

ACCOUNTING MAJOR (B.S.)

This program prepares undergraduate Accounting students to be successful in their careers, as well as provides the necessary knowledge to be better prepared for the CPA exam.

Program Benefits:

- 42 required credits in accounting courses including additional auditing and taxation courses to improve your knowledge and topical coverage for the CPA exam.
- “Principles of Corporate Controllershship” course which addresses the evolving needs of the accounting profession
- A capstone course in accounting which summarizes and integrates accounting knowledge from previous courses
- A discount on the CPA Review Class.

120 semester hours of coursework is required for the baccalaureate degree with a minimum 2.70 overall GPA, and a minimum 2.70 major GPA.

Program Requirements Overview

Code	Title	Credits
	General Education Requirements	30
	World Languages and Cultures Requirements	3-9
	Major Requirements	78
	Free Electives	9-3
	Total Credits	120

Major Requirements

Complete with a minimum 2.70 GPA:

Code	Title	Credits
Required Business Courses		
BSLW 266	The Impact of Law on the Business Environment	3
BUGN 280	Strategic Business Communications	3
BUGN 295	Elements of Business	3
FINC 300	Integrated Core: Finance	3
INFO 300	Integrated Core: Operations Management	3
MGMT 300	Integrated Core: Management	3
MKTG 300	Integrated Core: Marketing	3
	Select one of the following:	3
FINC 322	Corporate Finance	
FINC 326	Investments	
FINC 327	International Financial Management	
Required Accounting Courses		
ACCT 201	Fundamentals of Financial Accounting	3
ACCT 202	Fundamentals of Managerial Accounting	3
ACCT 301	Intermediate Accounting I	3
ACCT 302	Intermediate Accounting II	3
ACCT 304	Contemporary Issues in Intermediate Accounting	3
ACCT 305	Taxation for Individuals	3
ACCT 307	Cost Accounting	3
ACCT 309	Accounting Information Systems ¹	3
ACCT 310	Taxation of Business Entities and Advanced Tax Concepts ¹	3

ACCT 312	Principles of Corporate Controllershship	3
ACCT 400	Auditing Theory and Practice	3
ACCT 401	Advanced Accounting	3
ACCT 403	Advanced Auditing ¹	3
ACCT 404	Senior Seminar in Accounting	3

Required Collateral Courses

ECON 101	Applied Macroeconomics	3
ECON 102	Applied Microeconomics	3
INFO 173	Spreadsheet Modeling for Business Decisions	3
INFO 240	Statistical Methods in Business	3

Total Credits 78

General Education Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill General Education categories. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/undergraduate-graduate-degree-requirements/general-ed-ba-bs/>)

Code	Title	Credits
A. New Student Seminar		
	Complete a 1 credit New Student Seminar course.	1
C. Communication		
	1. Writing	3
	2. Literature	3
	3. Communication	3
D. Fine and Performing Arts		
	Complete a 3 credit Fine and Performing Arts course.	3
F. Humanities		
	1. Great Works and Their Influences	3
	2. Philosophical and Religious Perspectives	3
G. Computer Science		
INFO 173	Spreadsheet Modeling for Business Decisions (Fulfilled in the major.)	
H. Mathematics		
INFO 240	Statistical Methods in Business (Fulfilled in the major.)	
I. Natural Science Laboratory		
	Complete a 4 credit Natural Science Laboratory course.	4
J. Physical Education		
	Complete a 1 credit Physical Education course.	1
K. Social Science		
	1. American and European History	3
	2. Global Cultural Perspectives	3
	3. Social Science Perspectives	
ECON 101	Applied Macroeconomics (Fulfilled in the major.)	
L. Interdisciplinary Studies		
ECON 102	Applied Microeconomics (Fulfilled in the major.)	
	Total Credits	30

World Languages and Cultures Requirements

Click here for a list of courses that fulfill World Languages and Cultures categories. (<http://catalog.montclair.edu/undergraduate-graduate-degree-requirements/world-languages-cultures-requirement/>)

Code	Title	Credits
	World Languages	3-6
	World Cultures	0-3
Total Credits		3-9

Recommended Roadmap to Degree Completion

This recommended four-year plan is provided as an outline for students to follow in order to complete their degree requirements within four years. This plan is a recommendation and students should only use it in consultation with their academic advisor.

Course	Title	Credits
First Year		
Fall		
GENERAL EDUCATION: (A) New Student Seminar		1
GENERAL EDUCATION: (C1) Writing		3
Credits		4
Spring		
GENERAL EDUCATION: (C2) Literature		3
GENERAL EDUCATION: (C3) Communication		3
Credits		6
Total		10
Credits		