



Associate in Arts at Heartland Community College to Bachelor's Degree in Accounting at Illinois Wesleyan University

This plan does not cover the 150 hours needed for CPA exam. Student would still need to complete 22 additional hours. This can be achieved by registering for the maximum units at HCC and/or summer coursework. While additional coursework can be in any area, suggested topics include data science, data analytics, and technology.

*This is a suggested course pattern. Students must work with their advisor to develop a curriculum plan that meets their scheduling needs. ** indicates course needed for the major. + indicates an IWU graduation requirement*

| HEARTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE | | | |
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| FIRST YEAR | COURSE NAME | CREDIT HOURS | |
| | | FALL | SPRING |
| ENGL 101 | Critical Reading and Writing | 3 | |
| COMM 101 | Intro to Oral Communication | 3 | |
| IAI Social Behavioral Sci | Any IAI Social/Behavioral Science | 3 | |
| ACCT 200** | Financial Accounting | 4 | |
| Math 111 or 151** | Finite Math or Calculus for Business | 4 | |
| ENGL 102 | Multimodal Composition | | 3 |
| ACCT 201** | Managerial Accounting | | 4 |
| IAI Physical Science | Any IAI Physical Science | | 3-4 |
| Language 101 | Elementary Language I | | 4 |
| IAI Fine Arts | Any IAI Fine Arts | | 3 |
| Total Credit Hours | | 17 | 17-18 |
| SECOND YEAR | COURSE NAME | CREDIT HOURS | |
| | | FALL | SPRING |
| IAI Humanities | Any IAI Humanities Course | 3 | |
| Language 102 | Intermediate Language II | 4 | |
| ECON 101** | Principles of Microeconomics* (SBS) | 3 | |
| IAI Humanities/Fine Arts | Any IAI Humanities/Fine Arts | 3 | |
| Elective | Elective | 3 | |
| MATH 141** | Intro to Statistics | | 3 |
| Language 201+ | Intermediate Language 201 | | 4 |
| IAI Life Science | Any IAI Life Science | | 3-4 |
| ECON 102** | Principles of Macroeconomics* | | 3 |
| | *Must complete ECON 101 and ECON 102 to earn credit for IWU ECON 100. | | |
| Total Credit Hours | | 16 | 13-14 |

| ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY | | | |
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| THIRD YEAR | COURSE NAME | UNIT HOURS | |
| | | FALL | SPRING |
| ACC 316 | Acct & Auditing Concepts and Theory | 1 | |
| ACC 319 | Cost Management | 1 | |
| ACC 218 | Accounting Information Systems | 1 | |
| Writing Elective | Writing intensive elective in or outside the major | 1 | |
| ACC 317 | Specialized Topics in Financial Reporting | | 1 |
| ACC 318 | Accounting & Auditing Processes | | 1 |
| ACC 397 | Internship in Industry (Meet with advisor a full semester in advance. Application required.) | | 2 |
| Total Units | | 4 | 4 |
| FOURTH YEAR | COURSE NAME | UNIT HOURS | |
| | | FALL | SPRING |
| BUS 331 or 341 | Marketing: Principles & Mgmt or Org & Mgmt | 1 | |
| BUS 355 | Business Law I | 1 | |
| ACC 416 or elective | Advanced Accounting or elective | 1 | |
| ACC 315 | Tax Accounting | 1 | |
| FIS 303 | Financial Mgmt | | 1 |
| ACC 418 or elective | Accounting Theory and Practice II or elective | | 1 |
| 1xx - 4xx | Elective outside the major | | 1 |
| 1xx - 4xx | Elective in or outside the major | | 1 |
| Total Units | | 4 | 4 |

- Students should meet with advisor about internship opportunities in the first semester of third year.
- At Heartland, choose a (G) Global Diversity and a (U) US Diversity course from recommended list to meet IWU graduation requirements.
- AP scores with 4 or higher, or higher level IB scores of 5 or higher, can be used to meet general education requirements at IWU, but not major or minor requirements.
- Remedial math courses may be needed to prepare for the math requirement. However, remedial courses will not transfer to IWU. Adjust schedule and hour requirements accordingly to complete degree.
- Completion of any 201 language course would complete the 2nd language requirement.
- Students should complete a minimum of 64 semester hours, not including remedial or equivalent PE courses, at Heartland to be on track to complete their bachelor's degree in a total of four years.
- Students are required, at minimum, to complete 16 units of coursework at IWU including half of all major requirements.
- Graduation requirements: 32 total courses and 32 total units with 9 courses and 9 units of upper level courses, and 18 courses and 18 units outside the major. (1 IWU unit = 4 semester hours)