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**NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY**  
 College of Business  
**Accounting**

Requirement Term: **Fall 2021**

General Education Requirements - 39 Credits (Minimum Requirement)					Lower Division College of Business Requirements - 8 Credits (Required)				
Course	Number	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Course	Number	Course Title	Credits	Grade
<b>Communication (C)</b>			<b>12 Sem Credits</b>		*ACCT	200	Elements of Accounting I	3	
*ENGL	110 <sup>1</sup>	College Composition I	3		*ACCT	201	Elements of Accounting II	3	
*ENGL	120 <sup>1,3</sup>	College Composition II	3		<b>A minimum grade of B is required in ACCT 200 and 201.</b>				
*COMM	110 <sup>3</sup>	Fund of Public Speaking	3						
*ENGL	320	Business & Professional Writing	3		*STAT	331	Regression Analysis	2	
<b>Quantitative Reasoning (R)</b>			<b>3 Sem Credits</b>		<b>Lower Division Accounting Requirements - 7 Credits (Required)</b>				
*STAT	330	Introductory Statistics	3		*PSYC	111 <sup>3</sup> or	Introduction to Psychology <b>OR</b>	3	
<b>Science &amp; Technology (S)</b>			<b>10 Sem Credits</b>		SOC	110 <sup>3</sup>	Introduction to Sociology		
*TL	116	Business Software Applications	3		*MATH	144 <sup>2,3</sup>	Mathematics for Business	4	
			3		<b>Non-Major Electives</b>				
			3						
		Co-Requisite Lab	1						
<b>Humanities &amp; Fine Arts (A)</b>			<b>6 Sem Credits</b>						
*PHIL	216	Business Ethics	3						
			3						
<b>Social &amp; Behavioral Sciences (B)</b>			<b>6 Sem Credits</b>		<sup>1</sup> ACT Engl sub score of $\geq 18$ will determine English placement and the awarding of credit. Refer to English placement guidelines for additional information. <sup>2</sup> Requires Math 103, Math 107, or placement <sup>3</sup> Admission into the Accounting major: Students must successfully complete the following pre-college courses: <b>ENGL 120, COMM 110, ECON 201 or ECON 202, MATH 144 and PSYC 111 or SOC 110 AND earn a 2.50 institutional grade point average.</b>				
*ECON	201 <sup>3</sup>	Principles of Microeconomics	3						
*ECON	202 <sup>3</sup>	Principles of Macroeconomics	3						
<b>Wellness (W)</b>			<b>2 Sem Credits</b>						
<b>Cultural Diversity (D)</b>			<b>3 Sem Credits</b>						
			3						
<b>Global Perspectives (G)</b>			<b>3 Sem Credits</b>						
ECON	201/202		3	OK	A grade of C or better is required in transfer courses accepted for all 300-400 level accounting, business administration, finance, management, management information systems, and marketing courses				
<b>*A grade of C or better for courses marked with an asterisk (*) is required for admission into all professional majors in the College of Business.</b>									
Only approved courses may be used to fulfill General Education Requirements. The list of approved and current General Education courses is available at <a href="http://www.ndsu.edu/registrar">www.ndsu.edu/registrar</a> . Click on "General Education Requirements" under "Quick Links".					Admission to the accounting major is required to enroll in the advanced 300 or 400 level accounting, business administration, finance, management, management information systems, and marketing courses.				
This curriculum guide should be used for advising purposes only. This is not an official record of your progress in the accounting major. Please go to Campus Connection>Degree Progress/Graduation>My Academic Requirements.					<b>Total Credits Required for Graduation: 120</b>				

## ACCOUNTING MAJOR COURSE REQUIREMENTS

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Accounting Major Requirements - 38 Credits (Required)					Accounting Major Electives - 9 Credits (Minimum)				
Course	Number	Course Title	Credits	Grade	Any 300-400 level course in BUSN, FIN, MIS, MGMT, MRKT & TL; excludes BUSN 318; includes courses cross-listed with CoB courses; 394/494 courses require departmental approval				
ACCT	311	Intermediate Accounting I	4		Course	Number	Course Title	Credits	Grade
ACCT	312	Intermediate Accounting II	4					3	
ACCT	418	Tax Accounting I	3					3	
ACCT	320	Cost Management Systems	3					3	
ACCT	420	Accounting Information Systems	3					3	
ACCT	421	Auditing I	3		<b>300-400 Level Accounting Elective (3 credits)</b>				
FIN <sup>4</sup>	320	Principles of Finance	3		ACCT			3	
MGMT <sup>4</sup>	320	Foundations of Management	3		Students who plan to sit for the <u>ND Certified Public Accountant (CPA) professional examination</u> must have completed <b>150</b> semester hours of college education. Students should consult with their faculty advisor for further details.				
MRKT <sup>4</sup>	320	Foundations of Marketing	3						
BUSN <sup>4</sup>	430	Legal and Social Environment of Business	3		Students must earn <sup>5</sup> a letter grade of C or better, and have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA, in ALL courses included in the professional program (including all required courses, elective requirements, and additional 300-400 level CoB electives or breadth electives).				
BUSN <sup>4</sup>	489	Strategic Management (Capstone Course)	3						
MIS <sup>4</sup>	320	Management Information Systems	3		Students with questions about the Masters of Accountancy program should contact Dr. Jill Zuber, the Macc Director and Advisor.				
<b>Accounting Practicum (3 Credits)<sup>5</sup></b> Students must complete one of the following options: ACCT 397 Fe/Coop Ed/Internship; ACCT 413 Internship; UNIV 492 Study Abroad Program; MGMT 470 Entrepreneurship/Small Business Management or AGEC 371 Export									
			3		<b>Total Credits Required for Graduation: 120</b>				

<sup>4</sup> Denotes Common Body of Knowledge (CBK) course.

<sup>5</sup> ACCT 397 and ACCT 413 require ACCT 311 with a grade of C or better as a pre-requisite.

### DEGREE REQUIREMENTS AND NOTES:

1. Students follow the published curricula for the major program of study from the semester/ year of entrance in the College of Business to graduation, provided enrollment at NDSU has not been discontinued for more than one year. Students who change their major program of study are subject to meeting the curricular requirements in effect at the time the new major is declared.
2. Business courses from programs that do not hold AACSB International accreditation cannot be used for major or minor requirements in the College of Business (CoB); such courses may be eligible for use as free electives.
3. The CoB accepts a maximum of nine credits of non-NDSU 300-400 level business courses from AACSB programs with approval of the department.
4. A grade of 'C' or better is required in transfer courses accepted for all accounting, business administration, finance, management, management information systems, and marketing courses.
5. Students must earn a 2.50 institutional GPA and complete all course and credit requirements to graduate with a major in Accounting.
6. Admission into the Accounting major and a 2.50 cumulative grade point average is required to enroll in 300-400 level accounting, business administration, finance, management, management information systems and marketing courses. A letter grade must be earned in any course that fulfills a major requirement (with the exception of some practicum options).
7. Students must be accepted to the accounting major prior to the completion of the **last 30 credits** in 300 and 400 level CoB courses.
8. Of the credits completed in residence, at least 30 credits must be in the 300-400 level CoB courses.
9. A Business Administration minor is NOT offered with this major.
10. For multiple majors within the College of Business, at least 15 unique credits of 300-400 level College of Business courses must exist between the majors.
11. Students should refer to the College of Business website, [www.ndsu.edu/business](http://www.ndsu.edu/business), for current and complete listing of the major requirements.