UTS Business School knows what business education is about in the twenty-first century. As a world class business school in a world-leading university of technology, our task is to prepare graduates for a new economy where creativity and integrative thinking are as highly valued as specialised areas of knowledge. This means we do more than analyse case studies and teach textbook theory. Our students, unlike students at most other business schools, have the opportunity to develop their creative potential and learn to recognise and nourish this potential in others. This is the way we develop true business and community leaders – leaders who are ready to take on tomorrow’s challenges. I look forward to welcoming you to UTS.

Professor Roy Green
Dean, UTS Business School
WHY BUSINESS AT UTS?

Bachelor of Accounting students have a 95% graduate employment rate.

OUR DIFFERENCE
Tomorrow’s business leaders need to think differently. At UTS you’ll learn how to identify and apply solutions to complex problems – problems that don’t even exist yet.

WHERE BUSINESS THRIVES
Think of yourself as a business leader in the making. That’s why it’s ideal to position yourself in the heartland of new business and opportunity. UTS sits firmly in Australia’s largest start-up district, alongside PWC, Ernst & Young and The Commonwealth Bank.

CONNECTIONS THAT COUNT
They say it’s ‘who you know’ that counts. We’ll connect you with the people who make opportunities happen. Whether it’s through internships, lectures or networking, you’ll be exposed to contacts including the top tier professionals and thought leaders from the most successful Australian and global companies.

WORLD CLASS
UTS Business School is amongst a select few business schools in the world accredited by AACSB International (The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business). This accreditation represents the highest standard of achievement for business schools worldwide, meaning that you will graduate with an internationally recognised qualification.

EXPAND YOUR HORIZONS
There are doors to be opened that you don’t even know about yet. Excitingly, many of these are international. UTS sends more students overseas than any other university in Australia. Take advantage of our overseas connections by going on exchange in your third year.

A PRACTICAL ADVANTAGE
UTS offers a distinctly experience-based approach to learning. It’ll give you the edge to compete the moment you step into the workforce. We’ll also help you gain internships, complete industry-focused capstone subjects and achieve professional work placements – everything that will set you up for success.

DO IT YOUR WAY
We get it, you can’t hit ‘pause’ on life when you start university. Find the timetable that suits you with a range of class times, plus summer school and part-time study options.

KEY INFORMATION

2017 ATAR: Desirable ATAR of 95 and above plus selection process
Duration: 3 years (full-time)

Recommended year 12 studies: Mathematics and any two units of English
Bonus points: Not available
Professional recognition: Students successfully completing the Bachelor of Accounting satisfy the educational requirements for undergraduate membership of CPA Australia, Chartered Accountants of Australia and New Zealand and Institute of Public Accountants.

WHY BAcc?
If you are a high achieving school leaver and believe you could be one of Australia’s future business leaders, the Bachelor of Accounting program has been designed just for you. Now in its 28th year, the BAcc provides you with a multi-skilled accounting degree with strong emphasis on accounting and financial management – both essential business tools.

WHAT YOU GET
> An internationally recognised accounting degree, designed to give you an all-round business education and tailor made for Australia’s leading businesses.
> A total scholarship package up to $51,500 tax free.
> Guaranteed career prospects – BAcc graduates have a historical employment rate greater than 95% with average starting salaries of around $60K.
> A small, exclusive group environment.
> The option to complete a second major or sub-majors in other business disciplines that interest you.
> Two six month industry placements as an accounting intern with two different employers, often reporting to senior managers.
> Numerous social functions and group activities to help you form networks of friends throughout the course and beyond.

COURSE STRUCTURE
The Bachelor of Accounting is completed in three years of full-time study, which includes two separate six month industry placements in your first and third year. Some subjects are fast-tracked over Summer session, while others are taken part-time during your internships.

GLOBAL EXCHANGE
The personal, social and professional development you gain through an international study experience will add excitement and value to your degree, and broaden your career options.

Global Exchange allows you to study overseas during the last session of your final year at a UTS partner university in Asia, Europe or the Americas. While you are studying overseas, you remain enrolled full-time at UTS and receive credit towards your degree.
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### SUB MAJORS
- Accounting in Practice
- Advanced Advertising
- Advertising
- Business Information Systems
- Business Innovation and Financial Management
- Business Law
- Econometrics
- Economics
- Event Management
- Finance
- Financial Reporting
- Financial Services
- Human Resource Management
- Information Technology
- International Business Studies
- International Management
- International Studies
- Language other than English
- Management
- Management Consulting
- Marketing
- Marketing Research
- Mathematics
- Quantitative Management
- Specialist Country Studies
- Sport Management
- Statistics
- Strategic Marketing
- Sustainable Enterprise
- Taxation Law
- Tourism Management
HOW IT WORKS
Your choice of subjects within the course is very similar to the Bachelor of Business. You have to complete a compulsory first major in Accounting, and then you can choose a second major, sub-majors or electives.

> 2 out of the 6 sessions of this 3 year degree are spent in the workplace as an Accounting Intern.
> We take in 30-35 new students each year, and each class of students will study, work and play together as a tightly-knit group throughout the 3 years of the course. This means you won’t get lost in the big crowds at university, you’ll have a ready-made support network, and you’ll make many lifelong friendships.
> As a scholarship student you’ll be involved in numerous special activities such as the initial 6 week fast-track period introducing you to UTS and the business world, regular guest lectures by industry managers, annual development camps and student-organised social activities and trips.
> As a BAcc graduate you will have a year of full-time work in accounting behind you, as well as experience dealing with and reporting to senior managers in some of Australia’s largest businesses. You will have had to show leadership, communication and team working skills expected of future business leaders. This is why our graduates are highly sought after by employers.

SELECTION
> Entry to the BAcc is very competitive and is not based on ATAR score alone. Selection criteria is as follows:
  – a genuine and informed interest in an accounting-based career
  – personal attributes needed to succeed both as a student and in a business career – communication skills, interpersonal skills, team-working skills, problem-solving skills, enthusiasm and dedication
  – involvement and achievement in a range of activities and interests
  – demonstrated leadership qualities or potential
  – academic ability (desirable ATAR: 95)

There is no fixed ATAR requirement for the BAcc. Like all of our selection criteria, the better your score for academic ability the better your chances of being selected. Each year we take in students with ATARs ranging from 90 to 99.95, balancing criteria against one another, so if you excel in another area it can compensate for a lower academic score, and vice versa.
APPLYING FOR BAcc SCHOLARSHIPS

BAcc students will receive a scholarship valued at:

> $16,500 for the first year of the course;
> $17,000 for the second year of the course; and
> $9,000 for the first half of the third year of the course.

In addition to the scholarship, which runs for 2.5 years of the 3-year course, students can claim a Recruitment Incentive of $9,000 in their third year if recruited by a sponsor organisation. This would bring the total received over the three years to $51,500.

HOW TO APPLY

> Special application and selection procedures apply for this course
> Round 1 applications close Friday 2 June 2017 and Round 2 applications close on Friday 20 October 2017

Please note:

> Applicants must nominate the Bachelor of Accounting as one of their preferred courses in the normal way through the NSW and ACT University Admissions Centre (UAC)
> BAcc is intended for recent school leavers, however applicants from other backgrounds may be admitted. Previous study or experience in accounting is generally of no advantage in our selection process, and those seeking recognition of prior study or experience may find this more readily available in the Bachelor of Business course
> BAcc is only open to Australian citizens and permanent residents of Australia
> Classes for this course start in mid-January

COURTENAY SMITH
Chair, BAcc Steering Committee
CFO Property Australia, Lend Lease

“BAcc provides students with an excellent stepping stone into the corporate world. Students gain a fantastic insight into some of Australia’s largest organisations while at the same time allowing them to enjoy being university students. BAcc is an amazing university experience that differentiates students by creating real work experiences with our corporate sponsors.”
Lend Lease is committed to creating the best places; to do this you need to attract, develop and retain the best people. We believe our graduates are our future leaders, so we look for people with the right combination of skills, values and cultural fit for our Finance function and for Lend Lease. The BAcc program provides a fantastic platform for potential graduates entering the workforce. In particular, the experience gained through two 6-month professional placements sets BAcc graduates apart. Lend Lease has a long history of supporting the BAcc program, a commitment which is aided by the highly committed and sought after individuals which we have seen the BAcc program consistently produce.
Students are asked to nominate their preferred placement for an upcoming Internship. Placements are allocated by UTS based on the best fit of student to organisation, taking into account student interest and performance and the corporate environment and particular work experience offered by each sponsor.

**FIRST YEAR INTERNSHIP**
As a first-year student you don’t have a lot of learning behind you, but you stand to gain a great deal from your first exposure to the world of big business.

The exact nature of your work experience will naturally vary depending on the type of organisation you work for – whether it be insurance, banking, manufacturing, communications, government or retail.

**THIRD YEAR INTERNSHIP**
In the second Internship, you can expect to be working on higher level accounting projects. Sponsor organisations will often have a special job or project in mind which they can hand to a BAcc student. Large tasks like this are a great challenge to an undergraduate student, and this is your chance to make a real contribution to the management of a large and well-known organisation.

**HOW THE INTERNSHIPS WORK**
Students work Monday to Friday for the duration of the Internship, although flexible arrangements are common to accommodate periods of high activity.

An orientation / introduction to the organisation and its expected standards are provided when a student first reports for work at the start of the Internship.

Most of our current sponsors have their head offices in the Sydney CBD, with others located in the greater Sydney area. This is where students will spend much of their time during the Internship, although in many cases sponsors will try to give students some experience at other offices or plants.

Students continue to study two subjects during the Internship.

At the end of the Internship, sponsor supervisor(s) are asked to submit a formal evaluation of the student, and each student is asked to report on their experiences during the Internship. This feedback is an important part of the continuing development and improvement of the Internships.
ALUMNI PROFILES

BRENDAN DUNNE
General Manager, Business Improvement
Allianz Australia (Graduated BAcc 2003)
“There are so many positive elements to the BAcc program, especially the business network and friends you develop throughout the three years. UTS in general are very focused on practical application and being ‘work ready’. With a year’s work experience and the additional programs/support that BAcc offers, you’re well equipped to hit the ground running! My first internship was with Allianz and I ended up working there full-time once I graduated. I’m still with Allianz to this day and have had the chance to work across a broad number of roles across the world.”

CHRIS THOMPSON
Senior Commercial Manager – Wholesale and Global Accounts
Coca-Cola Amatil (Graduated BAcc 2005)
“BAcc provided me with valuable opportunities and set me in good stead for my career at CCA. The internships not only provide good practical work experience but allow you to learn what industry and company would suit you. After my first internship at CCA, I knew this was the place for me. To this day I remain good friends with many BAcc graduates across all different years. Although a fast tracked course, we still enjoyed the uni lifestyle and even had the opportunity to complete the course overseas. Today I am still involved with BAcc as a sponsor and I know CCA is a keen and long-term partner.”

LAUREN DAVIS
Reporting Manager – Retail
DEXUS Property Group (Graduated BAcc 2007)
“I chose to apply for the BAcc program as I had a strong interest in business and was drawn to the work experience element of the course. I was keen to get as much exposure to different facets of accounting in order to make an informed choice when choosing graduate roles. The internships allowed us to experience firsthand what we would be doing as graduates. As we were able to choose specific industries and companies I felt it really helped us decide what direction we could take in the future.”

AMY GIANNAKAKOS
Manager, Investor Relations
Macquarie Group (Graduated BAcc 2010)
“The BAcc program provides the opportunity to gain invaluable insight into the diverse applications of accounting before entering into the corporate world as a Graduate. By completing two placements in two different streams of accounting, I had the advantage of understanding which type of role interested me most and allowed me to dive in straight from the beginning of my career. From day one, the BAcc program offers a real investment in your professional and personal development. By the time you graduate you are well equipped with the tools to help you along the path of becoming a strong business leader.”
**STUDENT PROFILES**

**LAUREN GRASSO**  
(3rd year BAcc)  
“BAcc is unlike any other course. It capitalises on the potential of ambitious young professionals by exposing them to the realism of the business world. The invaluable opportunities such as the industry connections gained, work experience and scholarship were what most attracted me to the program and ultimately led to my decision to study the BAcc.”

**JOJO YEBOAH**  
(2nd year BAcc)  
“I have always been enthusiastic about business and I believe that accounting is a great foundation in terms of the base knowledge it provides for all aspects of business. This alongside the industry connections and work experience associated with the BAcc course are all major factors that helped me realise the scale of this opportunity and the extent to which this course could help me have a profound impact on business in the future. UTS is an exciting place to study. It has a dynamic working environment and learning programs. I feel like I am definitely in the right place to prepare me for future employment.”

**CLARE O’ROURKE**  
(2nd year BAcc)  
“I have had a passion for business for a long time and this degree is ideal for establishing connections and excelling your career very early on. In addition, the friendships are important to me and I thrive in a team atmosphere which is what the BAcc aims to create. Moreover, the degree will help my passions for travelling with work and finding mentors in the professional work place early on in my career. If you are thinking of doing any degree that has to do with Business or Commerce, then definitely apply for the BAcc. It is broad, fun, supportive, and provides realistic expectations for the real working world.”

**JOSHUA BRADSTOCK**  
(2nd year BAcc)  
“UTS is a fantastic place where I feel welcome and important. The lecturers and tutors are first class and even in the first week, I had learnt so much. The facilities are also second-to-none, especially with the new building and innovative study areas. Most weeks I DJ at either a club or a house party and I also train 5 times a week for various sports and activities. Juggling competing demands can be tough at times, but I manage by sticking to a calendar, updating my diary, and making use of the reminders app on my phone. It clears my mind as I know everything is set out clearly.”

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UTS OPEN DAY
SATURDAY 26 AUGUST 2017
9am – 4pm
Register at: openday.uts.edu.au

BAcc INFORMATION EVENING
TUESDAY 16 MAY 2017
6:30 – 7:30pm
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