

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

Mission

The Department of Accounting and Finance provides quality undergraduate and graduate education in Accounting and Finance that develops the knowledge, skills, and ethical awareness to succeed in a broad range of accounting, finance, and business careers and establishes a foundation for life-long learning.

The department of Accounting and Finance prepares future leaders for a career in Accounting and Finance. The Accounting and Finance department prepares students for the business world through quality academic programs and student engagement opportunities guided by quality faculty research and innovative pedagogy. The department focuses on developing challenging programs, student engagement and success, quality research, and innovative pedagogy.

The department offers programs in the newest A&M campus in a large metropolitan city in a convenient location with affordable tuition and fees and small class size. The department offers convenient, flexible evening hybrid classes for working students with strong internship and outreach programs to interface with accounting/finance professionals. Scholarships are available for qualified students from local professional organizations. High quality of graduates with good placement record and high CPA pass rate. The excellent, dedicated faculty members are involved in quality scholarly research and engaged in local and national academic and professional organizations. Accounting and finance databases are available for faculty research and student use.

Quantitative and Statistical Skills

The college requires that all of its majors demonstrate proficient quantitative skills. Passing QMBS 2301 Quantitative Skills-Business, QMBS 2305 Business Statistics I, and QMBS 3360 Business Statistics II with a grade of 'C' or better would demonstrate a minimum level of proficiency. If a student is deficient in any of these classes, the student must retake the course(s) until the required minimum grade is achieved.

Accounting Majors

All Accounting majors must receive a grade of "C" or better in ACCT 3302 Intermediate Accounting I, ACCT 3303 Intermediate Accounting II, and ACCT 3304 Intermediate Accounting III. If a student is found deficient in these courses, the student must retake the course(s) until the required minimum grade is achieved. Accounting majors may not proceed to upper-level accounting classes before these minimum course competencies are achieved. Accounting majors may not take ACCT 3301 Accounting for Non-Accounting Majors for credit.

Finance Majors

All Finance majors must receive a grade of "C" or better in all FINC courses. The student must retake all the course(s) until the required minimum grade is achieved. Finance majors may not proceed to the next course without achieving the minimum grade in the prerequisite course. Academic courses transferred in also must meet the minimum grade criteria. Finance majors may not take FINC 3337 Finance for Non-Finance Majors for credit.

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Programs

- Accounting, Bachelor of Business Administration (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/business/accounting-finance/accounting-bba/>)
- Computer Information Systems Information Assurance and Security Concentration, Bachelor of Business Administration (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/business/accounting-finance/computer-information-systems-assurance-security-concentration-bba/>)
- Computer Information Systems, Bachelor of Business Administration (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/business/accounting-finance/computer-information-systems-bba/>)
- Computer Information Systems, Minor (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/business/accounting-finance/computer-information-systems-minor/>)
- Finance, Bachelor of Business Administration (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/business/accounting-finance/finance-bba/>)
- Information Technology Concentration, BAAS (<https://catalog.tamusa.edu/undergraduate/business/accounting-finance/information-technology-concentration-baas/>)

Courses Accounting

Code	Title	Credits
ACCT 2301	Principles of Financial Acct	3
ACCT 2302	Principles of Managerial Acct	3
ACCT 3101	Accounting Lab	1
ACCT 3191	Accounting Experiential Learn	1
ACCT 3301	Accounting for Non-Acct Mjrs	3
ACCT 3302	Intermediate Accounting I	3
ACCT 3303	Intermediate Accounting II	3
ACCT 3304	Intermediate Accounting III	3
ACCT 3305	Fund of Federal Income Tax	3
ACCT 3306	Adv Indiv Fed Income Tax	3
ACCT 3308	Internal Audit I	3
ACCT 3309	Experiential Learning - Introduction to Federal Individual Income Tax Preparation	3
ACCT 3314	Cost Managerial Accounting	3
ACCT 3320	Internal Audit II	3
ACCT 3328	Internship in Accounting	3
ACCT 3338	Financial Statement Analysis	3
ACCT 4191	Exprntl Learning-Income Tax	1
ACCT 4192	Accounting Research Experience	1
ACCT 4307	Accounting for Government and Nonprofit Entities	3
ACCT 4311	Auditing I	3
ACCT 4312	Auditing II	3

ACCT 4313	Flow-Through Entity Taxation	3
ACCT 4314	Business Combinations	3
ACCT 4315	Advanced Accounting Problems	3
ACCT 4316	Accounting Theory	3
ACCT 4317	Accounting Information Systems	3
ACCT 4318	Adv Income Tax Accounting	3
ACCT 4319	Adv Cost Managerial Acct	3
ACCT 4321	Internal Audit III	3
ACCT 4331	Accounting Data Analytics	3
ACCT 4342	Bus Law for Accountants	3
ACCT 4391	Special Study in Accounting	3

FINC 4389	FinTech Applications	3
FINC 4390	Seminar in Finance	3
FINC 4393	Special Problems in Finance	3

Quantitative Methods Business Statistics

Code	Title	Credits
QMBS 2305	Business Statistics I	3
QMBS 3360	Business Statistics II	3

Economics

Code	Title	Credits
ECON 2301	Principles of Macroeconomics	3
ECON 2302	Principles of Microeconomics	3
ECON 3331	Money and Banking	3
ECON 3334	International Economics	3
ECON 4393	Special Problems in Economics	3

Finance

Code	Title	Credits
FINC 3101	Finance Lab	1
FINC 3191	Finance Experiential Learning	1
FINC 3310	Corporate Finance	3
FINC 3321	Personal Financial Planning	3
FINC 3328	Internship in Finance	3
FINC 3333	Commercial Bank Management	3
FINC 3337	Finance for Non-Finc Majors	3
FINC 3338	Financial Statement Analysis	3
FINC 3345	Real Estate Finance	3
FINC 3351	Insurance & Risk Management	3
FINC 3371	Methods of Business Analytics	3
FINC 3381	Foundations in Fin Tech	3
FINC 3382	FinTech and Financial Services	3
FINC 4191	Exprntl Learning-Investing	1
FINC 4192	Finance Research Experience	1
FINC 4331	Investments	3
FINC 4332	Portfolio Managment	3
FINC 4336	Financial Management	3
FINC 4340	Financial Modeling	3
FINC 4341	Financial Markets/Institutions	3
FINC 4342	International Finance	3
FINC 4351	Behavioral Finance	3
FINC 4360	Options and Futures	3
FINC 4362	Financial Plan/Capital Budget	3
FINC 4364	Business Forecasting	3
FINC 4366	Entrepreneurial Finance	3
FINC 4371	Financial Econometrics	3
FINC 4372	Business Intel & Analytics	3
FINC 4379	Finance Analytics Applications	3
FINC 4383	Blockchain Technology	3