ABOUT A DEGREE IN ACCOUNTING

Accounting is the examination, organization, management and design of accurate recording and reporting procedures of financial and business transactions. The study of accounting attempts to make the student aware of the various ways one can maintain accurate, up-to-date, financial and business practices. Knowledge and implementation of good accounting procedures are required if financial or business success is to be realized. A few of the major specializations include public accounting, tax accounting, cost accounting, government accounting, budget accounting, and internal auditing.

RELATED SKILLS

Proficiency in written and oral communication
Organize, analyze and interpret financial data
Aptitude for accuracy and attention to details
Operate and use information derived from computers
Independent and focused
Make sound decisions and solve quantitative problems
Explain complex financial data to others
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