

## Transitional arrangements of New Qualification Framework (NQF) for AAT membership admission

The [transitional arrangements \(http://www.hkiaat.org/images/uploads/NQF-TA\(Dec-09\).pdf\)](http://www.hkiaat.org/images/uploads/NQF-TA(Dec-09).pdf) of New Qualification Framework (NQF) for AAT membership admission will end on 31 December 2011. Under the arrangements, AAT graduates who have fulfilled the following requirements are eligible to be exempted from the Professional Assessment and can continue to use two years of full-time study or two years of a mixture of work experience and study in lieu of the one-year full-time relevant accounting practical experience:

		Graduates completed the AAT Examination by		
		Examination	Partial exemption	Full exemption
Date of registration as AAT Examination students		On or before 15 July 2008	N/A	N/A
Date of commencement of the latest accredited programme		N/A	Before 1 September 2009	Before 1 September 2009
Date of completion of all 8 examination papers	(by examination)	By June 2011 exam session	By June 2011 exam session	N/A
	(by exemption)	N/A	On or before 30 September 2011	On or before 30 September 2011
Date of membership application		On or before 31 December 2011		

Please submit your membership application **on or before 31 December 2011\*** in order to enjoy the transitional arrangements for membership admission. **Applications received after the above deadline will have to follow ALL requirements for membership under the NQF.**

Please click [here \(http://www.hkiaat.org/index.php/membership/index/43/\)](http://www.hkiaat.org/index.php/membership/index/43/) for details of the entry requirements and procedures of membership.

Please click [here \(http://www.hkiaat.org/images/uploads/pdf/download/AAT.pdf\)](http://www.hkiaat.org/images/uploads/pdf/download/AAT.pdf) to download the membership application form.

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\* Please note that upon approval of the membership application, applicants will be billed for the 2012 annual subscription fee \$700 in January 2012 to maintain their membership status. The normal practice where applications submitted in December will be considered as if they were submitted in January next year **will not be applicable** in this transitional arrangement.