



MASTER of BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

ACCOUNTING



Program Overview

The mission of the Master of Business Administration in Accounting is to prepare students to use advanced accounting skills for management-level careers in all areas of accounting including public accounting, private industry, federal, state and local governments, and non-profit organizations by ensuring graduates are competent in the latest practices and principles of business, communication, ethics, management accounting concepts, and standard procedures. Amberton's MBA in Accounting prepares graduates for careers as chief financial officers, chief operating officers, business consultants, management analysts, and chief executives. It also builds upon the BBA Accounting* program at Amberton to allow students to complete coursework necessary to sit for the Certified Public Accountancy (CPA) exam in the state of Texas. Requirements for the exam vary from state to state and change periodically. The program is offered through a combination of on-campus and online courses or 100% online.



M.B.A. Accounting Degree Plan

I. Program Prerequisites **3 Hours**

Prerequisite to the M.B.A. Accounting program is either 1) an earned bachelor's degree in accounting; or 2) an earned bachelor's, which will include at least 30-hours in business, including the following course or its equivalency, which the student must have successfully completed, or the following course must be taken:

BUS4113 Accounting & Finance for Managers 3 Hours

II. Required Graduate Accounting Courses **6 Hours**

ACC6165 Tax Planning and Research 3 Hours

ACC6036 Ethics for Accountants 3 Hours

III. Major Requirements: **24 Hours**

COM5469 Managerial Communication 3 Hours

FIN5250 Corporate Finance 3 Hours

MGT5203 Operations Management 3 Hours

ACC6120 Accounting Information Systems 3 Hours

ACC6130 Financial Statement Analysis 3 Hours

ACC6135 Data Analytics for Accountants 3 Hours

ACC6155 Advanced Managerial Accounting 3 Hours

MGT6203 Strategic Management* 3 Hours

IV. Electives **6 Hours**

Select 6 hours from the following courses:

ACC6150, BUS5110, BUS5425, ECO6140, ECO6250, FIN6290,

FIN6186, MGT5670

Totals: (Excluding Program Prerequisites) **36 Hours**

*This course has a prerequisite of 12 hours of 5000/6000 Business Administration courses (ACC, BUS, ECO, FIN, MGT, MKT).

[See current catalog for prerequisites.](#)

Graduate certificates may be completed while fulfilling degree requirements.
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