

# ACCOUNTING, M.S.

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Niagara University's Master of Science in Accounting, is intended to provide students with a rigorous, advanced study in the areas of accounting, taxation and audit and assurance practice.

The program will require completion of eleven graduate level courses that can be completed over a one and-a-half year period, with evening and Saturday classes. Seven required classes provide a thorough foundation in the field of accounting, auditing and internal controls, as well as, corporate financial policy. Four elective classes provide the remaining curriculum. Elective classes include courses in taxation, finance, organizational development and strategic information systems and big data analysis.

The MS will provide a solid foundation in theory, research, and professional practice that will prepare program graduates to write the CPA Exam. Finally, the MS Accounting program will provide those students seeking to progress academically into Ph.D. programs in accounting a strong background in research theory and practice.

Code	Title	Credits
<b>Core Accounting Courses (18 credit hours)</b>		
ACC 601	Strategic Accounting Analysis and	3
ACC 602	Advanced Business Tax Strategy	3
ACC 603	Advanced Accounting Theory	3
ACC 604	Advanced Auditing	3
ACC 605	Internal Controls	3
ACC 607	Appl Accounting Info Systems & Analytics	3
<b>Required Course (3 credit hours)</b>		
FIN 643	Corporate Financial Policy	3
<b>Elective Courses (choose 3: 9 credit hours)</b>		
ACC 650	International Accounting	3
FIN 615	Valuation & Financial Modeling	3
MGT 651	Strategic MIS	3
ACC 614	Topics:	3
ECO 640	Econometrics	3
MGT 670	People in Organizations	3
ACC 606	Governmental and Non Profit Accounting	3
MGT 679	Data & KM in Digital Econ	3
<b>Capstone Course (3 credit hours)</b>		
ACC 682	Topic: (Advanced Management Accounting)	3