



RIDER
UNIVERSITY

Online Master of Accountancy

**College of Business
Administration**





Do more than impact numbers.

Impact people.

You can be a driving force of our economy. Comprehensive knowledge of money management is the lifeblood for businesses of all sizes. When you learn the discipline of numbers, you learn how to effectively communicate the story behind them — the story that influences key business decisions.

Rider University's online Master of Accountancy (MAcc) is designed for working professionals who seek advanced credentials. Learn the latest industry practices and regulatory developments as you prepare for leadership opportunities in your field.

Prepare to sit for the CPA exam or other professional licensures

**Specialize your MAcc degree with one of three concentrations:
Business Analytics, Finance or Forensic Accounting**

**Work in various settings across small firms, large corporations,
government agencies or your own company**

**Translate money management abilities into crucial
business decisions**

**Develop the high-level skills that can lead to company-wide
financial success**

Considering a Career Change to the Accounting Field?

Rider welcomes students from all backgrounds into the online MAcc program. Your enrollment advisor will help by predefining the prerequisites you will need in order to make a smooth transition into the program — and your new career path.



Become a financial problem solver.

Call 866-310-2840 or visit online.rider.edu/online-macc-program

Online Master of Accountancy Curriculum

The online Master of Accountancy consists of 10 courses and 30 credit hours. You can complete the entire curriculum online in fewer than two years. You can complete a concentration with no additional coursework. Please note the following curriculum changes will go into effect starting in the Fall 2019 semester.

Program

Admission Requirements

Our online Master of Accountancy is a great opportunity for those looking to enhance their career options. That's why we do our best to make it as accessible as possible to anyone who has the desire to pursue it.

Here's what you'll need:

- ☐ **A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university.** Degrees earned abroad must be deemed to be equivalent to a U.S. bachelor's degree.
- ☐ **Official transcripts from all the universities and colleges attended.** You may transfer up to 6 graduate business credits (2 courses) from an AACSB-accredited graduate program into the online MAcc program. Transfer credits will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis.
- ☐ **GMAT and GRE waivers available** for those with a business degree from an AACSB-accredited school with an overall GPA of 3.3. Other academic and professional experience will also be considered for waiver eligibility.
- ☐ **Accounting/business prerequisite courses may be required** prior to the start of online MAcc courses for career changers. Prerequisites may be waived based on academic and professional experience. All courses are available online. Credential evaluation is available prior to applying.
- ☐ **A current résumé**

Prerequisite Courses

Fundamentals of Accounting	3 credits
Economic Analysis	3 credits
Basic Financial Principles	1.5 credits
Cost Management	3 credits
Acct Theory & Concepts I	3 credits
Acct Theory & Concepts II	3 credits
Acct Problems & Practice	3 credits
Principles of Auditing	3 credits
Fundamentals of Federal Taxation	3 credits

Required Courses

Seminar in Taxation	3 credits
Analysis of Accounting Data	3 credits
Issues in Financial Reporting	3 credits
Auditing: Practice & Cases	3 credits
Issues in Managerial Accounting	3 credits
Business Intelligence Tech-Data Mining	3 credits
Professional Research and Communication	3 credits

Business Analytics Concentration

Applied Data Management for Business	3 credits
Business Analytics for Managers	3 credits
Business Intelligence Tech-Data Mining (also serves as a required class)	3 credits
Business Law	3 credits

Finance Concentration

Investment Instruments & Strategies	3 credits
International Financial Management	3 credits
Personal Financial Planning	3 credits

Forensic Accounting Concentration

Auditing: Practice & Cases (also serves as a required class)	3 credits
Fraud and Forensic Accounting	3 credits
Fraud Detection & Deterrence	3 credits
Business Law	3 credits

Note: International students cannot obtain a student visa if admitted to the online MAcc program.

The Value of Your Master of Accountancy

When you graduate with your Master of Accountancy degree from Rider University, you gain the chance to prove your value as a leader. MAcc graduates can also earn a **41% higher average annual salary** than their undergraduate counterparts*.

Your career as an accounting professional is the sum of your education and experience. Now you can choose an online MAcc program that can elevate both. Leverage your strengths in accounting to advance your skills and knowledge.

Accreditation



Rider's online Master of Accountancy program is offered through our College of Business Administration, which is accredited by the **Association to Advance**

Collegiate Schools of Business International (AACSB). This esteemed designation means the program meets global standards in curriculum. AACSB provides quality assurance, business education intelligence and professional development services to accredited business schools worldwide.

*According to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics Career Outlook

Why Choose Rider's Online MAcc?

Learn the business of numbers on your schedule. This program can build on your core mathematical competencies and foster your analytical mindset. Whether you're looking to advance your career or gain the additional educational credentials needed to sit for the CPA exam, Rider can help you achieve your goals.



Complete coursework
100% online



Prepare to **sit for**
the CPA exam or
other professional
licensures



Choose from
6 start dates



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