ACCOUNTING (BBA)

The undergraduate accounting program is dedicated to creating and facilitating educational and practical experiences that provide our students with the knowledge and skills necessary to be lifelong contributors to the accounting profession in an ethical and socially responsible manner throughout the Midwestern United States.

The objective of the undergraduate accounting program is to provide the skills and knowledge necessary for professional careers in all areas of accounting. The Department of Accounting offers an undergraduate major in accounting, an undergraduate Certificate in Advanced Accounting program, and a Master of Accounting program providing attractive options for satisfying the 150-hour requirement for CPA certification in the States of Iowa and Illinois. In addition to providing academic support services to other business programs, the department offers a minor in accounting.

Requirements for a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree in Accounting

Code	Title	Credits
Business Core		
Complete the Business Core requirements		33
Additional Major Requirements		
ACCT-201	Financial Accounting	3
ACCT-202	Managerial Accounting	3
ACCT-300	Acct. Fundamentals & Professionalism	3
ACCT-301	Intermediate Accounting I	3
ACCT-302	Intermediate Accounting II	3
ACCT-305	Income Tax Procedures I	3
ACCT-307	Cost Accounting	3
ACCT-312	Accounting Information Systems	3
ACCT-415	Auditing	3
Select six credits of the following:		6
ACCT-314	Internal Auditing	
ACCT-401	Advanced Financial Acct Theory & Issues Emerging Issues	
ACCT-402	Accounting Issues Seminar	
ACCT-403	Advanced Managerial Accounting Theory	
ACCT-404	VITA Seminar	
ACCT-406	Income Tax Procedures II	
ACCT-410	Advanced Accounting	
ACCT-414	Financial Statement Analysis & Valuation	
ACCT-416	Advanced Auditing	
ACCT-417	Law for Accountants	
ACCT-420	Seminar in Accounting Topics	
ACCT-460	Accounting Internship	
Total Credits		**66**

Students must also demonstrate an experiential learning experience, which may include a documented internship (ACCT-460 Accounting Internship, EXPL-201 Experiential Learning Notation, or EXPL-202 Experiential Learning - Internship), service learning (ACCT-404 VITA Seminar), study abroad, or in rare cases, an alternative to one of the above. Students who complete ACCT-404 VITA Seminar or ACCT-460 Accounting Internship as a 3-credit elective for the Accounting major will also satisfy this experiential learning experience requirement.

Accounting majors are required to have earned a 2.25 average GPA in all accounting courses; have earned a C in all accounting classes (if an accounting major earns below a C, the student must retake the course); and have earned 18 of their 33 hours of accounting at St. Ambrose, including ACCT-300 Acct. Fundamentals & Professionalism, ACCT-301 Intermediate Accounting I, ACCT-302 Intermediate Accounting II, ACCT-305 Income Tax Procedures I and ACCT-415 Auditing.

Business Core

Code	Title	Credits
ACCT-201	Financial Accounting	3
ACCT-202	Managerial Accounting	3
BUS-201	Business Law	3
ECON-200	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON-201	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
FNCE-300	Principles of Finance	3
MGMT-210	Principles of Management	3
MGMT-449	Business Capstone Seminar	3
MKTG-209	Principles of Marketing	3
STBE-137	Quantitative Reasoning in Business	3
STBE-237	Statistics for Business & Economics	3
Total Credits		**33**