Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA)

Specialization in **Accounting**



OVERVIEW

Accounting is an important function for all for-profit and not-for-profit operations. AIU® offers an industry-relevant BBA program with an in-depth specialization in Accounting that focuses on aspects of financial reporting including business concepts, ethics and regulations. Emphasis is placed on measurement, valuation and presentation of asset-related items in a business environment.

COURSEWORK

CURRICULUM INCLUDES

In this specialized curriculum, students can explore the key components of the accounting system and gain exposure to the sub-fields of economics, cost accounting, taxation, business accounting, and accounting in finance.

This real-world specialization offers the opportunity for in-depth study, and can help students work to develop a focused, industry-specific knowledge base common to accounting professionals in today's business environment. For example:

Intermediate Accounting II: students can examine the fundamentals of management accounting. This course covers cost accounting, how to develop and use information for costing products and services, decision-making, operational budgeting and performance evaluation. This course also provides an update on recent developments in the field.

Cost Accounting: students can conduct an advanced study of the concepts and techniques used by management accountants to assist decision makers within the organization. Areas covered include process accounting, job-order accounting, measuring quality costs, activity-based costing and evaluating performance.

Accounting Information Systems: students will focus on the study of concepts and terminology of accounting information systems. Students will explore the use of accounting information systems and how they impact decision-making in accounting and auditing. The course also covers information technology fundamentals, responsibilities and business implications.

OUTCOMES

WE CAN HELP YOU

- Integrate knowledge of the core ACBSP business concepts of accounting, finance, statistics, economics, management, and marketing to assess business circumstances
- Propose quantitative business solutions which demonstrate critical and analytical thinking
- Collaborate in cross functional teams utilizing effective business techniques and strategies
- Navigate challenges in a global market involving international distribution and operations networks
- Share business recommendations and information through a variety of communication delivery formats
- Evaluate potential ethical and legal issues in contemporary business situations and propose appropriate resolution
- Employ technology to effectively solve business problems and provide solutions
- Apply key accounting principles and concepts in the area of Financial, and Cost Accounting, to assess and predict outcomes related to business performance

WHY AIU?

AIU offers a streamlined, real-world curriculum and flexibility designed to help you schedule school around your life, not the other way around. Along with industry-relevant undergraduate and graduate degree programs, our industry-focused concentrations allow in-depth study in the field.

To accommodate busy lives, we offer full- and part-time program options and transfer-in credit* for eligible college, work and military experience, which could cut down on the time it takes to earn a degree.

ACBSP GLOBAL BUSINESS ACCREDITATION

AIU's Business programs are programmatically accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

* Transfer credits are evaluated on an individual basis. Not all credits are eligible to transfer. See the University Catalog for transfer credit policies.

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The AIU Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) degree program combines the required general education courses that provide a liberal arts foundation with a coherent business core and specialized courses designed to provide students with knowledge, skills and ability to pursue opportunities in the accounting field.

FOCUS ON YOUR SPECIFIC AREA OF INTEREST

By studying key topics in accounting to complete the upper division's specialization requirements, you have an opportunity to focus your interests on the acquisition of industry-relevant knowledge and skills common to accounting professionals.

THE ACCREDITATION COUNCIL FOR BUSINESS SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMS (ACBSP)

The ACBSP accreditation means that AIU's Business Administration programs meet the rigorous standards of this accreditor. It helps ensure that what we teach is industry-relevant in today's business environment.

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REQUIRED COURSES

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES

ECON220	Microeconomics	4.5
ECON224	Macroeconomics	4.5
ENGL106	English Composition I	4.5
ENGL107	English Composition II	4.5
MATH125	General College Mathematics	4.5
UNIV103	Academic and Professional Success	4.5
UNIV106	Technology and Information Literacy	4.5
UNIV109	Interpersonal Communication	4.5
	Humanities (2 courses)	9
	Natural Sciences (2 courses)	9
	General Education Elective (1 course)	4.5
Total General Education Requirements		**58.5**

GENERAL ELECTIVES

A combination of any 10 undergraduate courses

Total General Elective Requirements	**45**

CORE COURSES

ACCT205	Principles of Accounting I	4.5
ACCT310	Managerial Accounting	4.5
BUSN105	Introduction to Business	4.5
BUSN150	Legal and Ethical Environment of Business	4.5
BUSN311	Quantitative Methods and Analysis	4.5

CORE COURSES (CONTINUED)

FINA310	Financial Management	4.5
MGMT305	Management Information Systems	4.5
MGMT310	Management and Leadership of Organizations	4.5
MGMT315	Survey of Human Resource Management	4.5
MGMT415	Global Operations Management	4.5
MGMT499	Program Capstone	4.5
MKTG205	Principles of Marketing	4.5
Total Core Requirements		**54**

ACCOUNTING SPECIALIZATION COURSES

ACCT315	Intermediate Accounting I	4.5
ACCT320	Intermediate Accounting II	4.5
ACCT420	Cost Accounting	4.5
ACCT435	Auditing	4.5
ACCT440	Accounting Information Systems	4.5
Total Specialization Requirements		**22.5**

Total Bachelor's Degree Requirements	**180**

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