Master of Accounting (MAcc)

**Degree Program**

1. **Prerequisite Courses**: Students must complete the prerequisite courses before admission to the Master of Accounting program can be finalized: College Algebra, Fundamentals of Financial Accounting, Managerial Accounting, Financial Accounting & Reporting I, Financial Accounting & Reporting II, Cost Accounting, Accounting Information Systems and Income Taxes. Recent undergraduate accounting majors can usually waive all of these courses.

2. **General Business**: Students must complete six courses from a list including courses in Business Administration, Finance, Information Systems, Logistics and Supply Chain Management, Management and Marketing. Recent undergraduate business majors normally can waive all of these courses.

3. **MAcc Degree requirements**: Students must complete Financial Accounting and Reporting III and IV, Auditing, one research course and one seminar course.

4. **Accounting Electives**: Students must complete two additional graduate accounting electives.

5. **Non-accounting courses**: Students must complete three graduate non-accounting business courses. Courses taken to satisfy the General Business requirement (above) can satisfy this requirement.

**Program website**

**Application Requirements**

1. **Application** [http://www.umsl.edu/gradschool/prospective/apply-now.html](http://www.umsl.edu/gradschool/prospective/apply-now.html)

2. Two letters of recommendation

3. Official transcripts from all universities attended. Successful applicants must have completed a baccalaureate degree before beginning the master’s program.

4. Entrance examinations
   a. Graduate Management Admission Test (GMAT) scores ([http://www.mba.com/us](http://www.mba.com/us)).
   b. International students are required to document English proficiency by providing scores from an internationally accepted standardized examination before a decision is made on admission.

**Application Deadline (for domestic students)**

- Summer/Fall admission: March 15
- Winter/spring admission: October 15

Applications received after these dates will be considered by the Admissions Committee as they are received. However, late acceptance may limit course availability in the first semester. As a result, program completion might be delayed for late applicants.

**Application fee**
$50 for domestic applicants; $40 for international applicants

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