

College of St. Mary Transition Agreement

Upper Iowa University and the [College of St. Mary](#) have entered into a transition agreement to provide a seamless process for graduates of the College of Saint Mary (CSM) who desire further education to enter the Upper Iowa University (UIU) Extended University [Online Master of Business Administration \(MBA\) program](#).

| Foundational Requirement | UIU Course | CSM Course |
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| Accounting Principles | BA 201 | ACC 161 |
| Financial Management | BA 341 | BUS 321 or BLD 414 |
| Management Principles | BA 210 | BUS 225 or BUS 323 or BLD 311 |
| Marketing Principles | BA 208 | BUS 334 or BLD 414 |
| Business Law | BA 302 | BUS 307 or BLD 313 |
| Macroeconomics | BA 211 | ECO 131 or BLD 313 |
| Elementary Statistics | MATH 220 | MTH 242 or BLD 312 |

To be eligible for admission in the UIU MBA program, applicants must have not less than a 2.5 Grade Point Average (GPA) on a 4 point scale for all undergraduate work completed, or a 2.7 GPA for the last 60 semester credits of work completed. Students with a GPA less than the requirement may submit GRE or GMAT test results. GRE and GMAT scores are evaluated in the context of the student's total record. UIU accepts CLEP testing and ACE recommended equivalencies as satisfaction of foundational course requirements.

UIU requires applicants planning to choose the MBA Accounting emphasis to have an undergraduate major in accounting, or 30 semester credits of undergraduate accounting coursework. CSM does not offer an undergraduate accounting major and offers an accounting minor of 6 courses (18 semester credits). Additional accounting courses available at CSM, excluding ACC 388 Experimental Courses and ACC 391 Independent Study, allow for CSM students to take a total of 27 semester credits of accounting coursework.

CSM students who plan to choose the MBA accounting emphasis may enroll in the following online courses subject to approval of each student's enrollment by CSM in accordance with CSM's published policy on "Courses at Other Institutions."

| Course | Title |
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| BA 431 | Advanced Financial Accounting |
| BA 432 | Accounting for Not-For-Profit Organizations |
| BA 433 | Auditing I |