

MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL **ACCOUNTING**



EDWARDS
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS
UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN



Our Master of Professional Accounting (MPAcc) program helps high achieving accounting students who are seeking an accounting designation and a Master's degree. We do this by offering comprehensive accounting education in a supportive classroom environment. Our students graduate with a competitive advantage as business professionals.



About the MPAcc program

The Master of Professional Accounting Program (MPAcc) is designed to prepare graduates for the world of professional accounting, with the knowledge and skills they need to function in a highly competitive business environment.

MPAcc takes your accounting and undergraduate education to the next level. We continue to develop your critical thinking skills so you can apply your knowledge to identify, stimulate and participate in the creation of workable solutions for organizations.

Our bright, talented students are exposed to leading-edge lectures, cases and professional skills workshops. In addition, we give students the opportunity to develop an appreciation for the academic research process and academe as a career choice.

This program is CPA accredited. Our successful graduates complete all CPA education requirements and are then eligible to write the Common Final Examination (CFE).

What will I study?

Students enrolled in the MPAcc program take classes over two consecutive summers from May through August. Upon completion of the second summer, MPAcc graduates are eligible to write the fall CFE.

YEAR 1
MPAC 831 - Strategy & Governance
MPAC 833 - Financial Reporting & Analysis
MPAC 835 - Assurance
MPAC 837 - Advanced Finance
MPAC 839 - Advanced Taxation
MPAC 992 - Research Project

YEAR 2
MPAC 851 - Advanced Management Accounting
MPAC 853 - Advanced Financial Reporting
MPAC 855 - Advanced Assurance
MPAC 858 - Advanced Financial Planning
MPAC 891 - Integrative Capstone 1
MPAC 892 - Integrative Capstone 2



CPA
COMPETENCY
MAP CURRICULUM



SUPPORTIVE CLASSROOM
ENVIRONMENT



PROFESSIONAL
NETWORK



WORK - STUDY BALANCE

Program benefits

History of success

Our MPAcc graduates have experienced exceptional results as first time writers on the Common Final Examination.

Award winning faculty

Our program is delivered by award winning accounting faculty from across Canada. Our faculty have a wide variety of experiences including industry, public practice, education, and research and have been deeply involved in the creation of CPA resources and cases, as well as our very own Advanced Accounting Case Book.

Work/study balance

Students attend classes full time during the two summer terms and return to work in between to fulfill the CPA practical work experience requirements.

Global network and lifelong friendships

The intense nature of the MPAcc program fosters the creation of lifelong friends and welcomes alumni into a professional network of the highest quality across the globe.



**A comprehensive education
for your diverse future**



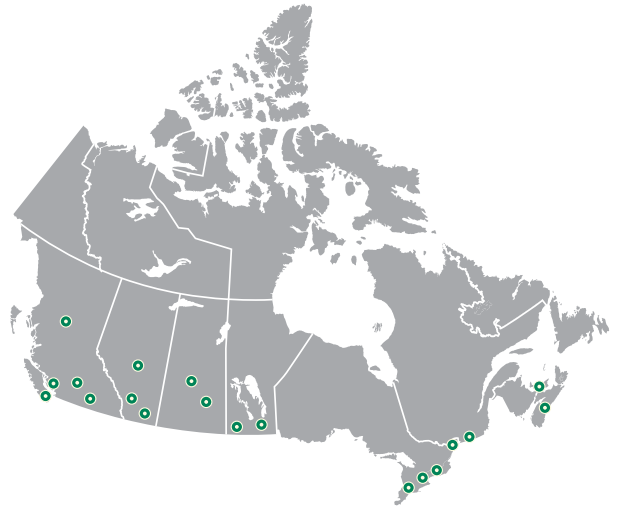
**MASTER'S
DEGREE**



**COMMON
FINAL EXAMINATION**

Student profile

Over the last three years MPAcc students have come from:



Saskatoon
Victoria
Vancouver
Edmonton
Regina
Winnipeg
Brandon

Charlottetown
Halifax
Hamilton
Kamloops
Kelowna
Lethbridge
London

Montreal
Ottawa
Prince George
Toronto
Calgary

The MPAcc classroom

With a proven history of excellence, the Edwards School of Business, Master of Professional Accounting program attracts the highest caliber of students from across Canada. Over the last three years, there has been representation from 24 Canadian universities. This diversity creates a classroom discussion of varied backgrounds and experiences and enhances the students learning potential.

AACSB accredited

The Edwards School of Business is proud to be recognized as accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB). This prestigious accreditation places Edwards School of Business in the top 5% of business schools internationally and signals our commitment to excellence.

 MORE INFORMATION
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The Edwards advantage

The University of Saskatchewan's Edwards School of Business is situated on Treaty 6 Territory and the Homeland of the Métis in Saskatoon, SK. USask is one of the top research-intensive, medical doctoral universities in Canada, and is home to world-leading research in areas of global importance, like water and food security.

Study spaces & resources

The Moeller Resource Room and Lounge has many tables to use for studying, as well as boardrooms for project work. There is also a student lounge and eating area and dedicated boardrooms available for students to book for group meetings and study purposes.

Physical Activity Complex (PAC)

Our state of the art fitness facility operates out of the College of Kinesiology Physical Activity Complex (PAC) and houses 80+ pieces of cardio equipment, a fit studio, free weights, weight machines and a 40 ft climbing wall. Your membership also gives you access to the pool, track, squash courts, and more!

Edwards Career Services

The Edwards Career Services team offers a wealth of resources to help you prepare your resume, spruce up your cover letter, improve your interview skills, or to help you find a job in your desired field of work.

International Student and Study Abroad Centre (ISSAC)

ISSAC is dedicated to fostering a welcoming, globally aware and inclusive campus community and offers services such as arrival, transition and cultural support, study abroad, awards, and travel safety information.



Established
1917



2200+
undergraduate
students



200+
graduate
students



100+
faculty
and staff



27,000+
alumni
worldwide



Admission requirements

- Four-year undergraduate degree from a recognized post-secondary institution.
- A cumulative weighted average of at least a 70% (USask grade system equivalent) in the last two years of study (ie. 60 credit units). Preference is given to students with a cumulative weighted average above 75%.
- Three letters of recommendation, with at least two being academic references.
- Proof of English proficiency may be required for international applicants and for applicants whose first language is not English.
- Adequate preparation in Canadian accounting principles as demonstrated by successful completion of the appropriate prerequisite courses as designated by the CPA Western School of Business for entrance into the CPA Professional Education Program. For a detailed list, please refer to CPAWSB.ca.
- Preference will be given to applicants with at least four months of CPA practical work experience prior to the start of MPAcc.

How to apply

Complete the online application form, including payment of the application fee, available on our website at www.edwardsmpacc.ca. Once your application has been received, you will be contacted regarding next steps to upload your application documents.

Deadline for application

We recommend applicants apply by Nov. 30 of each year, with successful applicants starting 17 months later in May. However, we will accept applications following this on a rolling basis until our program fills. By applying 17 months in advance, this allows successful candidates the opportunity to complete their undergraduate degree and gain some practical work experience prior to starting MPAcc. We encourage applicants to apply early to secure their seat!

UP-TO-DATE AND PROVINCE-SPECIFIC
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

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ALL THAT EDWARDS HAS TO OFFER!

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