

ACCOUNTING

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, MINOR, CERTIFICATE





ACCOUNTANTS AND AUDITORS help businesses and organizations maintain accurate financial records that are in compliance with laws and regulations, including tax laws. They may also identify areas where businesses are losing money and suggest ways to improve profits. Your SIU curriculum includes sections on business ethics, data security, inventory models, fraud detection and tax laws.

Careers

- All "Big 4" accounting firms and many top private companies recruit our students. They know our graduates are prepared for the job day one.
- 79% of our internship students have full-time accounting jobs by the time they graduate.
- 92% of our bachelor's degree students and nearly 100% of our Master of Accountancy students find degree-related employment – often before they've even graduated!

We are fully accredited by the AACSB (Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business) AND we are full members of the Federation of Schools of Accountancy.



Student Organizations

We're not just numbers people. We are people people too.

- Living Learning Community
- Freshman Interest Group – Join a FIG from your LLC for even more opportunities!
- Accounting Society
- Ascend
- Beta Alpha Psi honors accounting organization
- National Association of Black Accountants

OPPORTUNITIES

- Volunteer Income Tax Assistance program – Become an IRS-certified volunteer tax preparer AND give back to your community.
- Undergraduate Certificate in Accounting – Our 30-credit-hour program qualifies you to take the CPA exam. Available online and on campus.
- Online Accountancy degree completion – Finish your SIU bachelor's degree in Accountancy online. We are the only public college / university in Illinois offering an accredited online accounting completion option that qualifies you to take the CPA exam!
- SIU offers a Masters of Accountancy degree, both online and on campus.