

MASTER OF SCIENCE IN MANAGEMENT

PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING

The MSPA provides professional accounting training to students who have already obtained a baccalaureate in accounting, who wish to fulfill the 150-credit hours required to obtain a license as a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) in a meaningful way. This area of concentration is designed to develop a highly professional and employable specialist in accounting with broad knowledge of the role of accounting in a variety of business organizations and satisfy the requirements to sit for the CPA exam. Students are guided through the CPA exam process and have the opportunity to complete the CPA exam before beginning full-time employment.

Required Courses (15 credits)

BUS ADM 724	Business Combinations and Governmental Accounting
BUS ADM 753	Advanced Business Law
BUS ADM 821	Advanced Taxation
BUS ADM 840	Current Issues in Financial Reporting
BUS ADM 844	Auditing: Professional Standards and Practice

Select one of the following areas (15 credits):

Professional Accounting

Required (9 credits):

BUS ADM 723	Forensic Accounting
BUS ADM 841	Financial Statement Analysis
BUS ADM 846	Data Analytics in Accounting

Choose two courses from the following (6 credits):

BUS ADM 726	Strategic Cost Management II
BUS ADM 749	Data and Information Management
BUS ADM 771	Investments
BUS ADM 772	Portfolio Management
BUS ADM 773	Options And Futures
BUS ADM 774	Global Financial Management
BUS ADM 775	Financial Strategy
BUS ADM 778	Financial Institutions and Markets
BUS ADM 779	Fixed Income Securities
BUSMGMT 726	Study Abroad: Business Topics: (subtitle: Ernst & Young Graduate Accounting Study Abroad)
BUS ADM 816	Business Intelligence Technologies & Solutions

Taxation

Required (12 Credits):

BUS ADM 820	Tax Research, Practice, and Procedure
BUS ADM 823	Corporate Income Taxation
BUS ADM 828	Taxation of Partnerships, S Corporations, and LLC's
BUS ADM 846	Data Analytics in Accounting

Choose one course from the following (3 credits):

BUS ADM 749	Data and Information Management
BUS ADM 795	Seminar-in-Management: (taxation topics)
BUS ADM 816	Business Intelligence Technologies & Solutions
BUS ADM 826	Tax Planning for Individuals
BUS ADM 841	Financial Statement Analysis
BUSMGMT 726	Study Abroad: Business Topics:

Degree completion: 30 Credits

MS MANAGEMENT: PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTING

COURSE MAPPING

Full Time Student – Standard Track (Summer Start)

Summer

BUS ADM 753 Advanced Business Law
BUS ADM 821 Advanced Taxation*

Fall

BUS ADM 724 Business Combinations and Governmental Accounting
BUS ADM 840 Current Issues in Financial Reporting
BUS ADM 846 Data Analytics in Accounting
MS Elective*

Spring

BUS ADM 723 Forensic Accounting
BUS ADM 841 Financial Statement Analysis
BUS ADM 844 Auditing: Professional Standards and Practice
MS Elective*

Full Time Student – Taxation Track (Summer Start)

Summer

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BUS ADM 821 Advanced Taxation*

Fall

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BUS ADM 846 BUS ADM 846 Data Analytics in Accounting
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BUS ADM 823 Corporate Income Taxation
BUS ADM 844 Auditing: Professional Standards and Practice
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BUS ADM 840 Current Issues in Financial Reporting

*If a student attends on the EY Study Abroad trip in the summer, then BUS ADM 821 should be taken in the Fall.

**Fall start, Spring start, parttime, and other sequences are available. Sequences listed are most common and assume foundation courses have been completed.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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