ACCOUNTING

Emphasis: Certified Public Accountant Exam Preparation



ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

The Master of Science in Accounting program (MSAC) emphasizes coursework – taught from the practitioner's perspective. The program is designed for individuals with an undergraduate degree or concentration in accounting or finance who wish to advance their education. Students pursuing this program will explore topics such as current issues in accounting, auditing standards and financial accuracy.

The CPA Exam Preparation emphasis includes career-focused coursework designed to prepare students for a variety of professional fields in accounting with an emphasis on the CPA designation. Specifically, the program can benefit students seeking to meet additional academic requirements in preparing for state-specific CPA exam requirements or current CPAs seeking a credential that may enable them to teach accounting at higher education institutions.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates of DeVry University's Keller Graduate School of Management Accounting degree program with a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Exam Preparation emphasis may consider, but are not limited to, the following careers:

- Accountant
- Accounting Manager
- Controller
- Director of Financial Reporting
- Public Accountant¹

¹ Employment in this occupation may require years of relevant experience Note: Credits and degrees earned from this institution do not automatically qualify the holder to participate in professional licensing exams to practice certain professions. Persons interested in practicing a regulated profession must contact the appropriate state regulatory agency for their field of interest. For instance, typically 150 credit hours of education are required to meet state regulatory agency education requirements for CPA licensure.

QUICK FACTS

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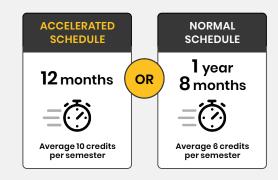
AN INDUSTRY ADVANTAGE

Keller's Master of Accounting degree program with a Certified Public Accountant Exam Preparation emphasis integrates elements of Becker Professional Education's industry-leading CPA exam prep into its curriculum.



ACCREDITATION MATTERS

Keller's Master of Science in Accounting program has achieved voluntary specialized accounting accreditation from the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP, www.acbsp.org), demonstrating that it has met standards of business education that promote teaching excellence.



ACCELERATE AT YOUR PACE

Choose the schedule that best fits your goals and commitments. You can earn your **Master's Degree** in as few as **12 months**.

Or, follow a normal schedule and complete your program in 1 year 8 months

Assumes continuous, year-round enrollment with no breaks



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COURSEWORK

PROGRAM CORE

ACCT525 Current Issues in Accounting

ACCT540 Professional Research for Accountants

ACCT601 Accounting Capstone

FOCUS - Three of:

ACCT530 Accounting Ethics and Related Regulatory Issues

ACCT555¹ External Auditing

ACCT556 Budgeting

ACCT559 Advanced Financial Accounting and Reporting Issues

ACCT560 Advanced Studies in Federal Taxes and Management Decisions

ACCT563 Advanced Managerial Accounting Issues

ACCT564 International Accounting and Multinational Enterprises

ACCT567 Governmental and Not-for-Profit Accounting

ACCT568 Analytics for Accountants
ACCT571 Accounting Information Systems

ACCT574 Forensic Accounting: Ethics and the Legal Environment

FIN516 Advanced Managerial Finance

FIN565 International Finance

FIN575 Advanced Financial Statement Analysis

MGMT520 Legal, Political and Ethical Dimensions of Business

MGMT550 Managerial Communication

ELECTIVES

One of:

Students choose any course for which they meet pre-requisites.

Visit the Course Descriptions section.

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT EXAM PREPARATION

ACCT591C	CPA Exam Core	Preparation:	Auditing and	Attestation

ACCT593C CPA Exam Core Preparation: Financial Accounting and Reporting

ACCT594C CPA Exam Core Preparation: Taxation and Regulation

One of:

ACCT597D CPA Exam Discipline Preparation: Business Analytics and Reporting ACCT598D CPA Exam Discipline Preparation: Information Systems and Controls ACCT599D CPA Exam Discipline Preparation: Tax Compliance and Planning

¹ Students selecting the Certified Public Accountant Exam Preparation option must take ACCT555 to satisfy prerequisite requirements

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

- Examine current pronouncements and practices impacting the accounting profession.
- Apply tax and auditing knowledge to business problems.
- Prepare complex financial statements by applying GAAP Rules.
- Analyze accounting regulations and standards.

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