

Master of Science in Accounting (MSA): 0970 2025-2026

The Master of Science in Accounting is delivered in a fully on-ground format. This 30-hour program has an estimated residential tuition and fees cost of \$10,250 (www.ecok.edu/bursar).

This degree is designed to provide an educational experience which will prepare students to successfully complete all portions of the Certified Public Accountant (CPA) exam, while earning an advanced degree. The Program will also qualify graduates to sit for the Certified Management Accountant (CMA) or Certified Internal Auditor (CIA) exams. The MSA Program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Business Schools and Programs (ACBSP).

Legend placed after course rotations

I. <u>Accounting Required Courses</u> (ALL of the Following 15 Hours)				<u>FA</u>	<u>SP</u>	<u>SU</u>
_____	ACCT	5073	Advanced Auditing	V	--	--
_____	ACCT	5103	Financial Statement Analysis	L	--	--
_____	ACCT	5123	Tax Compliance & Planning	--	--	--
_____	ACCT	5203	Advanced Tax	--	L	--
_____	ACCT	5403	CPA Prep	--	V	--
 <u>Accounting Elective Courses (Any of the Following)</u>				<u>FA</u>	<u>SP</u>	<u>SU</u>
_____	ACCT	5023	Development of Accounting Theory	--	L	--
_____	ACCT	5043	Special Topics in Accounting (Subject in Title)	--	--	--
_____	ACCT	5303	Forensic Accounting & Fraud Examination	L	--	--
_____	ACCT	5953	Internship in Accounting	F	F	F
_____	ACCT	5981-4	Seminar in Accounting	T	T	T
_____	ACCT	5991-4	Independent Study in Accounting	T	T	T
 II. <u>Non-Accounting Elective Courses</u> (MAXIMUM of 15 Hours)				<u>FA</u>	<u>SP</u>	<u>SU</u>
_____	BSEC	5203	Quantitative Methods for Accounting	--	--	--
_____	BUS	5123	Organizational Leadership	--	--	--
_____	BUS	5981-4	Seminar in Business	L	L	T
_____	BUS	5991-4	Individual Study in Business	T	T	T
_____	BUSLW	5133	Contemporary Legal Issues	--	--	--
_____	BUSLW	5203	Advanced Employment & Labor Law	--	--	--
_____	ECON	5143	Applied Economics	T	T	T
_____	MKTG	5173	Marketing Analysis	T	T	T

Legend

FA: Fall	SP: Spring	SU: Summer	--: Not Offered
A: 1 st 8-Weeks (WEB)	B: 2 nd 8-Weeks (WEB)	F: Full Sem (WEB)	BL: Blended
L: Live (Face-to-Face)	T: To Be Determined	Y: Synchronous Web	E: Offered Even Years
O: Offered Odd Years	V: Various Formats (Half-Day, Full-Day, Weekends, Nights, etc.)		

Course Offerings are subject to change, and are not necessarily in sequential order

III. Enrollment, Overload, and Full-Time Equivalents

Fall/Spring

- Full-time is nine (9) hours per 16-week semester
- Financial aid requires five (5) hours per 16-week semester
- Graduate Dean approval is required for thirteen (13) hours per 16-week semester

Summer

- Full-time is six (6) hours per 8-week semester
- Financial aid requires five (5) hours per 8-week semester
- Graduate Dean approval is required for eleven (11) hours per 8-week semester

IV. Graduation and Commencement

Students should apply for graduation just after they have enrolled for their last semester. This triggers a Degree Audit, which will inform the student of any course changes, course additions, or course substitutions required for graduation.

- Fall Graduates will **ONLY** be allowed to walk at December Commencement
- Spring and Summer Graduates will **ONLY** be allowed to walk at May Commencement

V. Financial Aid Regulations for Graduate Students

Students, please be advised that the courses you choose to enroll in **MUST** be a required course or an elective course in your degree program. Financial Aid regulations dictate that any graduate student who is seeking financial aid must be enrolled in **AT LEAST** five (5) credit hours during the fall, spring, or summer semester and the courses **MUST** be in the degree program.

- Certificate Programs **DO NOT** qualify for financial aid.
- For questions contact the Office of Financial Aid: 580-559-5638 or financialaid@ecok.edu