

## **Detailed transcript for section 2.1 What will I learn?**

Hi there and welcome to learning unit 2.

I am Peter Lansdell and today I will give you an overview of what you can expect, and learn in this unit.

It will take us on a journey to find out more about the different accountancy professions and the roles of these professionals.

I hope, that being on this journey will provide you with insight into your own future as an accountancy professional.

This unit has three focus areas. The first focus area, "The footprint of accountancy professionals" kicks off with the "Walk the talk..." section.

In this section, we will discuss the usefulness of accountancy professionals in society.

After that we will explain the characteristics that a typical accountancy professional should have in the "Stepping stones to a professional" section.

This will demonstrate your future contribution as an accountancy professional in society.

In the second focus area, "Who's who in accountancy", you will be introduced to seven different accountancy professions.

There we will discuss and highlight the unique role of each of these accountancy professions and the professional designation used by each of these professionals.

We will also share some "juicy" information about each of these professions.

In the end, your future ties to a professional body will become very clear.

In the last focus area, "Accountancy professionals in the world of business" we will introduce you to "Professional Development Bank Limited".

Here we will look at how an accountancy professional fits into the structure of the Bank.

We will also explain the roles and responsibilities of these professionals in the context of the Bank, and discover the application criteria used when they appoint them.

You will then better understand your future role and contribution in the context of a business.

Now that you know what you will learn, why don't you head down to the discussions?

Say hi to you peers, and find out what they are studying.

And in the meantime I'll see you in the first focus area.