Corporate accounting

W. P. Carey Career Management and Employer Engagement: Business degree fast facts

The W. P. Carey School of Accountancy is recognized as one of the top-ranked accounting programs in the country. The W. P. Carey business degree in corporate accounting delivers the strategic financial planning, control, corporate compliance, and decision-making skills needed for careers in managerial accounting. Students will learn from School of Accountancy faculty members through interactive courses covering topics such as financial and managerial accounting, corporate governance and ethics, taxation (from a U.S. perspective), and financial analysis and valuation.

Average accounting salaries will vary greatly due to location, company, industry, experience, and benefits, but are expected to be in the range of $40,000 to $60,000 for W. P. Carey graduates.¹

Pursue diverse career opportunities

- Accountant
- Actuary
- Assistant controller
- Auditor
- Bank examiner
- Benefits/compensation administrator
- Budget analyst
- Business teacher
- CIA agent
- Claims adjuster
- Collector/collection agent
- Commercial banker
- Commodities trader
- Consumer credit officer
- Estate planner
- FBI agent
- Financial aid director
- Financial analyst
- Fundraiser
- Industrial buyer
- Internal auditor
- Inventory control specialist
- IRS investigator/loan administrator
- Management analyst
- Payroll manager
- Personal financial advisor
- Revenue agent
- Securities broker
- Stock broker
- Tax examiner
- Tax manager/tax specialist
- Underwriter

Map your future in corporate accounting

Management accountant, industrial accountant, corporate accountant, private accountant

Lead organizations by providing financial and accounting reporting and control expertise. Generate and evaluate business plans and various business decisions. Create financial performance management systems and assess technology, software, and information systems enabling effective, efficient operations. Many CFOs begin their careers as corporate accountants.
Add value to your degree

As a W. P. Carey student, your classroom experience is just one part of your preparation for a successful career. A variety of extracurricular opportunities provide you with practical, real-world experiences to complement your classroom studies.

Certification in managerial accounting

The business degree in corporate accounting sets students on a path toward certification in managerial accounting. Both the Certified Management Accountant (CMA) designation and the Chartered Global Management Accountant (CGMA) are widely recognized corporate accounting certifications.

- Learn about the **CMA** designation: [imanet.org](http://imanet.org)
- Learn about the **CGMA**: [cgma.org](http://cgma.org)

Finance and Accounting Career Club (FACC)


The ASU chapter of FACC welcomes all business students interested in professional and personal development through education, association with business professionals, and certification in management accounting and financial management skills.

Beta Alpha Psi

[asubap.com](http://asubap.com)

The national accounting business fraternity, Beta Alpha Psi, recognizes outstanding academic achievement and develops professionalism among members through career-oriented, social, and community activities.

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1 National Association of Colleges and Employers Salary Survey