

Accounting PhD Curriculum

Effective Fall 2011 (current students modify accordingly)

First Year	Hours
Fall courses:	
ACCT 7021 - Accounting Theory	3
ACCT 7601 – International Accounting	3
ECON 7610 – Math for Economists	3
Elective - Statistics	3
<i>Workshop on RQ – Identify potential RQ from News Magazine</i>	
Spring courses:	
ACCT 9001 – Accounting Research II	3
ECON 7630 – Econometric Methods I	3
ACCT 7270 – Graduate Intermediate Accounting	3
FIN 7826/elective – Investment Analysis and Portfolio Theory	3
<i>Workshop on RQ – Identify potential RQ from News Magazine</i>	
Replication Paper Due	
Summer courses:	
Intersession Course – ACCT 8900 – Pre-dissertation research	3
ACCT 9002 – Accounting Research I	3
Second Year	
Fall Courses:	
Present Replication Paper at a Workshop	
ACCT 9003 – Accounting Research II	3
ECON 7630 – Econometric Methods II	3
ECON 7700 – Price Theory I	3
FIN 7520 – Financial Research Methods	3
<i>Workshop on literature – Present summary of current literature</i>	
Spring Courses:	
ACCT 9004 – Accounting Research III	3
ECON 7720 – Price Theory II	3
ECON 7630 – Econometric Methods – III	3
<i>Workshop on literature – Present summary of current literature</i>	
Summer Courses:	
Intersession Course – ACCT 8900 – Pre-dissertation research	3
Complete Research Paper Due	

Third Year	Hours
Fall Courses:	
Present Research Paper at a Workshop	
ACCT 9004 – Accounting Research IV	3
FIN 7750 – Seminar in Corporate Finance	3
Total Hours of Course Work	60
Comprehensive Exam – only after the research paper is satisfactory and submitted	
Spring Courses:	
ACCT 9000 – Dissertation Research	3
Dissertation Proposal	
Fourth Year	
Fall Courses:	
ACCT 9000 – Dissertation Research	3
Spring Courses:	
ACCT 9000 – Dissertation Research	3
Dissertation Defense	
Total hours	69