



Pursuing a Master of Science in Accountancy degree is a smart decision. You truly set yourself apart from your peers with a Master of Science in Accountancy (MSACCY). You go beyond merely exploring the business world—you fully immerse yourself in it and master the nuances of its language.

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The C. T. Bauer College of Business at the University of Houston offers a comprehensive and convenient MSACCY program where the accounting faculty are not only ranked the best in Houston, but also ranked #2 in Texas and #23 in the country.

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Employment of accountants and auditors is expected to grow by 13.1% between 2012 and 2022, about as fast as average for all professions.
— Occupational Outlook Handbook, 2014 Edition

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According to Robert Half’s 2015 Salary Guide, with less than one year on the job, accountants at large CPA firms earn between \$54,000 to \$67,000.

To take the next step, contact the MSACCY Admission Advisor at **713-743-4696**, applymsaccy@uh.edu or visit www.bauer.uh.edu/msaccy.

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MSACCY

Bauer College's MSACCY program is uniquely designed to accommodate working professionals by offering a flexible class schedule and courses that provide students with the right balance of technical knowledge and critical thinking capabilities sought by today's employers.

- Students learn to solve complex business problems, recognize dysfunctional accounting situations and respond appropriately to ethical and regulatory dilemmas.
- Students engage in accounting research and gain first-hand experience communicating their findings.
- Students are provided the strong background needed to successfully complete the Texas Uniform CPA exam.

With unmatched opportunities to specialize in Advanced Internal Audit, Assurance/Finance Reporting, IT Systems Risk Management, Taxation or Oil & Gas, the MSACCY degree from Bauer is certain to broaden any professional's potential career opportunities.

Bauer's MSACCY program is committed to

integrating the academic curriculum with professional development for students. This includes student access to Global Six and mid-market accounting firms, as well as public companies, especially those in the oil and gas industry. Furthermore, a MSACCY degree can open doors to achieve senior management positions with top accounting firms and major corporations.

ON TRACK

1

Advanced Internal Audit track

The Advanced Internal Audit Track prepares students to become Internal Auditors who evaluate financial and information systems, procedures and internal controls within a firm or company to ensure that they are accurate. Internal auditors evaluate operations according to efficiency, effectiveness and compliance with corporate policies and government regulations.

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Assurance/Finance Reporting track

The Assurance/Finance Reporting Track is designed for students interested in a career in public accounting as auditors and consultants, or in industry careers related to accounting and finance. Assurance/Finance Reporting courses provide students with the knowledge needed to prepare and interpret financial reports, participate in the conduct of audits and research complex financial reporting issues.

3

IT Systems Risk Management track

The IT Systems Risk Management Track is designed for students interested in a career in IT auditing, risk management or security risk. Track courses provide students with knowledge of IT systems development and acquisition, database design and operation, IT control frameworks and compliance and risk management.

4

Taxation track

The Taxation Track is designed to prepare students for careers as tax consultants in public accounting and as tax strategists in industry or in government. Track courses provide students with the knowledge needed to identify and address tax issues at the local, state, national and international level.

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Oil & Gas track

The Oil & Gas Track courses provide students with the tools and cross-functional expertise necessary for a career in the Oil & Gas industry.

IT'S ALL IN THE NUMBERS

Houston

- Houston is the 4th largest city in the U.S. with more than 5,000 energy-related companies and is considered to be the "Energy Capital of the World."
- Houston is the headquarters for 23 Fortune 500 Companies and is second only to New York City.
- Houstonians speak more than 90 different languages.
- Houston is the #1 U.S. port city, #2 in the nation for consulates and #5 in the country for financial services.

University of Houston

- UH is a Carnegie-designated Tier One public research university.
- With a student population of more than 40,000, UH is the second most ethnically diverse research university in the country.
- UH Alumni total 224,000. Of that number, 63 percent live in the Houston area and 75 percent live in the state of Texas.
- The Bauer College Undergraduate Program is ranked in the top 50 among public business schools (Top Undergraduate Business Schools, Bloomberg BusinessWeek, 2014)
- Bauer's MSACCY program is one of only 182 fully accredited accounting programs by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business, the top accreditation organization among major universities.
- Bauer has the #1 accounting faculty in Houston, ranking #2 in Texas and #23 in North America (sharing this Top 25 position with Yale).
- Bauer students are the most recruited of any Houston business school by large public accounting firms in Houston.

