

This worksheet is intended to be used as a guide to the curriculum requirements for earning a Master of Accountancy degree per the 2020-21 Graduate Catalog. Refer to the catalog for specific requirements and seek the advice of your advisor for questions.

Admission requirements:

- B.S., B.A. or B.B.A. degree from an accredited college or university _____
- Minimum undergraduate grade-point average 3.0 (or last 60 undergrad. credits >3.0) _____
- Completion of on-line application, personal statement, and current resume _____
- Minimum TOEFL score of 575 (paper) or 88 (electronic) or IELTS with a minimum score of 6.5, where applicable; ALCP not acceptable _____
- Three letters of recommendation _____
- Approval by department graduate admissions committee _____

Degree requirements:

- Successful completion of a comprehensive written portfolio
- Completion of a U.S. federal tax class at graduate or undergraduate level
- Completion of 24 credits of business-related courses at graduate or undergraduate level
- Total of 18 credits numbered higher than 500
- Minimum graduate GPA 3.0

Summary of Graduate Degree Requirements

<u>Course Number</u>	<u>Course Title (Prerequisites)</u>	<u>Credit Hours</u>	<u>Semester Taken</u>
Required Courses (9 credits)			
Acct 586 (F)	Contemporary Management Accounting Issues (Acct. 385)	3	_____
Acct 590 (S)	Advanced Auditing	3	_____
Acct 592 (F)	Financial Accounting & Reporting Seminar (Acct 415/515)	<u>3</u>	_____
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Graduate-level accounting electives (6 cr.)			
Choose at least two:			
Acct 561 (S)	Comparative Accounting Theory	3	_____
Acct 515 (F/S)	Advanced Corp. Acctg. & Reporting (Acct 325)	3	_____
Acct 521 (S)	Accounting Data Analytics	3	_____
Acct 530 (S)	Accounting for Public Sector Entities	3	_____
Acct 550 (F)	Fraud Examination	3	_____
Acct 555 (Su)	Forensic Accounting	3	_____
Acct 584 (S)	Federal and State Taxes II (Acct 483)	3	_____
Acct 585 (S)	Estate Planning (Acct 483)	3	_____
Acct 598 (F/S/Su)	Internship	<u>3</u>	_____
Total Core	Top two section totals should equal at least	15	

Course Number

Other electives (15 credits) - Courses to be selected in consultation with committee chair

- May only include one 400 level accounting course _____
- May include advanced 300 or 400 level non-accounting classes _____
- In this **Other Elective** section at least one course must be 500-level _____
- Many students take a combination of three 502 and 503 one-credit courses. _____

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Total Minimum Credits

30

If you **did not major in accounting** for your undergraduate degree, please see reverse side for requirements that must be completed prior to taking the four required graduate courses. If you did not major in business or accounting for your undergraduate degree, please see reverse side for requirements related to the required 24 credits of business-related courses.

If you are an **international student**, please see reverse side for American Language and Culture Program Requirements.

The required graduate-level accounting courses presume you have already taken the equivalent of an undergraduate degree in accounting. For students with other undergraduate degrees, you may also need to complete additional coursework to meet prerequisites for required graduate courses or to obtain the required 24 credits of business and business-related courses. In consultation with the graduate committee, your major professor will make the final determination of equivalent courses from your transcript.

Description – Accounting Courses	Satisfied prior to admission	Equivalent UI Course Numbers	Planned Fulfillment (course & semester)
Principles of Accounting (introductory level course(s) generally 4 to 6 semester credit hours)		Acct 201 & Acct 202	
Introductory-level course in accounting information systems		Acct 305	
Intermediate Accounting sequence – generally 6 to 8 semester credit hours – must be taken before Acct 561 and Acct 592		Acct 315 & Acct 325	
Introductory level auditing course – must be taken before Acct 590		Acct 492	
Advanced Financial Accounting (covering consolidations, partnerships, foreign currency transactions, etc.). May be taken as part of graduate program		Acct 415 or Acct 515	
US Federal Income Taxes (may be taken as part of graduate program)		Acct 483	
Cost Accounting		Acct 385	
Description – Business-related Courses			
Mathematics		Stat 251 Math 160	
Economics (4 to 6 hours)		Econ 201 & 202 or Econ 272	
Business Law (3 credits). Graduate students should take an upper-division CBE course or courses in the College of Law if the requirement has not been met before admission.		BLaw 265 BLaw 420 BLaw 425	
Business (12-14 credits). Additional economics and business law courses may be included in this section but at least six credits must be in other business topics. These six credits <u>must</u> be in <u>two</u> different business disciplines (for example: marketing, finance, management, etc.) Introductory-level courses satisfy this requirement but cannot be used toward the 30 hours needed to complete the MAcct degree. However, courses approved as graduate electives will satisfy this requirement.		Bus 301, Bus 311, Bus 321, etc. plus other advanced business courses as approved.	

For International Students:

Completion of the following American Language and Culture Program Courses (or pass placement exam) prior to taking Accounting 561, 586, 590, and 592:

ALCP Reading and Composition – Level 6

ALCP Listening and Speaking – Level 6

ALCP Academic Skills – Level 6

Experiential Learning One-Credit Accounting Electives:

Accounting 502 (Fall and Spring)	Practicum in Tutoring	1 credit
Accounting 502 (Spring only)	Barker Review	1 credit
Accounting 503 (Spring only)	Volunteer Income Tax Assistance	1 credit
Accounting 503 (Fall and Spring)	Workshop: BAP Leadership	1 credit
Accounting 403 (Fall only)	Accounting Professional Development	1 credit
Accounting 503 (Fall and Spring)	CPA Exam Review (self-study)	1 credit
Accounting 503 (Fall and Spring)	Internal Control Review	1 credit