



BS in Accounting

#81 in top public schools

U.S. News & World Report 2025, Top Public Colleges and Universities

\$81,680 average salary for accountants in 2024

U.S. Labor Board Statistics, 2024

19 km from New York City
(one of the hottest job markets in the U.S.)

120+ student clubs and organizations



Accounting majors pursue careers in public and corporate accounting, tax preparation, corporate finance, and financial planning and consulting.

About the program

The Bachelor of Science in Accounting is a four-year program that provides an excellent foundation in accounting and business. Its conceptual focus is designed to prepare students for success in a constantly evolving business environment and also for graduate studies. Whether advising on financial systems and forecasts, interpreting and auditing financial statements, implementing business plans or analyzing overall corporate performance, accountants play a central role in any business. Students who apply can elect to apply to our 5-year BS/MS program

A degree in accounting provides you with a highly valuable, versatile, and in-demand skill set that demonstrates fluency in the language of business.

Admission Requirements

- Application
- Application fee
- English translation of transcripts from all secondary schools attended
- English proficiency test score
- Statement of purpose
- Letter of recommendation
- Resume
- Optional:
 - List of extracurriculars
 - SAT/ACT scores

Transfer Students

In addition to the general requirements, students must also provide an official course-by-course NACES transcript evaluation

Fast facts about Montclair



Number of students	23,500
Countries represented on campus	77
Students living on campus	5,300
Student/Faculty ratio	17:1
Average class size	25
Alumni Network	145,000+ in 50 states and 70 countries

Career Outcomes

Graduates with an accountant degree can go into wide range of fields and careers. Some of the most common include:

- CPA (Certified Public Accountant)
- Bookkeeper
- Auditing clerk
- Accounting assistant
- Payroll clerk
- Accounts payable
- Tax preparer
- Loan officer
- Financial analyst
- Budget analyst
- Forensic accountant
- IT Accountant
- Corporate controller
- Internal Auditor