



SOUTHWESTERN
COLLEGE

PROFESSIONAL STUDIES

ACCOUNTING



Undergraduate Degree

The Southwestern College accounting program is committed to preparing future accounting professionals for current and emerging roles in a growing field. Whether your goal is to sharpen your skills, expand your career options, or continue your path to CPA, the SC online accounting program provides the foundation you need.

Applied Learning

Hands-on experience through real-life scenarios and projects

Preparation

Graduate ready for the CPA exam

Flexible

Six-week online classes

Expert Instruction

Learn from practicing professionals

About Southwestern College

Southwestern College Professional Studies offers practical online degree programs focused on an enhanced learner experience, provided by a regionally accredited, 130+ year old non-profit institution. Each learner can expect: hands-on counselors to help you navigate your program requirements; generous transfer credits to reduce your overall cost and time to completion; progressive, nationally recognized programs; accessible student resources to minimize the stress of degree completion; and small class sizes with experienced, practicing faculty to facilitate interaction and ensure your academic success.



Bachelor's of Science in Accounting

Core Major Requirements

- COM125 Speech
- BSAD340 Legal Environment of Business
- MASC110 Statistics and Probability
- MASC115 College Algebra
- SSC110 Principles of Microeconomics
- SSC111 Principles of Macroeconomics
- ACCT285 Financial Accounting
- ACCT305 Corporate Finance
- ACCT303 Analyzing Data
- ACCT320 Ethics for Accounting Professionals
- ACCT325 Managerial Accounting
- ACCT380 Intermediate Accounting
- ACCT381 Intermediate Accounting II
- ACCT382 Federal Income Taxation - Personal
- ACCT482 Federal Income Taxation - Corporate
- ACCT483 Cost Accounting
- ACCT484 Accounting Information Systems
- ACCT490 Auditing Theory and Practice
- ACCT493 Forensic Accounting
- ACCT497 Accounting Capstone

General Education Requirements

Basic Skills

- CORE110 Information Literacy
- ENGL101 Composition 1
- ENGL102 Composition 2
- COM 125 Speech
- MASC110 Statistics and Probability or MASC115 College Algebra

Ethical Reasoning

- HUM 201 Ethics

Disciplinary Perspectives

- Natural Science (3 or more credit hours)
- Social Science (3 or more credit hours)
- Humanities (3 or more credit hours)
- The Arts (3 or more credit hours)
- Other Cultures (3 or more credit hours)

Capstone

- CAPS495 (Senior capstone or major capstone course - 3 credit hours)

Graduation Requirements

1. Complete all foundation and major courses with an overall GPA of 2.0
2. Complete a minimum of 124 credit hours, with at least 60 hours at a bachelor's degree-granting institution
3. Complete at least 30 credit hours with a C average or above from Southwestern College

Program Description

The Accounting program is committed to preparing future accounting professionals for current and emerging roles that are now and projected to be in demand. Accounting graduates gain fundamental knowledge and skills in financial and managerial accounting, auditing, income taxation, forensic accounting, and accounting systems. In addition, the program provides a thorough understanding of ethical reasoning and its application to the field of accounting. Accounting graduates also gain the solid theoretical foundation necessary to prepare for the CPA exam or for future graduate coursework. Students should discuss additional elective courses that may be required to sit for the CPA exam as this may vary by state.

Admission Requirements

1. Applicants must be graduates of an accredited high school or have completed a GED®
2. Minimum GPA of 2.0

All degree requirements are subject to change. Please see the Southwestern College Catalog for the most current degree requirements. All course descriptions can be found online at ps.sckans.edu

