Why choose the Master of Taxation program at WSU?

The WSU MTax program is the only AACSB accredited MTax program degree offered in Utah. This unique degree offers students the opportunity to obtain taxation, accounting, and analytical skills that apply to a variety of tax and accounting professions as well as government careers specific to the U.S. taxation system.

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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. MTax application (online at weber.edu/mtax)
2. MTax application fee: $60 U.S. Residents
   $95 International Students
3. GMAT test unless the following is satisfied.
   A 3.0 overall GPA from a regionally accredited university and an accounting GPA of 3.3 from an AACSB accredited university or 3.5 from a non-AACSB accredited university
4. Current resume
5. A Bachelor’s degree (average GPA is approximately 3.5). If the major is not Accounting see leveling course section below.
6. For non-accounting WSU students and all other schools:
   • Two letters of recommendation
   • Official transcripts for all college level work

Application Deadlines:
Fall entrance: Aug. 1 (*July 1)
Spring entrance: Dec. 1 (*Nov. 1)
Summer entrance: April 1 (* March 1)

*To be considered for a scholarship the application must be complete and all documents received by the date in parentheses.

LEVELING COURSES

Students with a non-accounting Bachelor’s degree may be required to take the following undergraduate courses. For questions concerning course equivalents from other universities, please contact the School of Accounting & Taxation.

- MATH 1050 College Algebra
- BSAD 3200 Business Law
- QUAN 2600 Business Stats I
- ECON 2010 Microeconomics
- ECON 2020 Macroeconomics
- ACTG 2010 Financial Accounting
- ACTG 2020 Managerial Accounting
- ACTG 3110 Intermediate Accounting I
- ACTG 3120 Intermediate Accounting II
- ACTG 3300 Cost Accounting
- ACTG 3400 Individual Taxation
- ACTG 3750 Accounting Info. Systems
- ACTG 4140 Global & Complex Entities
- ACTG 4510 Audit

Program Requirements

30 credits total

F=Fall, S=Spring, Su=Summer

All classes are 3 credits

Required Courses – 18 credits

- MTAX 6400 Tax Research and Communication (S, Su)
- MTAX 6405 Accounting for Income Taxes (F)
- MTAX 6430 Advanced Individual Taxation (F, Su)
- MTAX 6435 State & Local Tax/Federal Tax Procedure (F, Su)
- MTAX 6460 Advanced Corporate Taxation (S, Su)
- MTAX 6470 Advanced Partnership Taxation (F, Su)

Electives – 12 credits

One elective required from the following:

- MTAX 6410 International Taxation (S)
- MTAX 6455 Gifts, Estates, Trusts & Real Estate Taxation (F)
- MTAX 6485 Retirement Plans & Exempt Organizations (S)
- MTAX 6490 Mergers, Acquisitions & Consolidations (Su)
  (MTax 6460 recommended prior)

Three electives required from MAcc, MTax or approved MBA courses below.*

Until the release of the WSU 2019-2020 Catalog one of the three electives must be from the following MAcc course list.

- MACC 6120 Financial Accounting & Reporting (S, Su)
- MACC 6130 Government & Non-Profit Accounting (F)
- MACC 6160 Financial Statement Analysis (S)
- MACC 6330 Strategic Management Accounting (S)
- MACC 6560 Advanced Auditing & Assurance Services (F)
- MACC 6580 Internal Auditing (S)
- MACC 6610 Advanced Accounting Information Systems (F, Su)
- MTAX 6410 International Taxation (S)
- MTAX 6455 Gifts, Estates, Trusts & Real Estate Taxation (F)
- MTAX 6485 Retirement Plans & Exempt Organizations (S)
- MTAX 6490 Mergers, Acquisitions & Consolidations (Su)
  (MTax 6460 recommended prior)

*Select MBA courses approved by the MTax program director may also be used for electives up to a maximum of 6 credit hours.

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