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Accounting

“The one degree with 360 degrees of opportunities”



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*Promoting Professionalism and Careers
in Accounting*

WHAT IS ACCOUNTING?

Accounting is the “process of identifying, measuring, and communicating economic information to permit informed judgments and decisions by users of the information.” Accounting is a language: a language that provides information about the financial position of an organization. When you study accounting you are essentially learning this specialized language to communicate and understand the financial operations of any and all types of organizations.

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Accounting Program at SC State is a 124 credit hours curriculum designed to provide students with general education, business core, and accounting knowledge necessary for entering the accounting profession. The program places additional emphasis on the development of competencies in analytical, interpersonal, leadership, and communication skills. Students are expected to solve problems, make oral presentations, complete written assignments, and complete group projects in courses throughout the curriculum.

WHAT CAN I DO WITH A DEGREE IN ACCOUNTING?

Accounting is the one degree with 360 degrees of opportunities. The Accounting Program at SC State prepares students for careers in public and private accounting, not-for-profit organizations, the government sector, and other professional endeavors. There are many career opportunities for a person with an accounting degree. A few examples of job titles that accounting graduates may hold include:

Auditor
Controller
Bank Examiner
FBI Agent
Chief Cost Accountant
Budget Analyst

Management Accountant
Tax Specialist
IRS Agent
Investment Banker
Chief Financial Officer
Financial Analyst

