# Sample 4-Year Plan: Accounting <br> B.S.B.A. 

## Haile/US Bank College of Business

## Northern Kentucky University

This is one way a student can complete this program in four years if the student requires no remedial courses. MAJOR: Accounting (with required minor in Business)

| FIRST YEAR <br> In your first year, you should concentrate on taking general education courses. <br> Don't get behind on your mathematics and statistics requirements (prerequisites) - that's the most common reason for falling behind in your four-year program. | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
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|  | MAT 109 Algebra for College Students if ACT<23: or MAT 112 Applied Calculus if ACT $\geq 23)^{3}$ | 3 | MAT 114 Finite Mathematics ${ }^{1,2,3}$ | 3 |
|  | FOK: Culture and Creativity (see choices in catalog) | 3 | FOK: Scientific and Quantitative Inquiry; Natural Sciences without lab (suggested: INF 120 Elementary Programming) ${ }^{1}$ | 3 |
|  | BIS 101 Computer Literacy and Informatics ${ }^{3}$ | 3 | FOK: Self and Society; Cultural Pluralism (see choices in catalog) ${ }^{1}$ | 3 |
|  | FOK: Global Viewpoints (see choices in catalog) ${ }^{1}$ | 3 | FOK: Culture and Creativity (see choices in catalog) ${ }^{1}$ | 3 |
|  | ENG 101 College Writing ${ }^{1,2,3}$ | 3 | CMST 101 Public Speaking | 3 |
|  | TOTAL 15 |  | TOTAL | 15 |
| SECOND YEAR <br> Plan on finishing all COB selective admission courses by the end of your fourth semester so you'll have complete access to 300 -level courses. <br> Get to know the accounting professors and discuss your future goals. <br> Keep in mind that prerequisite requirements are strongly enforced throughout your program. | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
|  | MAT 112 Applied Calculus ${ }^{2}$ or elective if MAT 112 is taken in first year, fall semester | 3 | STA 212 Statistics for Business Applications I I, 2,3 | 3 |
|  | ACC 200 Principles of Accounting I Financial ${ }^{2,5,6}$ | 3 | ACC 201 Principles of Accounting II-Managerial ${ }^{2,5,6}$ | 3 |
|  | ECO 200 Principles of Macroeconomics ${ }^{1,2,6}$ | 3 | ECO 201 Principles of Microeconomics ${ }^{1,2,6}$ | 3 |
|  | ENG 291 Advanced College Writing ${ }^{1,2,3}$ | 3 | BUS 230 Legal Environment ${ }^{2,6}$ | 3 |
|  |  |  | ACC 202 Accounting Laboratory ${ }^{5}$ | 1 |
|  | FOK: Scientific and Quantitative Inquiry; Natural Sciences with lab (see choices in catalog) ${ }^{1}$ | 4 | FOK: Culture and Creativity (see choices in catalog) ${ }^{1}$ | 3 |
|  | TOTAL | 16 | TOTAL | 16 |
| THIRD YEAR <br> Consider taking an internship that begins right after your second year. Keep in mind that employers usually begin hiring at least six months prior to your intended internship date. | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
|  | ACC 300 Intermediate Accounting ${ }^{5}$ | 3 | ACC 396 Internship: Accounting ${ }^{5}$ | 3 |
|  | ACC 350 Management Cost Accounting $\mathrm{I}^{5}$ | 3 | ACC 301 Intermediate Accounting II ${ }^{5}$ | 3 |
|  | BUS 330 Ethics: Managerial Decision Making ${ }^{4}$ | 3 | ACC 310 Accounting Information Systems ${ }^{5}$ | 3 |
|  | FIN 305 Principles of Finance ${ }^{6}$ | 3 | MGT 305 Operations Management in Business ${ }^{6}$ | 3 |
|  | ENG 340 Business Writing or ENG 371 Traditional Grammar (ENG 340 is recommended) ${ }^{5}$ | 3 | BIS 300 Management Information Systems ${ }^{6}$ | 3 |
|  | TOTAL | 5 | TOTAL | 15 |
| FOURTH YEAR <br> Attend every professional networking event that you can. <br> See undergraduate catalog for a list of possible accounting electives. | Fall Semester |  | Spring Semester |  |
|  | ACC elective ${ }^{5}$ | 3 | MGT 490 Business Policy ${ }^{4}$ | 3 |
|  | ACC 320 Tax Planning ${ }^{5}$ | 3 | ACC 400 Auditing ${ }^{5}$ | 3 |
|  | MGT 300 Behavior in Organizations: Understanding Organizational Life ${ }^{4}$ | 3 | Global Focus (see catalog for choices) ${ }^{5}$ | 3 |
|  | ECO 305 International Context for Business ${ }^{4}$ | 3 | Elective | 4 |
|  | MKT 205 Principles of Marketing ${ }^{6}$ | 3 |  |  |
|  | TOTAL | 15 | TOTAL | 13 |

Note: Following this plan will allow you to complete your B.S.B.A. degree in accounting with a minor in business in four years (eight semesters), assuming you meet performance expectations in all courses. You should give careful attention to course prerequisites, as they are strictly enforced. If you choose to earn your degree over a period longer than four years, the sequence of courses shown above will still apply in most cases. If you decide to deviate from the recommended sequence, you should consult with the College of Business advising center for assistance in developing an alternative plan.
${ }^{1}$ Meets university general education requirement of 37 hours.
${ }^{2}$ College of Business selective admission course group (grade of $C$ - or better; average GPA of 2.50 or better over the 10course group).
${ }^{3}$ Prerequisite for later required course.
${ }^{4}$ College of Business core course.
${ }^{5}$ Accounting major course group (grade of $C$ or better in all program courses to graduate).
${ }^{6}$ Meets the minor in business requirements.

