

# **Accounting**

Fall 2025, Spring 2026, & Summer 2026

Tippie Advising & Standard Admission Requirements

## This form is a planning tool only— Consult your degree audit on MyUI to see all degree requirements.

General Education (21 - 31 s.h.)	s.h.
World Language: 4th level in one language, 2nd level in two languages or 3rd level in one language plus an approved WLCE	0-10
Historical Perspectives	3
Interpretation of Literature	3
Natural Sciences (lab not required)	3
Values & Society	3
International & Global Issues	3
Social Sciences (excluding ECON:1100 & ECON:1200)	3
Understanding Cultural Perspectives (must be taken at UI)	3
Prerequisites Required for standard admission (18 s.h.)	
RHET:1030 Rhetoric required General Education course	4
MATH:1350 Quant. Reasoning for Bus. (MATH:1005 w/ C- or ALEKS 55)	4
STAT:1030 Statistics for Business	4
ECON:1100 Principles of Microeconomics	4
BAIS:1500 Business Computing Essentials	2
Business Core Part I Required to declare major (7 s.h.)	
ECON:1200 Principles of Macroeconomics	4
ACCT:2100 Introduction to Financial Accounting (full-time semester of college-level coursework)	3
Business Core Part II (26 s.h.)	
ACCT:2200 Managerial Acct. Analytics & Data Visualization (ACCT:2100, ECON:1100, MATH:1350)	3
BUS:2200 Discover Business at Tippie (admission to Tippie)	1
BAIS:3005 Information Systems (BAIS:1500 or CS:1020) 8 weeks	2
BAIS:2800 Foundations of Business Analytics (MATH:1350, STAT:1030, BAIS:1500)	3
MGMT:2000 Intro. to Law (30 s.h.)	3
FIN:3000 Intro. Financial Mgmt. (ACCT:2100, ECON:1100 & 1200)	3
MGMT:2100 Intro. to Management (30 s.h.)	3
MKTG:3000 Intro. to Marketing Strategy	3
BAIS:3000 Operations Mgmt. (STAT:1030) 8 weeks	2
BUS:3000 Bus. Comm. & Protocol (RHET:1030, admission to Tippie)	3
Tippie RISE (0-3 s.h.)	
Complete at least one of the following; see degree audit for course options	
Research with Faculty	0-3
Internship Course (i.e. BUS:3100 S/U graded or CCP:1201 S/U graded)	0-3
Study Abroad	3
Experiential Course (must be completed at UI)	3

Accounting Major Requirements (25 s.h. total)	
All accounting major courses must be completed at UI.	
Common requirements (22 s.h.)	s.h.
ACCT:3100 Professional Acct. Seminar (co-req: ACCT:2100); S/U graded	1
ACCT:3200 Income Measurement & Asset Valuation (ACCT:2100) duplicate credit to ACCT:3020	3
ACCT:3400 Intro. to Taxation (ACCT:2100)	3
ACCT:3300 Valuation of Fin. Claims (ACCT:3100 & 3200)	3
ACCT:3600 Acct. Systems & Analytics (ACCT:2200 & BAIS:3005)	3
ACCT:4100 Auditing (ACCT:3300 & BAIS:2800)	3
ACCT:4200 Advanced Managerial Accounting Analytics (BAIS:2800, BAIS:3005, ACCT:2100 & ACCT:2200)	3
ACCT:4300 Accounting Ethics & Law (ACCT:2100 & ACCT:2200)	3
Accounting major elective (3 s.h.)	
One required, but each class contains important content for students taking the CPA exam	1
ACCT:3500 Advanced Tax Topics (ACCT:3400, 90 s.h.) fall only	3
ACCT:4400 Advanced Fin. Acct. (ACCT:3300, 90 s.h.) spring only	3
ACCT:4280 Cybersecurity (BAIS:3005) spring only	3
Optional electives	
Not included in major GPA or accounting hours	
ACCT:3450 Tax Practicum I(pt. 1 of sequence; co-req ACCT:3400) winter only	0
ACCT:3450 Tax Practicum I(pt. 2 of sequence; co-req ACCT:3400) spring only	2
ACCT:3451 Tax Practicum II RISE (ACCT:3450) spring only	1
ACCT:4000 Special Topics in Accounting	1
ACCT:4600 Research Seminar for Tax Professionals (ACCT:3500) spring only	2

## Sample Four-Year Plan

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	First Year (	0-29 s.h.)	
1st Semester  MATH:1350 Quantitative Reasoning for Business RHET:1030 Rhetoric ECON:1100 Principles of Microeconomics BUS:2200 Discover Business at Tippie General education CSI:1600 Success at Iowa	s.h. 4 4 4 1 3 1	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester STAT:1030 Statistics for Business ECON:1200 Principles of Macroeconomics BAIS:1500 Business Computing Essentials General education General education	s.h. 4 4 2 3 3 16
	Second Year	(30-59 s.h.)	
1st Semester ACCT:2100 Intro. to Financial Accounting BAIS:2800 Foundations of Business Analytics BAIS:3005 Information Systems BAIS:3000 Operations Mgmt. Minors; certificates; non-business; electives General education	s.h.  3 2 2 1 3 14	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester  ACCT:3100 Professional Acct. Seminar  ACCT:2200 Managerial Acct. Analytics & Data Visualization  ACCT:3200 Income Measurement & Asset Valuation  BUS:3000 Bus. Comm. and Protocol  General education	s.h. 1 3 3 3 3 13
	Third Year (6	60-89 s.h.)	
1st Semester ACCT:4200 Advanced Managerial Accounting Analytics ACCT:3300 Valuation of Financial Claims MGMT:2100 Intro. to Management Minors; certificates; non-business; electives General education	s.h. 3 3 3 3 3 15	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester  ACCT:3400 Introduction to Taxation  ACCT:3600 Accounting Systems & Analytics  MGMT:2000 Intro. to Law  General education  Minors; certificates; non-business; electives	s.h. 3 3 3 3 3 15
	Fourth Year (9	30-120 s.h.)	
1st Semester  ACCT:4100 Auditing  Accounting elective**  MKTG:3000 Intro. to Marketing Strategy  Minors; certificates; non-business; electives  Minors; certificates; non-business; electives	s.h. 3 3 3 3 3 3 15	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester  ACCT:4300 Accounting Ethics & Law Accounting elective**  FIN:3000 Intro. Financial Mgmt.  Minors; certificates; non-business; electives  Minors; certificates; non-business; electives	s.h. 3 3 3 3 3 15

<sup>\*</sup>Students are required to complete 52 s.h. of non-business course work. Courses with a prefix of ACCT, BAIS, BUS, ECON, ENTR, FIN, MGMT, MSCI, MKTG will not count towards non-business hours. Check degree audit at #8.

#### Sample: 4-semester accounting course sequence with spring internship

Third Year					
Fall Semester	s.h.	Spring Semester	s.h.		
ACCT:3100 Professional Acct. Seminar	1	ACCT:3300 Valuation of Financial Claims	3		
ACCT:3200 Income Measurement & Asset Valuation	3	ACCT:3600 Accounting Systems & Analytics**	3		
ACCT:3400 Intro. to Taxation	3	ACCT:4200 Advanced Managerial Accounting Analytics	3		

Fourth Year				
Fall Semester	s.h.	Spring Semester	s.h.	
ACCT:4100 Auditing**	3	BUS:3100 Academic Internship/Cooperative Ed	0	
ACCT:4300 Accounting Ethics & Law**	3			
Accounting Elective	3			

### \*\* Available in 8-week summer sessions

#### Notes:

<sup>\*\*</sup>Students are required to complete one Accounting elective; however, multiple electives are encouraged to best prepare for the CPA.