

# ACCOUNTING PROGRAM

Minimum MSA credit requirement: 30 credits

Maximum MSA credit requirement: 57 credits\*

## Required Core (9 credits)

<p><b>ACCO 6511</b> Taxation – Corporations, Partnerships 3 credits</p>
<p><b>ACCO 6520</b> Advanced Corporate Issues 3 credits</p>

**AND**

<p><b>ACCO 6065</b> Advanced Auditing and Analytics 3 credits</p>
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**OR**

<p><b>ACCO 6535</b> Fraud Examination and Analytics 3 credits</p>
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## Elective Business Core (9-12 credits)

<p>BUAD Elective 3 credits</p>
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Select from Graduate School of Management non-ACCO course options.

## Accounting Elective Core (9-12 credits)

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### Choose from:

- ACCO 5040/6040  
International Accounting
- ACCO 5045/6045  
International Taxation
- ACCO 5050/6050  
Accounting Information Systems
- ACCO 5060 Accounting Analytics
- ACCO 5080/6080  
Analysis of Corporate Financial Statements
- ACCO 5119/6119  
Tax Research Seminar
- ACCO 5931/6931  
Topics in Accounting
- ACCO 6065  
Advanced Auditing and Analytics
- ACCO 6525  
Governmental Accounting
- ACCO 6535  
Fraud Examination and Analytics



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## Admission to the M.S.A. program requires:

- A four-year bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university, with a major in accounting or equivalent undergraduate course work
- Students admitted without sufficient undergraduate accounting coverage may be required to successfully complete the following undergraduate courses: cost accounting, intermediate accounting, advanced accounting, auditing, U.S taxation, and accounting information systems.
- An acceptable record of academic achievement at the bachelor's level and in any previous graduate course work
- Acceptable scores on the GMAT or GRE or meet the waiver requirements

\*For those pursuing the M.S.A. degree with insufficient undergraduate course work in accounting, 15-21 credits of undergraduate accounting course work or a combination of undergraduate and foundation graduate level course work may be required.

Specific undergraduate or graduate foundation course work is determined on a case-by-case basis at the time of admission.

## Accelerated Bachelor's to Master's Program

This accelerated degree program (ADP) allows Marquette University students to earn their Bachelor's and Master's degrees in five years. Undergraduate students begin their graduate work senior (or junior) year by taking three graduate level courses, which double-count toward both the undergraduate and graduate degrees.

Students wishing to double-count courses must complete the appropriate paperwork with the Graduate School of Management (GSM), obtaining consent from the adviser (or department chairperson) and the GSM. Get forms at the Graduate School of Management Web site at [marquette.edu/business/graduate/forms.php](http://marquette.edu/business/graduate/forms.php) and complete them prior to the start of class. Should a student not be admitted to the Master's program, courses will be counted toward the undergraduate degree only.

Students must earn a B or better to transfer the course into the Master's program. Upon completion of the first term as a master's candidate, the student must petition the director of the Master's program to transfer courses taken as an undergraduate to the master's level. Follow the instructions for "Transfer for credit" at [marquette.edu/business/graduate/forms.php](http://marquette.edu/business/graduate/forms.php).

To be considered for admission to the ADP program, applicants must formally apply to the Graduate School of Management (GSM) during their senior year at Marquette University, complete all of application requirements at [graduate.admissions.marquette.edu/apply/](http://graduate.admissions.marquette.edu/apply/) and indicate on their application that they are applying for the ADP program.

For more information on the M.S.A. program, contact:

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