

Accounting with International Accounting Bachelor of Applied Science “AIA BAS”

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AIA BAS DEGREE

Short Description

- Bachelor's degree in International Accounting.
- Prepares graduates for an Accounting career.
- Academic pathway toward taking the CPA Exam.
- Completely Online – most students are working in Accounting.
- Structured Academic Sequence.
- Dedicated Academic Advisory Support

Where is this program offered?

North Seattle College

-Delivered Completely

Online

AIA BAS DEGREE

Entry Requirements: Junior Status

ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLE COURSES:

- **ACCT&201, ACCT&202, & ACCT&203**

BUSINESS COURSES:

- **Business Law - BUS&201**
- **Statistics - BUS210 or MATH&146**

ENGLISH COMPOSITION - ENGL&101

AIA BAS DEGREE

SO...

WHY ACCOUNTING?

AND...

WHY THIS AIA BAS PROGRAM IS FOR YOU!

ACCOUNTANTS

“STAY ON TOP OF”

ALL CHANGES



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in a way you don't understand.

COMPELLING REASONS TO BECOME AN ACCOUNTANT - part 1

FAMILY ENCOURAGEMENT

- **GRANDMA SAYS:** “Everybody needs an accountant!”
- **GRANDPA SAYS:** “You’ll always have a job!”
- **DAD SAYS:** “You’ll make a lot of money!”
- **AUNT IDA SAYS:** “You’ll always be in an industry you like!”

- **MOM SAYS:** “DO WHATEVER BRINGS YOU JOY!”

COMPELLING REASONS TO BECOME AN ACCOUNTANT – part 2

REALITY SAYS:

- “Everybody needs an accountant!”
- “You’ll always have a job!”
- “You’ll make a lot of money!”
- “You can work in any industry your like!”

BUT.. Mom is right!

YOU MUST FEEL THE JOY OF

BEING AN ACCOUNTANT...

COMPELLING REASONS TO BECOME AN ACCOUNTANT – part 3

ENJOY THE PRIDE OF

- Meeting Deadlines
- Keeping & Presenting Accurate Data in a Timely Manner
- Impacting every Important Decision
- Making Important Decisions
- Providing the Right Answer
- Knowing that everyone relies on you...
to do the right thing!

AIA BAS STUDENTS LEARN

ADVANCED ACCOUNTING GUIDELINES AND SKILLS WHILE:

- COMPLETING THE CPA EXAM ACADEMIC CREDENTIALS
- FOCUSED ON INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTING
 - WHICH IS A GROWING FOCUS OF SKILLS
 - VERY IMPORTANT FOR REGIONAL BUSINESSES

**STUDENTS ELEVATE THEIR
ACCOUNTING COMPETENCIES
TOWARD A SUCCESSFUL CAREER**

AIA BAS STUDENTS ENJOY

LEARNING FROM EXPERIENCED INSTRUCTORS

- EXPERIENCED MBAs APPLYING CAREER REALITIES
- CPAs DEDICATED TO ACCOUNTING EDUCATION
- PROFESSIONALS WHO:
 - Integrate real-world examples into education.
 - Serve on national committees to shape innovative changes in Accounting Education.

THE TEACHERS TELL THE FULL STORY:

- THE FULL STORY VIDEO:

<https://youtu.be/h-Dfej7oRHo>

Education Pathway

After you complete an associate degree:

- **Two-year program with Fall start**
- **Two courses per quarter**
 - *Three quarters per calendar year*
- **Sequenced Courses build growth**
- **Coordinated Internship Program**

AIA BAS STUDENTS ENJOY

FLEXIBILITY

- Can learn while working

CONSISTENCY

- Common “cohort” experience
- New group starts together each Fall

SUPPORT

- Personal Academic Advisory Services

Careers/Jobs

Accounting Career Patterns

- Vary in shape & timing
- All paths lead to responsible positions

Three Popular Pathways:

- **Public Accounting**
- **Corporate Accounting**
- **Not-for-Profit Accounting**

Public Accounting Firms

CPA track leading toward Partnership

- **Auditing**
- **Client Coordination**
- **Specialties** – often independent CPA entities
 - **Taxation**
 - **Data Analytics** – applying sophisticated computer models and Artificial Intelligence(AI)
 - **Not-For-Profit support**
 - **Forensic Accounting** (Fraud exploration)

Corporate & Not-for-Profit Accounting – entry level positions

- **Payroll** processing
- **Accounts Payable** – paying bills
- **Accounts Receivable** – collecting revenue
- **Financial Reporting** – crafting detailed reports
- **Data Processing and Analysis**
- **Providing Data for Decision-Making**
- **Planning Capital Investments**
- **Coordinating Financing support & processing**
- **Presenting Operational Reports**

SEATTLE ACCOUNTING SALARIES OVER 12% HIGHER THAN THE NATIONAL AVERAGE

International Accountant Salary in Seattle, WA Comparison by Location



Source: www.ziprecruiters.com

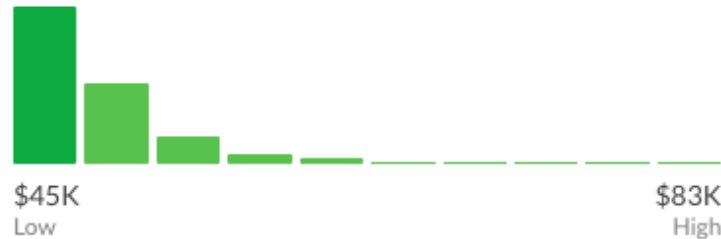
ACCOUNTING SALARIES IN SEATTLE

Accounting Job Salaries in Seattle

Source: www.glassdoor.com

Average Base Pay

\$61,226 / yr



Salaries for Related Job Titles

Accounting Clerk	\$45K
Entry Level Accountant	\$63K
Junior Accountant	\$47K
Staff Accountant	\$57K
Accounting Manager	\$94K

Additional Cash Compensation ?

Average **\$4,549**

Range **\$1,423 - \$14,542**

How much does a Accountant make in Seattle, WA?

The average salary for a Accountant is \$61,226 in Seattle, WA. Salaries estimates are based on 358 salaries... [More](#)

INTERNATIONAL ACCOUNTANTS SEATTLE SALARIES

International Accountant Salary in Seattle, WA

Yearly Monthly Weekly Hourly Table View



CPA SALARIES IN SEATTLE

The average **salary**
for someone with a **CPA**
Certified Public Accountant designation
in **Seattle, WA**
is between **\$76,795** and **\$504,073**
as of March 29, 2021.

Source: www.salary.com

AIA BAS DEGREE PROGRAM ENROLLMENT REQUIREMENTS

Incoming students need:

- An Associate Degree
- **or** 75+ credits up to upper-level (300/400) courses

with

Completion of these “required-for-entry” courses:

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AIA BAS DEGREE PROGRAM Q & A

NSC AIA BAS COHORT PROGRAM ¶

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(All courses are 5 credits – except as noted. No Summer Quarter obligations for the Cohort.) ¶

(Thirteen courses in the Program = 8 AIA courses, 3 IBN courses, and 2 support courses.) ¶

FALL ¶	WINTER ¶	SPRING ¶
AIA 310 - ETHICS ¶	AIA 301 Intermediate ACCTG I ¶	AIA 302 Intermediate ACCTG II ¶
INFO 300 INFO RES (3 cr) ¶	IBN 330 DATA ANALYTICS (4 cr) ¶	IBN 320 International FINANCE ¶
		CWE 495 INTERNSHIP (3 cr)* ¶ * Taken any appropriate quarter. ¶
AIA 401 International ACCTG ¶	AIA 402 International TAXATION ¶	AIA 440 AUDITING ¶
AIA 410 COST ACCTG ¶	AIA 430 ACCTG INFO SYS ¶	IBN 420 Global BUS STRATEGY ¶

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- **THE AIA BAS PROGRAM WEBSITE**

<https://northseattle.edu/programs/accounting/accounting-international-accounting-bas>

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