

ACCOUNTING

OUR MISSION

The Mission of the Rockwell Career Center is to complement Bauer College students' academic experiences with professional development to help them attain successful and fulfilling business careers and to increase the value of Bauer to the business community.

OUR VALUES

Responsiveness: We take personal responsibility to acknowledge all requests for information in a timely and accurate manner.

Integrity: We are honest, fair, trustworthy and ethical with all of our customers.

Professionalism: We create a strong impression with employers and behave as role models for students.

Lifelong Learning: We provide up-to-date knowledge, resources and training to facilitate growth and advancement.

Teamwork: We unite corporate leaders, alumni, the university and the Houston community to enhance career opportunities for Bauer students.

SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

Online Tools: Career Gateway, Houston Business Journal, Wefeet and Interview Stream

Career Events: Career Fairs, Workshops, Résumé ER/RoundUp, Volunteer Fair and Special Events

Career Counseling: Résumé Review, Job Search Strategies, Interview Coaching

BAUER INTERNSHIP ACADEMIC CREDIT

For internship information, please visit us online at www.hirebauer.com. If you need assistance with your internship search or for questions regarding Internship Academic Credit please schedule an appointment with your Career Counselor. PPA or certificate students should speak with their academic advisor before seeking credit for their internship and meeting with their career counselor.

CAREER INFORMATION

ROCKWELL CAREER CENTER

UNIVERSITY of HOUSTON

C. T. BAUER COLLEGE of BUSINESS
Rockwell Career Center

334 Melcher Hall
Houston, TX 77204-6021

Location: Cemo Hall, 2nd Floor

Rockwell Career Center Hours:
Monday – Thursday, 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.
Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

RCC Online Appointment System:
www.bauer.uh.edu/career/appointment.asp

Phone: (832) 842-6120

The University of Houston is an EEO/AA institution.

OVERVIEW

A Bachelor of Business Administration in Accounting from the C. T. Bauer College of Business provides students with an understanding of how to measure and analyze the income, costs, sources, and uses of funds for an organization on the basis of certain generally accepted principles.

Accounting studies focus on recording, analysis, and interpretation of financial data, identification and diagnosis of accounting problems, communication of financial information, recognition of ethical and regulatory dilemmas, and understanding accounting and financial concepts.

TRACKS/CERTIFICATES

- Professional Program in Accounting (Five year dual degree program)
- Oil and Gas Certificate Program
- Internal Audit Certification Program

SKILLS & INTERESTS

- Quantitative: Prefer to “run the numbers”
- Communication: Written, verbal, and presentation
- Leadership and Team Building
- Client Focus and Service
- Technology: Enjoy using new technology and analyzing and designing processes
- Conceptual Thinking: Enjoy in-depth research
- Problem Solving and Decision Making
- Strategic: Can see “the big picture”

STUDENT MEMBERSHIPS

Beta Alpha Psi: <http://student-web.bauer.uh.edu/bap>

Accounting Society:
<http://student-web.bauer.uh.edu/accountingsociety>

National Association for Black Accountants:
<http://student-web.bauer.uh.edu/naba>

Houston CPA Society Student Auxiliary:
<http://www.houstoncpa.org>

Institute of Internal Auditors:
www.theiia.org

HELPFUL LINKS FOR ACCOUNTING MAJORS

UH Bauer Dept. of Accountancy & Taxation:
www.bauer.uh.edu/departments/accountancy

TSCPA: www.tsbpa.state.tx.us

AICPA: www.aicpa.org & www.startheregoplaces.com

IMANET: www.imanet.org

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

For research and reference services with your M. D. Anderson librarian, contact Loretta Wallace at llwallace3@uh.edu or call 713-743-9775.

SALARY INFORMATION

BBA Accounting: \$50,871 with a standard deviation of \$6,371.

PPA Accounting: \$52,714 with a standard deviation of \$1,311.

(Based on voluntarily reported salaries of Bauer graduates 2012–2013)

SAMPLE OF EMPLOYMENT AREAS

AUDIT

TAX

RISK SERVICES

INDUSTRY ACCOUNTING

Oil and Gas

Corporate Accounting

Internal Audit

A SAMPLE OF COMPANIES RECRUITING BAUER ACCOUNTING GRADUATES

Anadarko

BDO Seidman

BKD

Briggs & Veselka

CenterPoint Energy

Chevron

City of Houston

ConocoPhillips

Deloitte

El Paso

Ernst & Young

ExxonMobil

FittsRoberts

Grant Thornton

Hines

KPMG

PKF Texas

PricewaterhouseCoopers

Protiviti

Shell

Southwestern Energy

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Waste Management