

Master of Science in Accounting (M.S.A.)

There are projected to be 1.4 million accountant positions in the United States.* Stand out from the crowd with the Bloch Master of Science in Accounting!



Our team can help you:



Advance your career in the accounting field



Learn skills applicable at every level of leadership



Prepare for accounting certification exams

ADMISSIONS REQUIREMENTS

1. You must have completed a bachelor's or first-level professional degree from a regionally accredited institution.
2. GMAT waivers may be available to applicants with a minimum 3.0 cumulative GPA **or** two-years-plus of work experience.
3. For applicants that do not meet the above criteria, automatic admission will be granted for those with 600 on the GMAT (or equivalent score on the GRE).

The Bloch School's GMAT code is F77-XF-18.

HOW DO I APPLY?

Applying for the Bloch M.S.A. is easy! Just follow these steps:

- Visit umkc.edu/apply to complete a UMKC application and pay the \$45 application fee.
- Submit transcripts from all universities attended to the UMKC Office of Admissions. If electronic transcripts are available, they should be sent to umkc-admtranscript@umkc.edu.
- Sign up for the GMAT at mba.com if you do not meet the admissions requirements listed above.
- Submit a **current resume** and **one-page goal statement** describing your career plans and how an M.S.A. will help you achieve them.

Need help with the application process? Contact blochgrad@umkc.edu.

Priority admissions deadlines are as follows:

Fall: Aug. 1

Spring: Dec. 15

Summer: May 1

ESTIMATED COSTS*

Resident/Domestic

30 Credit hour program **\$21,000**

Program prerequisites **\$8,500**

Books and supplies **\$2,000**

- Scholarship opportunities can be found at umkc.academicworks.com.
- Estimate provided is for MO residents and residents of select metro counties. Ask about other resident scholarships.

*The costs listed are estimates which may be adjusted. For current rates, visit umkc.edu/cashiers or contact a Bloch School representative

Non-Resident/International

30 Credit hour program **\$43,000**

Program prerequisites **\$16,800**

Books and supplies **\$2,000**

- A large portion of non-resident fees can be covered with the Dean's International Scholar Award, provided academic qualifications are met.

CURRICULUM

Program Prerequisites

(These courses are waived for anyone with an undergraduate accounting degree)

ACCT 5517	Survey of Accounting
ACCT 5556	Cost Management
ACCT 5558	Financial Accounting Theory
ACCT 5550	Accounting Information Systems

M.S.A. Coursework

Minimum of 30 hours required

Required if not taken elsewhere	ACCT 5557	Introduction to Income Taxation
	ACCT 5560	Introduction to Auditing and Accounting Systems

Required Core Course ACCT 5568 Data Analytics for Accounting

M.S.A. Coursework continued...

Select one or more of the following interest areas.

Business Analysis and Reporting*

ACCT 5551 Business Analysis and Reporting
ACCT 5559 Advanced Financial Accounting Theory

Information Systems and Controls*

ACCT 5544 Advanced Accounting Systems
ACCT 5545 Information Security and Controls

Tax Compliance and Planning*

ACCT 5572 Tax Theory and Business Applications
ACCT 5581 Individual Tax Problems

Corporate Accounting

ACCT 5551 Business Analysis and Reporting
ACCT 5572 Tax Theory and Business Application

*Indicates CPA Track

Electives 21 hours to arrive at 30 hours total
(12 hours may be business classes outside of Accounting)

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

- 100% of Bloch Accounting faculty hold professional accounting certifications (CPA, CMA, ABV and CGMA).
- Leadership and Ethics in Accounting Decisions (L.E.A.D.) model for learning teaches deep technical competency as well as soft skills needed to transform tomorrow's accounting talent.
- Direct access to partnerships with a robust network of large firms, small businesses and startups via the Bloch Career Center.

"The Bloch School has a great reputation in the Kansas City business community. Its location allows students to intern at companies and apply what they are learning in the classroom to real-life situations."

— Diane Winnard (B.S.A., M.S.A.)
Senior Manager, PricewaterhouseCoopers



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