

MBA/MS in Accounting

Admission Requirements

Applicants to the joint degree program must satisfy the admission requirements of both the [MBA](#) and [MS](#) programs.

Degree Requirements

In addition to the Graduate College minimum requirements, students must meet the following program requirements:

- **Minimum Semester Hours Required** 68.
- **Coursework** Students must maintain a cumulative grade point average of at least 3.00/4.00 for all coursework. No more than two 400-level courses can be counted toward the MS portion of the degree.

Code	Title	Hours
Required Courses (20 courses, 80 hours)		
MBA Core Courses		
ACTG 500	Introduction to Financial Accounting ^a	
ECON 520	Microeconomics for Business Decisions	
FIN 500	Introduction to Corporate Finance	
IDS 532	Introduction to Operations Management	
MGMT 541	Organizational Behavior	
MKTG 500	Introduction to Marketing	
MBA Electives		
A three-course concentration within the MBA program, excluding accounting		
One 500-level business course from a department other than accounting and the MBA concentration field		
Required Accounting Courses		
Select five courses from the following:		
ACTG 417	Advanced Financial Accounting	
ACTG 446	Federal Income Tax II	
ACTG 456	Business Law II: Business Organizations	
ACTG 465	Governmental and Non-Profit Accounting	
ACTG 475	Database Accounting Systems	
ACTG 484	International Accounting	
ACTG 509	Business Law: Commercial Transactions	
ACTG 515	Accounting Theory and Paradigms	
ACTG 516	Financial Statement Analysis	
ACTG 525	Management Control and Data-Based Decision Making	
ACTG 535	Advanced Auditing	
ACTG 537	Fraud Examination	
ACTG 545	Advanced Taxation of Business Entities	
ACTG 570	The Legal and Ethical Environment of Business	
ACTG 585	Corporate Valuation and Accounting Information	
ACTG 593	Professional Accounting Research	

ACTG 594	Special Topics in Accounting - Graduate
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At least two courses must be from:

ACTG 516	Financial Statement Analysis
ACTG 525	Management Control and Data-Based Decision Making
ACTG 585	Corporate Valuation and Accounting Information
ACTG 593	Professional Accounting Research

Accounting Background Courses ^a

ACTG 435	Auditing
ACTG 502	Financial Accounting I
ACTG 503	Financial Accounting II
ACTG 506	Management Accounting
ACTG 508	Federal Income Tax - Graduate

^a Any of the accounting background courses can be waived with prior credit and ACTG 500 can be waived with a competency examination. However, a minimum of 68 hours must be completed by taking additional accounting or business electives.

- **Comprehensive Examination** None.
- **Thesis, Project, or Coursework-Only Options** Coursework only. No other options are available.