

Application Procedure:

- 1) Submit a Post-Baccalaureate Admissions Application to SOU:

Admissions
Southern Oregon University
1250 Siskiyou Boulevard
Ashland, OR 97520
(541) 552-6411

<http://www.sou.edu/admissions/graduate/>

Note: Indicate that you are seeking this certificate and will be taking only undergraduate courses.

- 2) *Submit an Accounting Certificate Program application:*

Accounting Certificate Program
School of Business
Southern Oregon University
1250 Siskiyou Boulevard
Ashland, OR 97520
(541) 552-6484

www.sou.edu/business/certificates/pbacc.html

Contact the Program Advisors:

Susan Cain, MS
(541) 552-6717
cains@sou.edu



Al Case, CPA
(541) 552-6556
casea@sou.edu



Accounting Certificate
School of Business
Southern Oregon University
1250 Siskiyou Blvd.
Ashland, OR 97520
(541) 552-6484
www.sou.edu/business

Post- Baccalaureate Certificate in Accounting

Southern Oregon
University

School of Business

Post-Baccalaureate Certificate in Accounting

A Post-Baccalaureate Program . . .

The Certificate in Accounting is for students with a baccalaureate degree who wish to complete coursework to prepare for the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) or other certification examinations in accounting. This certificate is unique in that it is reserved for candidates who already possess a baccalaureate degree, but it does not require any graduate coursework, nor does it result in a degree being conferred.

To be admitted to the program, students must . . .

- Hold a baccalaureate degree.
- Be admitted to SOU
- Have completed the following courses or equivalents:
 - Accounting Information I (BA 211)
 - Accounting Information II (BA 213)
- Submit an application for admission to the Accounting Certificate program along with college transcripts for review.

NOTE: Students who do not meet all admissions requirements may attach a letter of petition to their applications.

Accounting Certificate Course Requirements . . . (48 credits)

Required Accounting Core (24 credits)

Intermediate Accounting I, II (BA 351, 352)	8
Cost and Management Accounting (BA 451)	4
Introduction to Taxation (BA 453)	4
Accounting Information Systems (BA 454)	4
Auditing I (BA 455)	4

Elective Courses (24 credits)

Business Law (BA 226)	4
Intermediate Accounting III (BA 353)	4
Management Information Systems (BA 382)	4
Principles of Finance (BA 385)	4
Auditing II (BA 456)	4
Advanced Taxation (BA 457)	4
Advanced Accounting Topics I (BA 458)	4
Advanced Accounting Topics II (BA 459)	4
Nonprofit Accounting and Financial Management (BA 460A)	4
Corporate Law (BA 478)	4
CPA Review – Financial & Auditing (BA 465A)	2
CPA Review – Business & Regulation (BA 465B)	2
Business Communication (BA 324)	4

At least 36 of the 48 credits for the certificate and at least 24 of the credits in accounting must be taken in residence at Southern Oregon University. Candidates must achieve a minimum grade of C in each course completed for the certificate and a GPA of 2.5 for all coursework from schools other than SOU must be from accredited colleges or universities.

Typical Online Offerings . . .

Fall Terms

BA 353 – Intermediate Accounting III
 BA 451 – Cost and Management Accounting
 BA 460A – Nonprofit Accounting & Financial Mgmt
 BA 457 – Advanced Taxation

Winter Terms

BA 351 – Intermediate Accounting I
 BA 454 – Accounting Information Systems

Spring Terms

BA 352 – Intermediate Accounting II
 BA 453 – Introduction to Taxation
 BA 455 – Auditing I
 BA 459 – Advanced Accounting Topics II
 BA 465 – CPA Review

Typical SOU Campus Offerings . . .

All Terms

BA 226 – Business Law
 BA 382 – Management Information Systems
 BA 385 – Principles of Finance

Fall Terms

BA 351 – Intermediate Accounting I
 BA 453 – Introduction to Taxation
 BA 454 – Accounting Information Systems
 BA 458 – Advanced Accounting Topics

Winter Terms

BA 352 – Intermediate Accounting II
 BA 451 – Cost and Management Accounting
 BA 455 – Auditing I
 BA 457 – Advanced Taxation

Spring Terms

BA 351 – Intermediate Accounting I
 BA 353 – Intermediate Accounting III
 BA 456 – Auditing II
 BA 459 – Advanced Accounting Topics II