PROGRAM NAME: BSBA DEGREE, with a Corporate Accounting and Finance Concentration

PROGRAM COLLEGE: Helzberg School of Management

**CATALOG TERM: 2019-20** 

Rockhurst University's corporate accounting and finance major is a concentration within the Bachelor of Science in business administration (BSBA) degree offered through the Helzberg School of Management. You'll explore careers in finance and concepts in accounting, investments, financial markets and institutional management.

This finance degree program will transform you into an expert in financial accounting and management accounting, allowing you to create information structures and systems to maximize organizational performance in your future workplace. This vital role helps businesses reach their full potential.

In addition to corporate accounting and finance coursework, you'll complete two innovative financial accounting sequences as part of the BSBA core:

- Professional readiness sequence
- Technology and predictive analytics sequence

Both sequences were developed by expert Helzberg School financial accounting faculty based on market research and consultation within hiring managers at area companies with a goal of better preparing students for the evolving accounting and finance industry.

In addition to this, you also have the option to pursue Excel certifications, further differentiating you from your peers.

And we can't forget to mention one of the most important reasons why you should earn your corporate accounting and finance degree from Rockhurst University: The Helzberg School of Management is **AACSB accredited**. This is the highest level of accreditation and one achieved by only five percent of business schools in the world. A finance degree from an AACSB-accredited school sets your business management degree, and you, apart from the pack.

NOTE: Individual Programs of Study will vary in consultation with your Advisor and course/section availability each term. The below schedule serves only as an <u>example</u> four year degree plan.

#### YEAR 1

#### Fall Semester

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Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Experience Notes
Core: EN 1110 College Composition I (WCP)	3		Join an RU Academy
Core/Prereq: MT 1190 (MTP) Precalculus	3		Participate in the Finucane
Core: PL 1100 Reality and Human Existence	3		Service Project
Core/Prereq: EC 1000 (SR I) Principles of Macroeconomics	3		Attend the New Student Retreat
Prereq: MG 1900 Business Leadership and Social Issues	3		
Prereq: MG 1001 Professional Readiness I	1		
TOTAL HOURS	16		

#### **Spring Semester**

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes
Core: EN 1120 College Composition II (WCP)	3		<ul> <li>Join a campus club/organization</li> </ul>
Core: TH 1000 or 1020 or 2000 (TH, Level I)	3		(can be dept. specific)
Prereq: BIA 1800 Data Analysis	3		
Prereq: EC 1100 Principles of Microeconomics	3		
Core: Natural Science with Lab (Science/Causal, Level I)	4		
TOTAL HOURS	16		

#### YEAR 2

#### Fall Semester

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes
Prereq: *AC 2000 Financial Accounting (only offered in Fall)	3		<ul> <li>Students want to have a</li> </ul>
Prereq: BIA 2200 Stats & Predictive Analytics (prereq's: MT 1190 & BIA 1800)	3		Minimum of 60 hours
Core: HS 1100 or 1500 or 1701 or 1702 (HS, Level 1)	3		completed, by the end of Year 2,
Core: Relational Mode, Level I	3		to progress to Junior Standing.
Core: CT 2000 Fundamentals of Communication (OCP)	3		
General Elective:	1		
TOTAL HOURS	16		

### Spring Semester

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes	
Prereq: *AC 2100 Managerial Accounting (only offered in Spring; prereq: AC 2000)	3		•	Courses in Bold should be
Core: PL 3100 Ethical Theory	3			completed prior to the
Core: Literary Mode, Level I	3			beginning of the student's
Core: Artistic Mode	3			Junior year to ensure proper
General Elective	4			sequencing of HSOM Core and
TOTAL HOURS	16			Concentration courses.

# YEAR 3

### Fall Semester

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes	
Concentration: *AC 3000 Intermediate Accounting I	3	С	•	Courses with an * indicate that
√ HSOM Core: MG 3300 Leadership & Organizational Behavior	3			they are only offered in that
√ HSOM Core: FN 3000 Essentials of Finance (Prereq: AC 2000 & BIA 2200)	3			semester, i.e., Fall or Spring.
Core: Theological Mode Level II (at least one TH must be Christian Based)	3		•	Courses with a √ must be
Core: Historical Mode or Literary Mode, Level II	3			completed, prior to taking
General Elective	3			capstone: MG 4940.
TOTAL HOURS	18			

# Spring Semester

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes	
√ HSOM Core: MG 3350 Business in the Global Environment	3		•	Student must complete
V HSOM Core: MK 3000 Principles of Marketing	3			Capstone and all Concentration
√ HSOM Core: *AC 3500 or BIA 3100	3			courses, with a C grade or
HSOM Core: MG 3001 Professional Readiness II	1			better.
Core: Relational Mode, Level II	3		•	Student must have a minimum,
General Elective	3			2.5 GPA, for the HSOM Core
TOTAL HOURS	16			courses.

# YEAR 4

### Fall Semester

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes
Concentration: *AC 4201 Intermediate Financial Analysis	3	С	
Concentration: *FN 4110 Investments	3	С	
Concentration: FN 4000 (F odd) or FN 4300 (F Even)	3	С	
Concentration: *AC 3400 or HSOM Core: BIA 3201	3	С	
General Elective	3		

TOTAL HOURS	15	

#### Spring Semester

Course Name	Credits	Minimum Grade Required	Notes	
HSOM Core: MG 4940 Bus Strategy, Policy, & Ethics	3	С	•	Core: 52 hrs;
HSOM Core: BIA 3201 or Concentration: *AC 4600	3		•	Prerequisites: 19-22 hrs;
HSOM Core: MG 3400 Business Law of Commercial Transaction	3		•	HSOM Core: 25 hrs;
Core: PL or TH Swing Course, Level II	3		•	Concentration: 15 hrs;
General Elective	3		•	General Electives: 17-14.
TOTAL HOURS	15			

### **Credit Hours**

• Core: 52 hrs;

Prerequisites: 19-22 hrs;
HSOM Core: 25 hrs;
Concentration: 15 hrs;
General Electives: 17-14.

TOTAL Credit Hours: 128