

**SY SYMS SCHOOL OF BUSINESS**  
**PROGRAM OF STUDY - BEREN CAMPUS**  
*(EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 2025)*

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**ACCOUNTING MAJOR**  
**(27 CREDITS)**

**Required Accounting courses:**

- ☐ ACC 1101 Intermediate Accounting I
- ☐ ACC 1102 Intermediate Accounting II
- ☐ ACC 2403 Management Accounting
- ☐ ACC 2625/ACC 6625 Accounting Information Systems
- ☐ ACC 3601 Principles of Auditing (Capstone)
- ☐ TAX 6124 Federal Income Tax I

**Three (3) business elective courses:**

- ☐ BUS ELEC #1 \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ BUS ELEC #2 \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ BUS ELEC #3 \_\_\_\_\_

**Notes about business electives for Accounting majors:**

- These classes are recommended for students who plan to take the CPA exams:
  - BLW 2112 Business Law,
  - TAX 6125 Federal Income Tax II,
  - Another accounting elective course or MS in Accounting (MSA) course (seniors only)
- TAX 6124, TAX 6125, and ACC 6625 count as nine credits towards the MSA, which requires 30 credits in total. Students may take up to 12 MSA credits (four courses as an undergraduate student) towards their joint BS-MSA degree.
- One Computer Science course (excluding Intro to CS for non-majors), and one Economics course count without prior approval.
- One non-business or correlate elective, may qualify subject to prior departmental approval.

**Notes for future CPAs:**

- To be licensed as a CPA, a student must complete 33 accounting credits, 36 business credits and 150 total credits. IDS1010: Mathematics for Business does **not** count towards the 36 business credits but **does** count towards the 150 total credits.
- The Sy Syms MSA is a New York State CPA Licensure Qualifying Registered Program. This program will help you become a CPA licensed in most states, including New York. Licensure requirements vary by state. Students are responsible for ensuring that they meet said requirements.

**DUALS:**

- To earn a double major, select two subjects and complete the required and major elective courses for each major, for a total of 12 courses. The business electives listed under each major are not required.
- Students who complete three business electives within one subject area may earn a minor. These courses would also count as the business electives for your major.
- Please meet with your advisor if you are interested in a liberal arts minor.