



THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME AUSTRALIA

Bachelor of Accounting

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School of Law & Business

When you study a Bachelor of Accounting at The University of Notre Dame Australia, you'll receive a thorough grounding in all business areas. Embracing the theoretical and practical skills needed to ensure your success, your program will cover everything from business law and IT to corporate accounting and auditing. In addition, an internship with some of Australia's best-known corporations will allow you to test your skills in the real world. Contact us today to start your learning journey.

Why study this degree?

As long as there is commerce, society will always need accountants. And, with the rise of so many new industries in Australia, accountants have never been in higher demand. Studying your degree with Notre Dame will give you an extra edge, especially as the CPA fully accredits our degree Australia and Chartered Accountants in Australia and New Zealand.

As part of your degree, you must undertake 150 hours of practical experience in a workplace of your choice. This is not work experience but an embedded internship – indeed, many of our students later find full-time employment with the company where they took their practicum. According to the current QILT (Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching) survey of Australian academic institutions, 76.7 per cent of our graduates found full-time employment after completing their business program at Notre Dame – more than 3 percent above the national average.

The School of Business has built strong links with the business community, which provides obvious benefits for our students. The Commonwealth Bank, Century 21, Nine Network, Bauer Media and St George Bank are just some companies participating in our internship roster. Apart from a dynamic internship program, the university attracts some of the state's high achievers to teach and inspire our students.

A degree in accounting offers a wide variety of career paths. Depending on your interests and choice of courses, you could specialise in internal auditing, forensic accounting or tax accounting.

Program summary

4 Business Foundation Courses

- BUSN1000 Economics
- BUSN1030 Quantitative Methods for Business
- BUSN1060 Business Information Technology
- BUSN2400 Business Law

11 Accounting Courses

- BUSN1110 Accounting for Business

- BUSN2150 Financial Accounting A
- BUSN2160 Financial Accounting B
- BUSN2110 Managerial Accounting
- BUSN2200 Managerial Finance
- BUSN2450 Taxation
- BUSN3100 Strategic Business Intelligence
- BUSN3110 Accounting for Corporate Entities
- BUSN3120 Accounting Theory
- BUSN3130 Auditing
- BUSN3400 Company Law

5 Elective Courses

- BUSN1200 Principles of Finance
- BUSN2210 Financial Markets and Instruments
- BUSN2010 Microeconomic Theory and Policy
- BUSN2020 Macroeconomic Theory and Policy
- BUSN2070 History of Austrian Economics
- BUSN2350 The Economics of Financial Crises
- BUSN3270 Financial Analysis and Valuation
- BUSN3380 Advanced Economics

Or any other courses offered by the University

1 Internship

- BUSN3900 Business Internship

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Core Curriculum

- CORE I: Foundations of Wisdom

- CORE II: Elective

- Electives in philosophy and/or theology
- Professional embedded electives that integrate studies in a profession with philosophy and/or theology
- An option to undertake a pilgrimage embedded in the study of the philosophy and theology of pilgrimage, e.g., World Youth Day
- An option to undertake a course that integrates philosophy & theology with community service and charity work
- An option to undertake an elective in philosophy, theology, and the liberal arts contained within an international experience

*The above is the typical course load for a student studying this degree full-time.

Full details of the program requirements are contained in the Program Requirements

(https://www.notredame.edu.au/__data/assets/pdf_file/0022/384of-Accounting.pdf).

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More information regarding courses can be found at the course descriptions pages Fremantle

(<https://www.notredame.edu.au/about/schools/fremantle/business-descriptions>) Sydney

(<https://www.notredame.edu.au/about/schools/sydney/business-descriptions>).

Please note: The availability of these courses is indicative only and may be subject to change.

Entry requirements

drop-down code

Entry requirements WA

Entry requirements NSW

Learning outcomes

Upon successful completion of the Bachelor of Accounting graduates will be able to:

1. Demonstrate a strong understanding of the overall business environment and be able to solve problems in various areas of the accounting discipline
2. Be professionally competent and confident accountants who use their knowledge and skills in the ethical delivery of services and advice to clients
3. Think critically and make decisions by exercising appropriate professional judgement
4. Critically analyse and apply research skills to business issues and problems
5. Communicate well within organisations and with their stakeholders when interpreting and advising on accounting matters
6. Reflect on personal values and beliefs and be empowered to act on ethical and professional values when dealing with clients and in the practice of the accounting profession.

Practical component

You will complete 150 hours of an embedded internship in the business of your choice.

Career opportunities

Depending on your interests and choice of courses, the following careers are open to graduates of this program: Banking and finance, general business, Government, private consulting, and not-for-profit organisations. Options include: internal, forensic or tax accounting.

Real-world experience

You will learn from academics who are industry leaders and, through our practicum placements and internship programs, you will gain real professional experience and make valuable contacts with potential employers.

Study abroad

A global perspective adds a valuable dimension to your university education. At Notre Dame University you can study while experiencing the world. We encourage students to become active global citizens through a range of exchange programs, professional placements, study tours, and volunteer opportunities. Visit [International Opportunities](https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/international-students) (<https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/international-students>) to find out more.

Professional accreditation

This award is accredited by the three main accounting professional bodies viz. CPA Australia, ICAA and IPA.



Fees and costs

This Program has the following loan scheme(s) available for eligible students:

Commonwealth Supported Place (CSP)

A Commonwealth Supported Place (CSP) is a place at a university where the Australian Government pays part of your fees. This part is a subsidy, not a loan, and you don't have to pay it back. However, this subsidy does not cover the entire cost of your study. Students must pay the rest, which is called the 'student contribution amount'.

In a Commonwealth Supported Place, your fees are subsidised by the Australian Government. Your fees will be split into two portions:

The Commonwealth contribution, which is the portion paid by the Australian Government.

The student contribution, which is the portion you pay. You may choose to pay upfront or defer your student contribution with a HECS-HELP Loan. The [HECS-HELP loan scheme \(https://www.studyassist.gov.au/preview-link/node/106/5de65e70-6656-4297-a79d-19fd4a6deadd\)](https://www.studyassist.gov.au/preview-link/node/106/5de65e70-6656-4297-a79d-19fd4a6deadd) assists eligible students with the payment of all, or part, of their tuition fees, not including additional study costs such

as accommodation or textbooks. Your HECS-HELP debt will be indexed each year in line with the Consumer Price Index.

Eligible students will be offered a CSP – you do not need to apply.

International Full-Fee Paying

Tuition costs depend on an international student's study load and discipline. Fees are payable each semester at least four weeks prior to the commencement of your program.

For indicative fees and information on how to pay, including Government loan schemes and our online calculator, visit our [Fees, costs and scholarships page](https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/fees-costs-and-scholarships) (<https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/fees-costs-and-scholarships>).

Student profile data

The tables below gives an indication of the likely peer cohort for new students in this Program. It provides data on all students who commenced in this Program in the most relevant recent intake period, including those admitted through all offer rounds and international students studying in Australia.

Sydney Student Profile Data

TABLE 1a - Bachelor of Accounting BASIS OF ADMISSION IN SEMESTER 1, 2022 INTAKE

Applicant background	Semester 1 2022
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	Number of students	Percentage of all students
(A) Higher education study (includes a bridging or enabling course)	N/A	N/A
(B) Vocational education and training (VET) study	<5	N/P
(C) Work and life experience (Admitted on the basis of previous achievement not in the other three categories)	N/A	N/A
(D) Recent secondary education: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Admitted solely on the basis of ATAR (regardless of whether this includes the consideration of adjustment factors such as equity or subject bonus points) 	N/A	N/A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ Admitted where both ATAR and additional criteria were considered (e.g. portfolio, audition, interview, extra test, early offer conditional on minimum ATAR) 	N/A	N/A
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ ATAR not considered 	<5	100%
International students	N/A	N/A
All students	2	100.0%

TABLE 1b - Bachelor of Accounting ATAR PROFILE DATA FOR APPLICANTS ENTERING ON THE BASIS OF RECENT SECONDARY EDUCATION IN SEMESTER 1, 2022 INTAKE

RECENT SECONDARY EDUCATION - ATAR-based offers	ATAR (Excluding adjustment factors) *	Selection Rank (ATAR plus any adjustment factors) *[only if relevant]
Highest rank to receive an offer	N/A	N/A
Median rank to receive an offer	N/A	N/A
Lowest rank to receive an offer	N/A	N/A

Notes:

“<5” – the number of students is less than 5

N/A – Students not accepted in this category

N/P – Not published: the number is hidden to prevent the calculation of numbers in cells with less than 5 students

In 2022, due to COVID, additional adjustment factor points were granted to applicants from NSW, ACT and VIC.

More information

Considering your uni options?

Talk to one of our career advisors for a personalised advice session (<https://calendly.com/d/dmr-5gg-c2h>). Our advisors provide support while choosing a program of

study and completing our application process. **Book my session. (<https://calendly.com/d/dmr-5gg-c2h>)**

For more information, please contact our Prospective Students Office.

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All international enquiries should contact the International Students Office on international@nd.edu.au
(<mailto:international@nd.edu.au>).

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Need help? Ask Notre Dame

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(02) 8204 4404 - NSW

Duration: 3 years full-time or equivalent part-time

Duration type: Full time; Part time

Campus: Fremantle; Sydney

Study mode: Blended

Commencement: Semester 1; Semester 2

Program code: 3503

CRICOS code: 085834K

Fee: Commonwealth Supported Place (CSP); International
II Fees

Practical Component: 150 hours

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