

Next Steps

Freshman Highlights



- Classes to take: General Education
- Schedule time to meet with an academic advisor in the Students First Office to develop a 4-year plan
- Apply to participate in special interest housing
- Sign up early for tutoring and Supplemental Instruction through Student Success Center
- Log into SpartanCareers to view jobs and start your career
- Check out undergraduate research opportunities
- Review the ExploreIt! Shadow Program

Sophomore Highlights



- Classes to take: Academic Major Courses
- Meet with your faculty advisor to ensure you are on track in completing your GEC requirements
- Visit Students First Office to estimate your GPA and re-view your degree evaluation
- Visit Career Services Center to talk with a Peer Career Ambassador. Time to get your major confirmed and resume started
- Attend Career Services Major Events
- Begin to develop your professional network

Junior Highlights



- Discover leadership opportunities through clubs and organizations
- Check out opportunities—Office of Leadership & Service Learning
- Visit Career Services Center to complete your resume, practice interviewing, learn about graduate school, and/or prepare your internship search action plan
- Attend Career Fairs and Employer Information Sessions
- Continue to build your professional network by speaking with faculty, employers, and alumni
- Complete a Course Overload Form in Student First Office if you need to register for more than 18 hours

Senior Year Highlights



- Meet with your faculty advisor to finalize your plans
- Apply for graduation via University Registrar - watch out for **deadlines**
- Take the “Senior Check Up” to see what skills or experiences you should make use of at Career Services
- Start applying to jobs and graduate programs
- Attend Career Fairs
- Network, network, network

B.S. in Accounting



MAP IT!

Chart your course

Department of Accounting

<http://bae.uncg.edu/acc>

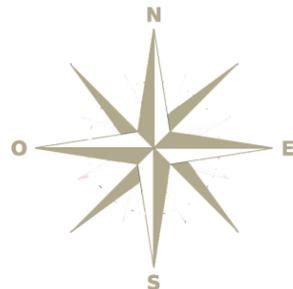
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Accounting

WHERE IT CAN TAKE YOU

Sample Work Functions

Those who study this major generally direct their skills, experience, and knowledge towards the following career functional areas:

- Accounting
- Auditing
- Corporate Finance
- Treasury
- Credit Analysis
- Financial Analysis
- Financial Planning
- Investments
- Operations

Sample Work Settings

Here is a sample of work settings (or work environments) that might interest someone with this educational background.

- Venture Groups
- Corporations
- Consulting Firms
- Universities & Colleges
- Commercial Banks
- Accounting Firms
- Federal & State Government
- Insurance Industry
- Non Profit Organizations
- Think Tanks/Research

Sample Salary Information

Salary information below represents median trends for sample job functions below and may not account for variables including geography, candidate background, or other factors involved in salary negotiation. For more complete information, check out the O*Net and the Occupational Outlook Handbook in addition to conducting informational interviews with professionals in the field.

- Business Intelligence Analysts: \$82,340
- Accountant: \$65,080
- Budget Analyst: \$70,110
- Financial Examiners: \$76,890
- Risk Management Specialists: \$62,510
- Credit Analyst: \$64,030

*additional education may be required

Organizations Where Our Alumni Have Gone

- Wells Fargo
- Bank of America
- BB&T
- Dixon Hughes Goodman LLP
- McGladrey
- SECU

HOW TO GET THERE

Try on this major

In addition to the courses required for this major, there are several courses within the department that any UNCG student can take as a way to “try on” the major and determine if it’s a good fit for you. Talk with your advisor about taking one or more of these courses during your first year:

ACC 201: Financial Accounting

ACC 218: Financial Statement Preparation and Disclosures

ECO 201: Principles of Microeconomics

ECO 202: Principles of Macroeconomics

ISM 110: Business Computing I

When to take coursework

Students pursuing this degree are required to take several different courses during their program. To ensure that you stay on track to graduate, talk with your advisor about which courses to register for.

Campus Organizations & Clubs and Professional Associations

- Beta Alpha Psi
- Future Financial Professionals

Special Interest Housing

Special interest housing communities are residential-based programs designed to enhance the overall undergraduate student experience by fostering one-on-one relationships between faculty, staff, and students in a close knit residence hall environment. Students are encouraged to explore intellectual, cultural, and social interests through experiential activities often linked to the academic curriculum. Students learn with friends, while gaining real-world experience all where they live. Special interest housing options include:

- Lloyd International Honors College
- Living-Learning Communities
- Residential Colleges
- Themed Communities

Past Internship Sites

Note: this is a partial listing of where students have interned in the past. Internships are not guaranteed; work with your academic program and the Career Services Center to strategize your plans for an internship to compliment your studies.

- KPMG
- Dixon Hughes Goodman
- McGladrey
- PwC

Sample Graduate Programs

Students graduating from this undergraduate program also look at continuing their education in these sample programs:

- MBA
- Economics and Finance
- International Relations

GPA & Other Requirements

Once you declare a major and select your academic concentration, you want to be sure you are aware of the various GPA and program requirements. Knowing these in advance will help you stay on track each semester and in planning out your long-term goals.

Concentration	GPA & Program Requirements	Application Procedures
Finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GPA of 2.0 or higher to declare • C or better in FIN 315 for majors and all additional FIN courses 	
Accounting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GPA of 2.0 or higher to declare • C or better in ACC 218 for majors 	

Sample Minors/Double-Majors

Often, UNCG students may be interested in pursuing a second major or a minor to complement their major. If this is of interest to you, be sure to discuss it with your advisor early on. Some possible minors or majors to consider include:

- Psychology
- Business Administration
- Computer Science
- English