

# MBA Accounting Cohort Program



**MBA  
PROGRAM**  
PROVIDENCE COLLEGE

The one year MBA Accounting Cohort Program is designed for students with a background in accounting to complete an MBA degree in 13-14 months full-time; summer to summer. The coursework is designed to prepare students for the CPA exam and is focused on providing skills for undergraduate accounting majors to succeed in future management positions. Students in the program will take courses, together, in a cohort model.

## PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

REQUIRED FOUNDATION COURSES		
ACC 203: Financial Accounting	ACC 204: Managerial Accounting	FIN 207: Managerial Finance
FIN 217 or MTH 217: Statistical Analysis	ECN 101: Microeconomics	ECN 102: Macroeconomics
MKT 205: Principles of Marketing	MTH 108: Math for Business Analysis	MBA 502: Foundations of Business
CORE COURSES		
MBA 689: Managing Information Resources Prerequisites: None	MBA 651*: Marketing Management in Competitive Environments Prerequisites: MKT 205	
MBA 626*: Financial Management for Corporations Prerequisites: MBA 548 or ACC 203/204; MBA 533 or ECN 101/102; MBA 532 or FIN 207	MBA 687: Statistics for Business Analytics Prerequisites: FIN 217 or MTH 217	
MBA 690: Analytics in Operations Management Prerequisites: MBA 687 and MTH 108	MBA 676*: Organizational Effectiveness Through People & Teams Prerequisites: None	
MBA 611: Accounting Ethics Prerequisites: None	MBA 700: Strategic Management in a Global Business Environment Prerequisites: MBA 303, 651, 626, 690	
Three (3) MBA Electives Prerequisites: Vary by course		
ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS		
Real-world business experience or required internship. To qualify for credit, students may take MBA 699.		

\* Students who have taken six courses in Accounting, Finance, Marketing, or Management and have a "B" in each course may choose to waive the equivalent core requirement and replace the credits with an MBA elective

# Entry Timeline

## Sophomore Fall/Spring Semester

Attend PC Career Fair

Attend MBA Information Session

Meet with your undergraduate Academic Advisor to plan for prerequisite classes to be taken within the undergraduate curriculum

GMAT or GRE preparation and scheduling

## Junior Fall/Spring Semester

Apply to Accounting Cohort Program

Take prerequisite courses

Take GMAT or GRE exam

## Senior Fall/Spring Semester

Completion of prerequisite courses

1-2 MBA course (if possible)

## Senior Summer

Matriculate into the MBA Program (Summer I)

MBA 502: Foundations of Business requirements

Fulfill work experience with a summer internship of at least 300 hours.

**Note: All prerequisites must be completed with a grade of "C" or better to count toward the fulfillment of the MBA prerequisites.**

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## ABOUT THE PROVIDENCE COLLEGE MBA PROGRAM

The PC MBA Program is management-focused and designed to help students develop critical-thinking skills, analyze data, and solve business problems. It is a total of 12 courses with nine core courses and three electives. The PC MBA Program provides students with the knowledge and practical experience needed to be competitive in today's workforce. The program has a reputation of helping job seekers enhance their careers while also achieving their educational and personal goals.

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## ABOUT THE PROVIDENCE COLLEGE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

At the Providence College School of Business, we're shaping a different kind of business education — teaching people the skills they need to find common ground, thoughtfully analyze options, and contribute ethically to solutions together. As the only U.S. college founded and administered by Dominican friars, we are attuned to the need for meaning, connection, and purpose in both business and life. Our students learn a versatile, collaborative, problem-solving approach that makes them indispensable to employers and personally fulfilled.

The Providence College School of Business is on the rise, with visionary leadership, robust applications and enrollment, and faculty members who are known nationally for their expertise. We are accredited by Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB International), a distinction held by only 5 percent of business schools worldwide. Our MBA Program is the highest ranked part-time MBA program in the Rhode Island/South Coast area, according to the U.S. News & World Report (2023).



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