## **CCPI** UNIVERSITY

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#### ACCOUNTING BACHELOR'S DEGREE

#### **OVERVIEW**

If you have a knack for numbers and want to be at the center of business operations, then you may want to consider a career in accounting. Accountants are vital to a company's success, tracking income and assets, preparing financial statements, and evaluating return on investments.

In fact, no organization, be it public, private or government, can exist without accounting support. If this sounds like the career for you, consider ECPI University's year-round program. In just 2.5 years, you can earn a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration with a concentration in Accounting.

According to the U.S. Department of Labor the demand for thorough financial documentation is expected to increase in response to recent financial crises and subsequent financial regulations.\*

### **PROGRAM OUTCOMES**

ECPI UNIVERSITY'S CURRICULUM IS GROUNDED IN FUNDAMENTALS OF ACCOUNTANCY, WITH CLASSES FOCUSING ON BOTH THEORY AND APPLICATION. YOUR COURSEWORK COVERS A VARIETY OF CORE SUBJECTS INCLUDING:

- Standard practices of the accounting profession
- The role of technology in the accounting profession
- Preparation of Financial statements: GAAP and IFRS accounting methodologies
- Integration of accounting systems and financial reporting
- Preparation of personal, corporate, and not-for-profit tax returns
- Governmental accounting
- Fraud detections and deterrence and accounting computer forensics
- Detailed implementation of ethical standards as required by accounting and business management professionals
- Application of accounting and management theory and practice in decision making, business strategy, and technical solutions relating to management
- Critical thinking and financial analysis of business factors including accounting, operations management, technology, and globalization
- An understanding of global and technological accounting and business processes and management leadership



#### COLLEGE OF BUSINESS & CRIMINAL JUSTICE

#### **POSSIBLE CAREER TRACK**

Upon completion of your program, you can be prepared for entry-level positions in an array of industries and economic sectors including:

- STAFF ACCOUNTANT
- TAX ACCOUNTANT
- BUDGET ANALYST
- AUDITOR
- FORENSIC ACCOUNTANT

\*Derived from U.S. Dept. of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics, Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2014.

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