

# ACCOUNTING (CAPITAL)

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## Degree Requirements

### Master of Professional Accounting (M.P.Acc.)

Requirements listed here are in addition to Graduate Council policies listed under GCAC-700 Professional Degree Policies (<https://gradschool.psu.edu/graduate-education-policies/>).

Students must complete a minimum of 30 credit hours of instruction; all credits must be earned in 400 level, 500 level, or 800 level courses. A minimum of 21 credits at the 500- or 800-level is required, of which at least 9 credits must be earned in 500-level courses. Students must complete the following courses:

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Required Courses</b>		
ACCT 572	Financial Reporting I	3
PADM 523	Governmental and Nonprofit Accounting	3
ACCT 550	Professional Responsibilities and Ethics in Accounting	3
ACCT 532	Accounting Information and Decision Systems	3
ACCTG 881 or ACCT 561	Financial Statement Analysis Financial Statement Analysis II	3
ACCTG 806 or ACCT 510	Taxes and Business Planning Business Tax Planning Theory and Practice	3
ACCT 504	Auditing Theory and Practice	3
BLAW 444	Advanced UCC and Commercial Transactions	3
ACCT 545	Strategic Cost Management	3
<b>Culminating Experience</b>		
ACCTG 803	Forensic Accounting and Litigation Support (Capstone Course)	3
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>30</b>

ACCTG 803 is the capstone course for the program, integrating materials learned in the other program courses.