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ICPAR RELEASES THE 31ST EXAMINATION RESULTS FOR CPA AND CAT QUALIFICATIONS

The Institute of Certified Public Accountants of Rwanda (ICPAR) is pleased to announce the release of the 31st examination results for the Certified Public Accountants (CPA) and Certified Accounting Technicians (CAT) qualifications. The examinations were conducted from May 26 to 30, 2025, at three designated centers: Kigali Independent University (Kigali Campus), University of Kigali (Musanze Campus), and University of Rwanda (Huye Campus).

In the May 2025 sitting, a total of **938 candidates** registered for the examinations (894 for CPA and 44 for CAT) compared to **954 candidates** (915 CPA and 39 CAT) in the February 2025 sitting.

The overall pass rates for this sitting registered **22% for CPA** and **45% for CAT** compared to the **February 2025 sitting**, which recorded **33% for CPA** and **44% for CAT**.

ICPAR is delighted to celebrate the **16 students** (11 CPA and 5 CAT candidates) who have successfully completed their respective qualifications in this sitting. This achievement raises the cumulative number of CPA (R) graduates to **640** and CAT (R) graduates to **388** since the first cohort of graduates in **June 2014**.

We extend our congratulations to all candidates who performed well in their examinations, especially those who have now fully qualified. To those who did not achieve their desired results this time, we encourage perseverance. As we often say, **failure is not the end but a step towards success—keep going until you reach your goal**. This is the nature of professional examinations globally. ICPAR remains grateful to the various stakeholders for their unwavering support in sponsoring the youth to pursue the CPA qualification. This

appreciation goes to INES Ruhengeri, Adventist University of Central Africa (AUCA), Chancen International, ZIGAMA CSS, Catholic University of Rwanda, Prime Insurance Ltd, RSK Associate Ltd and Office of Auditor General (OAG).

We also extend our appreciation to the ICPAR Governing Council, Education Commission, examiners, moderators, markers, invigilators, security teams, staff, and service providers who played a key role in ensuring a seamless examination process.

As we move forward, ICPAR remains committed to upholding the highest standards in professional accountancy education and examination.

Below is a list of finalists and best performers during the May 2025 sitting:

CPA Finalists – May 2025		
S/N	Registration No.	Full name
1	PE/002536/18	Niyomugenga Jean De La Paix
2	PE/003909/21	Kwizera Daitha
3	PE/004337/23	Ngirababyeyi Aimable
4	PE/004572/23	Mukantwari Thabita
5	PE/004569/23	Ibyishaka Elisabeth
6	PE/004482/23	Ingabire Sonia
7	PE/004476/23	Ukwishatse Jean Norbert
8	PE/004463/23	Ndahimana Eric
9	PE/004457/23	Abizera Liliane
10	PE/005082/23	Ntwari Ephraim
11	PE/005317/24	Munezero Esther

CAT Finalists – May 2025		
S/N	Registration No.	Full Name
1	TE/000283/16	Mutuyimana Jeanne
2	TE/001472/23	Gatungo Nkurunziza Heritier
3	TE/001548/23	Nyirandinkabandi Claudine
4	TE/001624/23	Uwitonze Françoise
5	TE/001645/24	Singirankabo Janvier

Best performers for May 2025 CPA examinations				
S/N	Registration No.	Full Name	Code	Module Title
1	PE/006006/25	Gatesi Liliane	F1.2	Introduction to Law
2	PE/006042/25	Uwituze Cherif	F1.3	Financial Accounting
3	PE/006126/25	Dusabe Sonia	F1.4	Business Management, Ethics and Entrepreneurship
4	PE/006025/25	Cyizere Jeanine	F2.1	Management Accounting
5	PE/005746/24	Miseke Eric	F2.2	Economics and Business Environment
6	PE/005742/24	Ishimwe Akram	F2.3	Information System
7	PE/006121/25	Tuyishimire Celine	F2.4	Taxation
8	PE/005826/24	Niyindorera Sophie	II.1	Managerial Finance
9	PE/005134/23	Butare Henry	II.3	Company Law
10	PE/005147/23	Ashimwe Henriette	II.4	Auditing
11	PE/005124/23	Nziza Romelio	A1.1	Strategy and Leadership
12	PE/004409/23	Igiraneza Josue	A1.2	Audit Practice and Assurance Services
13	PE/003995/22	Niyigena Ferdinand	A2.1	Strategic Corporate Finance
14	PE/004890/23	Twizeyimana Regis	A2.3	Advanced Taxation

Best performers for May 2025 CAT examinations				
S/N	Registration No.	Full Name	Code	Module Title
1	TE/001835/24	Kabanyana Rachel	S1.3	Effective Working in Accountancy and Finance
2	TE/001841/24	Ingabire Babra	S2.1	Preparation of Basic Accounts
3	TE/001841/24	Ingabire Babra	S2.2	Managing Costs and Cash Flows
4	TE/001841/24	Ingabire Babra	S2.3	Professional Ethics in Accounting and Finance
5	TE/001833/24	Uwase Doris	S3.1	Financial Accounting
6	TE/001468/23	Ntahomvurira Zephanie	S3.2	Management Accounting
7	TE/001734/24	Nzaramyimana Idesbard	S3.4	Auditing
8	TE/001548/23	Nyirandinkabandi Claudine	S3.6	Public Financial Management

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About ICPAR

The Institute of Certified Public Accountants of Rwanda (ICPAR) was established through an Act of Parliament (Law Number 11/2008 of 06 May 2008) with a broad mandate to grow and regulate the accountancy profession. Under this mandate, the Institute is responsible for the admission and regulation of the profession in Rwanda; the registration and granting of practising certificates to Certified Public Accountants (CPAs) and practising firms; the monitoring of compliance with professional standards, the investigation and discipline of its members; and the delivery of accounting qualifications, programmes and examinations.