

## PRINZ APR Programme Schedule 2019

To help you plan ahead for APR 2019, important dates are listed below.

Please note – the participating host centres for the exam workshops, exam and Viva Voce will be confirmed after enrolments close and will be based on participant numbers in each.

If you need to travel, we suggest travelling the day before to avoid any travel unforeseen flight delays. Please note, travel to host centre is at the candidate's cost.

<b>Applications close</b>	Friday 15 March
<b>Confirmed enrolment of candidates</b>	Thursday 18 April
<b>PR Strategy and Planning + Measurement course</b>	
<i>This two day course covers the fundamentals of PR strategy, planning, research, measurement and evaluation. This course isn't compulsory but we highly recommend it as it will invaluable to your APR assignments.</i>	
	8 – 9 May, Wellington
	13 – 14 May, Auckland
<i>APR Candidates receive 50% discounts this course and all other CPD courses.</i>	
<b>Initial briefing via conference call</b>	Thursday 16 May (9.30am - 10.30am)
<b>Body of Knowledge seminar in Auckland</b>	Friday 7 & Saturday 8 June, Auckland
<i>Two days of learning and workshop sessions led by senior professionals</i>	(8.30am for a 9am start - 4pm both days)
<b>Assignment 1 submitted (10%)</b>	Monday 24 June
<i>Case study</i>	
<b>Assignment 1 returned to candidates</b>	Monday 8 July

**Assignment 2 submitted (10%)***Discussion paper*

Monday 29 July

**Assignment 2 returned to candidates**

Monday 12 August

**Accreditation exam workshop***Workshop led by APR chief examiner, covering a review of submitted assignments and guidance for the major work example, written exam and Viva Voce.*

w/c 9 September

Locations TBC

**Assignment 3 submitted (20%)***Discussion paper*

Monday 9 September

**Assignment 3 returned to candidates**

Monday 30 September

**Exam conference call** for final exam questions and preparation

Thursday 10 October (9am - 10am)

**Written exam (morning) (25%)**

Thursday 17 October (morning)

Locations TBC

**Viva Voce (afternoon) (35%)***Oral exam with a panel of three PRINZ Fellows or Members in the afternoon after the written exam. Host centres dependent on participating numbers.*

Thursday 17 October (afternoon)

Locations TBC

**Candidates advised of final results**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> November**Graduation**

PRINZ Annual Awards