



Certificate in Accounting

The Certificate in Accounting is for students with a baccalaureate degree in something other than accounting who wish to complete coursework to prepare to become a Certified Public Accountant (CPA) or work in accounting.

- This certificate is unique in that it is reserved for candidates who already possess a bachelor's degree or are working towards one concurrently.
- The program does not require any graduate coursework, nor does it result in a degree being conferred.
- Can be completed concurrently. The certificate will not be issued until the bachelor's degree is complete and all certificate requirements are met.

Career paths in Accounting and salary ranges:

Accountants and auditors, Accountants, Account auditors, Certified public accountants.

Median pay \$77,250 per year • \$37.14 per hour.

Bookkeeping, Accounting, and Auditing clerks, Accounting clerks, Accounts receivable assistants, Accounts receivable clerks, Accounts payable clerks.

Median pay \$45,560 per year • \$21.90 per hour.

Budget Analysts.

Median pay \$79,940 per year • \$38.43 per hour.

Cost Estimators.

Median pay \$65,170 per year • \$31.33 per hour.

Financial Analysts.

Median pay \$81,410 per year • \$39.14 per hour.

Financial Managers.

Median pay \$131,710 per year • \$63.32 per hour.

Management Analysts.

Median pay \$93,000 per year • \$44.71 per hour.

Personal Financial Advisors.

Median pay \$94,170 per year • \$45.27 per hour.

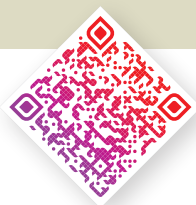
Securities, commodities, and financial services sales agents, Account executives, securities and investments.

Median pay \$62,910 per year • \$30.25 per hour.

Tax Examiners and Collectors, and Revenue Agents.

Median pay \$56,780 per year • \$27.30 per hour.

Data source: <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/a-z-index.htm#H>



For more details, explore the Southern Oregon University website: <https://sou.edu/academics/business/programs/certificate-accounting/>



Career Paths: <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/field-of-degree/business/business-field-of-degree.htm#emp>



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