Accountancy

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ABOUT THE MAJOR:
Accounting is a study of the concepts and techniques used in reporting on matters related to an entity’s financial status and performance. Because entities compete for economic resources, accounting information is essential to managers for planning and controlling activities. Information generated by the accounting process is relevant for business decision-making. The OSU College of Business is one of 160 schools to have achieved accreditation for its accounting program by the AACSB International.

DEGREE: BA/BS in Accountancy

POTENTIAL OCCUPATIONS:
Accountant
Accounting Clerk
Accounting Manager
Accounts Payable
Auditor
Bookkeeper
Broker
Budget Analyst
Business Analyst
Bursar
Certified Public Accountant
Chief Accounting Officer
Chief Financial Officer
Compliance Auditor
Controller
Corporate Accountant
Cost Accountant
Credit Analyst
Director of Financial Operations
Financial Advisor
Financial Analyst
Forensic Accountant
Gift Assurance Officer
Grants and Contracts Specialist
Payroll Manager
Private Accountant
Revenue Cycle Administrator
Staff Accountant
Strategic Planner
Tax Accountant
Tax Examiner
Tax Preparer

WORK ENVIRONMENTS:
Public Accounting Firms, Corporations, Manufacturers, Retail Companies, Technology Companies, Healthcare Agencies, Financial Services, Insurance Companies, Federal Agencies (FBI, IRS), State and Local Government, Non-Profit Organizations, Social Service Agencies, Hospitals, Public Schools, Colleges and Universities, Political Parties

WHERE ARE OSU ALUMNI WORKING?
Accountant, Oregon Health and Science University
Media Finance Manager, Amazon
Senior Production Planner, Thermo Fisher Scientific
Senior Auditor, University of Michigan
Finance Director, Adidas
Internal Audit Manager, Allstate
Solution Manager, Microsoft
Bend District Office Manager, Oregon Department of Revenue
CPA, Kernutt Stokes LLP
Principal Broker, Pacific Properties
Assistant Controller, Tetherow Golf Club
Tax Manager, Timber Products Company
Analyst, Symantec
Payroll, UPS

SKILLS DEVELOPED IN THE PROGRAM:
Critical Thinking, Analytical Skills, Quantitative Reasoning, Attention to Detail, Organization, Problem Solving, Computer Skills (Excel), Customer Service

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