

Accounting

MASTER OF SCIENCE

Northeastern University
D'Amore-McKim
School of Business

FUTURE SUCCESS YOU CAN COUNT ON

Accountants must be responsive and agile as the accounting field rapidly evolves in today's digital economy. D'Amore-McKim's MS in Accounting offers academic excellence and experience-powered opportunities to help you cultivate the knowledge needed to stand out in just seven months.

Here, you'll sharpen your analytical capabilities in an accelerated curriculum alongside a cohort of accomplished students with undergraduate backgrounds in accounting. By selecting a track in Audit or Tax, you'll build deep expertise in the area of accounting that interests you most and prepare to sit for the CPA exam with the credit hours you need to pursue licensure and begin your career.

Prepare to examine financial, managerial, accounting, legal, and ethical considerations through Northeastern's signature experience-based approach to academics. You'll receive expert instruction from industry-leading faculty with years of practice as PhDs and CPAs at "Big 4" and other public accounting firms.

With a 95 percent job placement rate for those approved to work in the U.S. over the past five years, our MS in Accounting program will prepare you to quickly and confidently enter a professional role in the accounting field.

WHAT SETS D'AMORE-MCKIM APART

Education powered by experience.

Gain concrete skills and practice-oriented knowledge in accounting brought into the classroom by faculty with extensive industry backgrounds. You'll utilize data analytics, gain exposure to forensic accounting, and partake in a real-world consulting project with an external company.

Build toward an MBA. Once your degree is complete, you may be able to apply your credits toward an eligible Northeastern MBA. As a Northeastern alum, you'll be eligible for a Double Husky Scholarship, reducing your remaining MBA tuition by 25 percent.

Industry-driven curriculum. The Graduate School of Professional Accounting's deep ties with leading firms in the field allows the MS in Accounting curriculum to reflect the industry's most relevant technology and practices so that you'll feel ahead of the curve when you start your career.

Global alumni network. Established a half-century ago, the Graduate School of Professional Accounting has a passionate and loyal alumni base of 3,000+ partners, directors, managers, and associates. They know the quality of our program firsthand, and their confidence in the caliber of a Northeastern accounting education will open doors for you.

Personalized career support. Your advisor will be there with you every step of the way for one-on-one advice, encouragement, or assistance along your journey to career progression.

DESIGNED FOR SUCCESS

Program Format

Full-time, on our Boston campus

Accelerated Coursework

Earn your degree in seven months and qualify to sit for the CPA exam. Classes are offered Monday–Thursday and some evenings.

Prerequisites

Undergraduate accounting major

International Prerequisites

Undergraduate accounting degree, including curriculum in U.S. GAAP and U.S. tax and business laws

Course prerequisites: Financial & Managerial Accounting, Intermediate Accounting I & II, Auditing, U.S. Federal Income Tax, U.S. Business Law

Start Date

Late May



In just 7 months, I developed advanced analytical and critical thinking skills. I also noticed a significant development in my technical skills. These have helped me to become the best version of myself."

Debby Salami, MS in Accounting'18



Northeastern's D'Amore-McKim School of Business prepares people and organizations to thrive in a global business environment of rapid-fire change driven by converging digital technologies. The school develops leaders and innovators who are proficient in human, data, and technological literacies; global in outlook and entrepreneurial in mindset; and invested in lifelong learning for themselves and their teams.

Northeastern University

Founded in 1898, Northeastern is a global research university and the recognized leader in experience-powered lifelong learning. Our world-renowned experiential approach empowers our students, faculty, alumni, and partners to create impact far beyond the confines of discipline, degree, and campus.

Our locations—in Boston; Charlotte, North Carolina; London; Portland, Maine; San Francisco; Seattle; Silicon Valley, Toronto; Vancouver; and the Massachusetts communities of Burlington and Nahant—are nodes in our growing global university system. Through this network, we expand opportunities for flexible, student-centered learning and collaborative, solutions-focused research.

Northeastern's comprehensive array of undergraduate and graduate programs—in on-campus, online, and hybrid formats—lead to degrees through the doctorate in nine colleges and schools. Among these, we offer more than 140 multidisciplinary majors and degrees designed to prepare students for purposeful lives and careers.