar.

A full CV must accompany your application for exemptions

All exemptions are awarded at Governance NZ's discretion.

Governance NZ's exemption policy is subject to periodic change.

You will only be awarded the exemptions available to you on the date of registration as a student.