

Accounting

The School of Accounting provides an education in accounting and business law that prepares graduates to assume entry-level positions in public, private, governmental, and not-for-profit accounting. Its program establishes a foundation for future growth and development for the accounting student and prepares graduates to sit for professional examinations in accounting that lead to such designations as Certified Public Accountant (CPA) and Certified Management Accountant (CMA). This is a STEM-related major.

For	students	entering	Fall	2024	٥r	later

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I. Basic Graduation Requirements	
120 - Total Credit Hours 42 - 100-Level (all University) Credit Hours	
2.0 or Above - Cumulative GPA2.0 or Above - Business 100-level Course GPA2.0 or Above - Accounting 100-Level Course GPA	
Graduation Planning (discuss with advising specialist) Due 18 months prior to graduation Graduation Application - Online in Self Service	

II. Drake Curriculum - Areas of Inquiry (AOIs)				
	Course	Credit	Grade	
First-Year Seminar		3		
Written Communication		3		
Information Literacy	ACCT 166	3		
Historical Foundations		3		
Global and Cultural Understanding	BUS 070	3		
Values and Ethics	BLAW 060	3		
Artistic Literacy		3		
Scientific Literacy with lab		4		
Quantitative Literacy	STAT 071	3		
Engaged Citizen		3		

III. All University Required Course	!		
	Course	Credit	Grade
Equity and Inclusion**	MGMT 110	3	\checkmark
** Zimpleman majors fill this with MGMT 1	10		

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IV. Business Core Requirements (48 Credits)		
The Business Acumen Sequence	Credit	Grade
BUS 001 - Welcome to Business	1	
BUS 002 - Career Readiness and Professionalism	1	
BUS 003 - Personal Branding Excellence	1	
BUS 004 - Pursuing Your North Star	1	
	Credit	Grade
ACCT 041 - Introduction to Financial Accounting	3	
ACCT 042 - Introduction to Managerial Accounting	3	
ECON 002 - Principles of Microeconomics	3	
IS 044 - Microsoft Office Tools for Business Analysis	2	
MATH 028 (or higher) - Business Calculus	3	
BLAW 060 - Business Law I	3	
BUS 070 - Globalization	3	
IS 075 - Information Technology and Business	3	
STAT 071 (or ACTS 131) - Statistics I	3	
STAT 072 (or ACTS 135) - Statistics II	3	
FIN 101 - Corporate Finance	3	
MGMT 110 - Organizational Behavior	3	
MGMT 120 - Management of Operations	3	
MKTG 101 - Marketing Principles	3	
BUS 195 - Business Strategy and Policy	3	

V. Accounting Major (30 Credits)	Credit	Grade
ACCT 110 - Managerial Accounting	3	
ACCT 130 - Accounting Analytics	3	
ACCT 165 - Financial Accounting I	3	
ACCT 166 - Financial Accounting II	3	
ACCT 175 - Auditing Principles	3	
ACCT 185 - Individual Taxation	3	
ACCT 186 - Business Entity Taxation	3	
Choose three electives: ACCT 167, ACCT 168, ACCT 176, or IS 160	9	

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Suggested Course Sequence *

Pre-requisites and when courses are offered may be found on this page: www.drake.edu/zimpleman/about/forms/

First Year	, Fall	
Course	Notes	Credits
FYS		3
Elective		3
ACCT 041		3
ECON 002		3
AOI		3
Term Credits		15

First Year, Spring			
Course	Notes	Credits	
BUS 001		1	
ACCT 042		3	
IS 044		2	
Science AOI with Lab		4	
MATH 028		3	
Term Credits		13	

Second Year, Fall			
Course	Notes	Credits	
STAT 071		3	
IS 075		3	
ACCT 110		3	
Elective		3	
AOI		3	
Term Credits		15	

Second Year, Spring			
Course	Notes	Credits	
BUS 002		1	
ACCT 130		3	
ACCT 165		3	
BLAW 060		3	
STAT 072		3	
FIN 101		3	
Term Credits		16	

Third Year, Fall				
Course	Notes	Credits		
BUS 003		1		
MGMT 110 or MGMT 120		3		
MKTG 101		3		
ACCT 166		3		
ACCT 185		3		
Elective		3		
Zimpleman Graduation Agreement Due				
Term Credits		16		

Third Year, Spring				
Course	Notes	Credits		
MGMT 120 or MGMT 110		3		
BUS 070		3		
ACCT 186		3		
100 Level ACCT Elective		3		
AOI		3		
Option to pursue full-time internship	מ			
Term Credits		15		

Fourth Year, Fall				
Course	Notes	Credits		
BUS 004		1		
ACCT 175		3		
100 Level ACCT Elective		3		
Elective		3		
Elective		3		
Elective		3		
University Commencement Application Due				
Term Credits		16		

Fourth Year, Spring			
Course	Notes	Credits	
BUS 195		3	
100 Level ACCT Elective		3	
AOI		3	
Elective		3	
Elective		3	
Term Credits		15	

^{*} This plan is an example and your plan may vary. Meet with your advisor to devise a plan that is best for you.

Notes Total credits (minimum 120) 121	21
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