



## Accounting

**It's a numbers game. Accounting graduates are in high demand.**

The US Department of Labor states employment opportunities for accounting positions will **rise 7%** through 2028, adding about **135,000 new jobs**. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, in 2020 the median annual wage for accountants and auditors was **\$73,500**.

Globalization, a growing economy, and a complex tax and regulatory environment are expected to continue to lead to strong demand for accountants and auditors.



**Our research proves it<sup>1</sup>. Our alumni live it.**

According to **US News and World Report**, accounting is **number 3** in Best Business Jobs. Salaries could start around **\$50K**. Some could make more than **\$200K+** within 10 years.

Accounting deals with more than numbers: just ask a **CEO, CFO** or a **CPA**. Other careers for accounting majors include: **budget analysts, a loan officer, auditor, corporate accountant, economist, controller** and even **FBI agent**.

**Our alumni** work at international, national and regional levels as well as locally. Companies that employ or have employed our graduates include:



*Successful Student named NSU's Online Accounting Program as one of "The Best Online Accounting Degree Programs."*

## Scholarships for Accounting Majors

Northwestern State offers both full and partial scholarships for students who qualify. An entering freshman interested in majoring in accounting who meets the criteria can qualify for a scholarship that covers most of their college expenses. The criteria would include several things including ACT score. Other considerations would include extracurricular activities in high school and rank in class.



Northwestern State School of Business is an AACSB international accredited program

<sup>1</sup>Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor, Occupational Handbook, Accountants and Auditors, on the Internet at <https://www.bls.gov/ooh/business-and-financial/accountants-and-auditors.htm> (visited September 18, 2019).

Select accounting students can participate in Beta Alpha Psi, an international honor organization for accounting, finance and information systems students and professionals. The vision of the organization is to shape the financial and business information professions by developing members into ethical, professional and confident leaders. Students participate in a variety



of professional, social and service activities, including the opportunity to meet business professionals and prospective employers in the surrounding communities, travel to regional and national meetings to network with other university students and our professional partners, and provide service to our campus and community.



## We have...

- Full & partial scholarships available for students
- Small student-centered technology classrooms
- Diverse faculty with a wide range of business and industry experience
- Internship opportunities with business and industry corporate sponsors
- Multiple technology certifications integrated into course work
- Community service involvement through active business student organization

Earn an  
accounting  
degree from  
Northwestern  
State.

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[business.nsula.edu/degree-programs/accounting/](http://business.nsula.edu/degree-programs/accounting/)

## Recruiting:

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