



CPA LICENSURE OR CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

WYOMING

Completing a DeVry accounting program does not guarantee employment or licensure. States may have work experience requirements not met through DeVry's educational programs.

State professional licensure or certification requirements are subject to change at any time. Current and prospective students are encouraged to contact the state licensure authority where they plan to practice, reviewing all licensure and certification requirements pertaining to their state.

State Licensure Authority	Educational Requirements	Experience Requirements	Ethics Requirements	Other General Requirements
Wyoming Board of Certified Public Accountants	<p>All CPA Exam candidates in Wyoming must have a bachelor's degree or higher from a regionally accredited college or university with a concentration or major in accounting. Candidates are also required to complete 150 semester hours with a concentration in accounting subjects.</p> <p>Including a minimum of twenty-four (24) semester credit hours covering various accounting subjects and a minimum of twenty-four semester credits of business courses (other than accounting) a list of which is found in Chapter 2, Section 3 of the Board's rules.</p>	<p>The applicant for a CPA certificate shall demonstrate one (1) year of experience in the practice of public accounting. The experience shall include providing any type of service or advice involving the use of accounting skills, any auditing, review, or compilation service, any management advisory or financial advisory service, or any tax or consulting service. Experience shall be verified by an active certified public accountant, or the equivalent as determined by the board, or by providing representative samples of work as determined by the board. The experience shall be acceptable if it is gained through employment in government, industry, academia, or public accounting.</p> <p>The term "year of experience" means a minimum of two thousand (2,000) working hours.</p>	<p>Submit verification of completion of the AICPA's 8-hour approved ethics examination.</p>	<p>Must be a resident of the state of Wyoming.</p> <p>Pass all sections of the Uniform CPA Exam.</p> <p>Has attained the age of majority in Wyoming, which is eighteen (18) years of age.</p>

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For preliminary guidance on whether a particular DeVry University or its Keller Graduate School of Management accounting program meets your state's educational requirements to sit for the exam, see below:

DVU Programs that Meet the Education Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam

- No DVU programs meet the requirements to sit for the CPA Exam in Wyoming.

DVU Programs that May Not Meet the Education Requirements to Sit for the CPA Exam

- Undergraduate Certificate in Accounting
- Bachelor of Science in Accounting
- Graduate Certificate in Accounting
- Master of Science in Accounting
- Master of Science in Accounting and Financial Management

Notes:

- Students cannot earn CPA licensure simply by earning a college degree. According to the National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA), you'll first need to determine where you plan to sit for the CPA exam since the education requirements to sit for the CPA exam are different for every state. For example, some states require 120 total semester credit hours to qualify, while others require 150 total semester credit hours.
- Certified Public Accountant (CPA) licensure requirements established by each state, but **all states** require a minimum of 150 semester credit hours for licensure. DeVry's Bachelor of Science in Accounting (120 credit hours) will not, by itself, meet the education requirements for CPA licensure in any state.
- Students must be mindful to complete the appropriate number of credit hours in each subject matter (i.e., accounting and business) when registering for classes or choosing electives, as requirements vary by state.
- Although the Bachelor of Science in Accounting, Master of Science in Accounting and the Master of Science in Accounting and Financial Management may not individually lead to eligibility to sit for the CPA Exam or seek licensure as a CPA in certain states, it is possible that coupled with an undergraduate degree or an appropriate number of other accounting and business education credits, the degrees, and the specific courses taken may count toward the educational requirements in those states.
- If you are planning to seek professional licensure as a CPA, it is strongly recommended that you contact the appropriate licensing entity (in most cases, the state Board of Accountancy) in the state in which you plan to practice in order to seek information and guidance regarding licensure requirements and work with your Student Support Advisor to make sure you're able to take the required courses. CPA licensure requirements, including the educational component of those requirements, are state-specific and differ from one state to another. Each state's board of accountancy can be found by visiting the website of the National Association of State Boards of Accountancy at: [NASBA.org](https://www.nasba.org).

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- Some state laws require a criminal background check, which may disqualify an individual from obtaining licensure. As such, it is your responsibility to determine if your circumstances pose any barriers.