



Professional Program in Accounting

Naveen Jindal School of Management
PPA Sample Degree Plan

Freshman Year

FALL SEMESTER – 15 Semester Credit Hours	SPRING SEMESTER – 15 Semester Credit Hours
RHET 1302 Rhetoric	COMM 1315 Public Speaking
HIST 1301 U.S. History Survey to Civil War	HIST 1302 U.S. History Survey from Civil War
Creative Arts Core Course	BA 1320 Business in a Global World
MATH 1325 Applied Calculus I	or ECON 2301 Principles of Macroeconomics
BCOM 1300 Introduction to Professionalism and Communication in Business (freshman students)	MATH 1326 Applied Calculus II
	or PHIL 2303 Introduction to Logic
	or OPRE 3340 Advanced Business Quantitative Methods
UNIV 1010 Freshman Seminar	OPRE 3333 Quantitative Business Analysis

Sophomore Year

FALL SEMESTER – 15 Semester Credit Hours	SPRING SEMESTER – 15 Semester Credit Hours
Life and Physical Sciences Core Course	Life and Physical Sciences Core Course
BLAW 2301 Business and Public Law	Language, Philosophy and Culture Core Course
ACCT 2301 Introductory Financial Accounting	ACCT 2302 Introductory Management Accounting
GOVT 2305 American National Government	GOVT 2306 State and Local Government
BA 1310 Making Choices in Free Market Systems	OPRE 3360 Managerial Methods in Decision Making Under Uncertainty
or ECON 2302 Principles of Microeconomics	or STAT 3360 Probability and Statistics for Management and Economics

Junior Year

FALL SEMESTER – 18 Semester Credit Hours	SPRING SEMESTER – 19 Semester Credit Hours
FIN 3320 Business Finance	ACCT 3350 Fundamentals of Taxation – PPA Section
ACCT 3331 Intermediate Financial Accounting	ACCT 3101 – PPA Lyceum – PPA Section*
ACCT 3341 Cost Management Systems	OPRE 3310 Operations Management
ITSS 3300 Information Technology for Business	OBHR 3330 Introduction to Human Resource Management
MKT 3300 Principles of Marketing	or OBHR 3310 Organizational Behavior
BCOM 3300 (transfer students, freshman take 1300)	BCOM 4300 Managing Communications in Business
UNIV 2020 Core Curriculum Assessment	IMS 3310 International Business
	Free Elective (3 hours)

	or ENTP 4340 or IMS 4335 Social Sector Entrepreneurship and Community Engagement
	or MKT 4360 Social Marketing
	BA 4095 Social Sector Engagement and Community Outreach Practicum (if do 100 hours on own, 0 credit)

Students should consider taking a few classes (6-9 hours) in the summer between junior and senior year to ease the junior year load

Senior Year

FALL SEMESTER – 15 Semester Credit Hours	SPRING SEMESTER - 15 Semester Credit Hours
ACCT 4334 Auditing – PPA Section	ACCT 4342 Accounting Systems – PPA Section
ACCT 4302 Accounting Research – PPA Section	ACCT 6335 Ethics – PPA Section
ACCT 3332 Intermediate Financial Accounting II – PPA Section	ACCT 6345 Business Valuation – PPA Section (Audit Interns)
BPS 4305 Strategic Management	ACCT 6356 Tax Research – PPA Section (Tax Interns)
ACCT 4395 Capstone Senior Project	ACCT 4V80 Professional Internship in Accounting

Graduate Year

SUMMER/FALL SEMESTER	SPRING SEMESTER
ACCT 6353 Fundamentals of Taxation II – PPA Section	ACCT Elective (CPA Course)**
ACCT 6333 Advanced Financial Reporting – PPA Section	ACCT Elective (CPA Course)**
ACCT 6373 Advanced Audit	
ACCT 6365 Government and Not for Profit	
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*Denotes a one-hour course

** PPA students who have met the requirements to sit for the CPA exam this semester and who are academically ready to, are encouraged to take the CPA review course at UTD and sit for the CPA exam

It is highly recommended not to take night classes spring semester of junior year as there are various recruiting events in the evenings

The degree requires four hours of Free Electives

Please note, if admitted into PPA, all guided electives are used in this degree

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