

Accounting, B.B.A.

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This example plan is designed to provide a blueprint for students to complete their degrees within four years. It includes recommended sequences of courses. Individual plans will vary based on previously earned credit, such as Dual Enrollment and AP credit, as well as the student's academic goals. Students will work with an academic advisor to develop a more individualized plan to complete their degree.

This example four-year plan is applicable to students admitted during the 2024–25 academic year.

Total Credits Required: 120 credits

Required GPA for Graduation: 2.0 (institutional)

Courses requiring a C or better are denoted with an asterisk (*). Courses only offered in the fall semester are denoted with a plus sign (+). Courses only offered in the spring semester are denoted with a double-plus sign (++).

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Year 1							
	Fall	Spring					
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area
BIDS 1705	First-Year Academic Seminar	1		GC1Y 1000	Critical Thinking (student's choice) (pre-req to GC2Y 2000)	3	Core
ENGL 1101*	English Composition I (pre-req to ENGL 1102)	3	Core	ENGL 1102	English Composition II (pre-req to BCOM 2285)	3	Core
ACCT 2101*	Accounting Principles I (pre-req to ACCT 2102)	3	Field	ACCT 2102*	Accounting Principles II (pre-req to ACCT 3101, 3116, and 3120, and FINC 3131)	3	Field
ECON 2105*	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	Core	ECON 2106*	Principles of Microeconomics (pre-req to FINC 3131 and MKTG 3161)	3	Field
Core Math*	Math (student's choice) (pre-req to MATH 1401)	3	Core	CSCI 1000	Intro to Computer Science & Apps (pre-req to CBIS 2220)	3	Core
Core Humanities	Humanities and Ethics (student's choice)	3	Core				
	Total Semester Hours:	16			Total Semester Hours:	15	
ENGL 1101, ENGL 1102, Core Math, and GC1Y 1000 must be completed by 30 earned hours. Notes: First-Year Academic Seminar is a graduation requirement and impacts a student's GPA; however, it does not count to					toward		

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Year 2							
	Fall	Spring					
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area
GC2Y 2000	Global Perspectives (student's choice)	4	Core	MATH 1401*	Elementary Statistics (pre-req to MGMT 3101)	3	Core
ACCT 3101*	Intermediate Accounting I (pre-req to ACCT 3102, 3106, and 4135)	3	Major	ACCT 3102*	Intermediate Accounting II (pre-req to ACCT 3103)	3	Major
ACCT 3000*+	Accounting Professions	3	Major	ACCT 3106*++	Accounting Information Systems	3	Major
ACCT 3120*	Cost Accounting	3	Major	CBIS 2220*	Principles of Information Systems (co-req/pre-req to MGMT 3101)	3	Field
POLS 1101	American Government	3	Core	BCOM 2285*	Professional Writing & Al Prompting (pre-reg to MGMT 3141)	3	Field
				CSCI 1200	Current Topics in Computers & IT		
				or GEOG 2100	or Intro to Geospatial Science	1	Core
Total Semester Hours: 16					Total Semester Hours:	16	
Notes: Now is the time to start thinking about our Master of Accountancy program. 150 hours of coursework is required to sit for the Certified Public Accounting (CPA) exam.							

Year 3							
	Fall	Spring					
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area
ACCT 3116*	Principles of Taxation I (pre-req to ACCT 4125)	3	Major	ACCT 4135*	Auditing	3	Major
BUAD 2172*	Business Ethics	3	Business	FINC 3131*	Business Finance I (pre-req to MGMT 4195)	3	Business
MGMT 3101*	Applied Business Statistics (pre-req to MGMT 3165)	3	Business	LOGS 3180* or MGMT 3165*	Business Logistics and Supply Chain Management or Operations Quality and Supply Chain Management (pre-req to MGMT 4195)	3	Business
MGMT 3141*	Principles of Management (pre-req to MGMT 3165 and 4195)	3	Business	MKTG 3161*	Principles of Marketing (pre-req to MGMT 4195)	3	Business
HIST 2111	The United States to 1877		Core	Core Science	Science with Lab (student's choice)	4	Core
or	or	3					
HIST 2112	The United States Since 1877						
	Total Semester Hours:	15			Total Semester Hours:	16	
Summer	Students who participate in a tax season internship during spring of Year 4 will need 6 hours of general electives this summer. General electives can be in any discipline and any level (1000–4999).						

Year 4									
Fall				Spring					
Course	Title	Hours	Area	Course	Title	Hours	Area		
MGMT 4195*	Strategic Management	3	Business	ACCT 4605*	Tax Season Internship	6	Major		
ACCT 3103*	Intermediate Accounting III	3	Business						
LENB 3135*	Legal Environment of Business	3	Business						
Core Art	Fine Arts (student's choice)	3	Core						
Gen Elective*	Any general elective course	3	Field						
	Total Semester Hours:	15			Total Semester Hours:	6			
	Any international business course can be substituted for ACCT 3103. See catalog for details.								
Notes:	Register for your Senior Exit Exam during the semester you take MGMT 4195.								
	General elective can be in any discipline and any level (1000–4999).								

	Legend						
Area							
	Core IMPACTS — coursework required for every student regardless of major, which includes the following areas:						
Core	Institutional Priority (GC1Y 1000 and GC2Y 2000); Mathematics and Quantitative Skills; Political Science and U.S. History;						
	Arts, Humanities, and Ethics; Communicating in Writing; Technology, Mathematics, and Sciences; and Social Sciences.						
Core Field of Study courses, part of each major's requirements. These courses prepare students for full							
rielu	chosen major field. Field of Study courses are specific to each major program.						
Business	Common Business Knowledge Requirements — coursework for all Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) degrees						
Major	Accounting Major Requirements						
	Course(s) a student selects. Hours are needed to meet overall graduation hours. Number of electives varies per major.						
Elective	Electives can be used towards GC Journeys, minors, or professional/graduate school pre-requisites, or to take courses of						
	interest.						