Lorain County Community College

2+2 Transfer Pathway

AAB in Accounting to BA in Accounting and Financial Management

The 2+2 Transfer Pathway is designed to award maximum credit for an Associate of Applied Business Administration - Accounting degree from Lorain County Community College, streamlining the completion of a Bachelor of Arts in Accounting and Financial Management degree from Hiram College. The pathway represents just one example of how to complete the associate degree and the bachelor's degree. The course sequence may change based on the individual needs of the student and the schedule type required. Students should work closely with advisors at both institutions.

Lorain County Community College Associate Degree Coursework	Credit Hours	Equivalent Hiram Course
Semester One		
ACTG 151: Accounting I – Financial	4	ACCT 22500: Financial Accounting
ENGL 161: College Composition I	3	WRIT 15100: Composition in the Lib Arts I
ECNM 151: Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECON 20200: Principles of Macroeconomics
MTHM 168: Statistics[1]	3	MATH 10800: Statistics
SDEV 101: Introduction to the LCCC Community	1	No credit
Semester Credit Hours Total:	**14**	
Semester Two		
ACTG 152: Accounting II – Managerial	4	ACCT 22600: Managerial Accounting
ENGL 162: College Composition II ***or*** ENGL 164: College Composition II w/ Technical Topics	3	WRIT 15200: Composition in the Lib Arts II
ECNM 152: Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECON 20100: Principles of Microeconomics
CMMC 151: Oral Communication	3	COMM 10100: Foundations of Public Communication
CISS 121: Microcomputer Applications	3	Elective
Semester Credit Hours Total:	**16**	
Semester Three		
ACTG 251: Intermediate Accounting I *(typically offered fall semester)*	4	ACCT 35100: Intermediate Accounting I
ACTG 267: Federal Income Tax Procedures – Individual Returns[2] *(typically offered fall semester)*	4	Accounting Elective *(ACTG 267 + 268 = ACCT 30900 Federal Taxation Accounting)*
BADM 165: Legal Environment of Business	3	MGMT 32100: Business Law I
FNCE 251: Business Finance	3	MGMT 30200: Corporate Finance
Semester Credit Hours Total:	**14**	
Semester Four		
ACTG 252: Intermediate Accounting II *(typically offered spring semester)*	4	ACCT 35200: Intermediate Accounting II
ACTG 265: Cost Accounting	3	ACCT 32500: Cost Management
BADM 251: Principles of Management[3]	3	MGMT 11800: Organizational Behavior
OT36 Natural Science w/ lab requirement	4	Elective
Elective[2] *(Hiram recommends ACTG 268)*	2-4	Elective
Semester Credit Hours Total:	**16-18**	
ASSOCIATE DEGREE TOTAL:	**60-62**	

*Lorain County Community College Electives		
ACTG 161: Payroll Accounting	3	Elective
ACTG 226: Fund Accounting *(typically offered spring semester)*	4	Elective
ACTG 253: Forensic Accounting	3	Elective
ACTG 268: Federal Income Tax Procedures – Business Entities[2]	4	Accounting Elective *(ACTG 267 + 268 = ACCT 30900 Federal Taxation Accounting)*
ACTG 287: Work-Based Learning I – ACTG	1-3	Elective
BADM 211: Business Communications	3	Elective
CISS 212: Spreadsheet Applications	3	Elective

Notes:

[1]While MTHM 158: Quantitative Reasoning ***or*** MTHM 168: Statistics will fulfill Lorain County Community College's AAB requirement, Statistics is required for the AFM major at Hiram.

[2]ACTG 267 ***and*** ACTG 268 must both be completed to receive credit for ACCT 30900: Federal Taxation Accounting at Hiram

[3]While BADM 251: Principles of Management ***or*** MKRG 251: Principles of Marketing will fulfill the Lorain County Community College AAB requirement, BADM 251: Principles of Management (transfers to Hiram as Organizational Behavior) is required for the AFM major at Hiram.

Successful completion of Lorain County Community College's Associate of Applied Business in Accounting degree waives Hiram's CORE requirement.

Accounting and Financial Management Major at Hiram College

This sample degree map shows how students who transfer to Hiram College with an Associate of Applied Business in Business Administration – Accounting from LCCC can complete the bachelor's degree and Accounting major in four semesters.

THIRD YEAR

SEMESTER FIVE

Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
STDV 10600: Connecting to & Through Hiram	1
UCS 20201: Addressing Urgent Questions Seminar	4
ACCT 24000: Professional Responsibilities	3
MGMT 15500: Principles of Management	4
Accounting Elective*	3-4
Total Semester Credit Hours	**15-16**

SEMESTER SIX

Course Name & Number	Credit Hours
ACCT 35300: Intermediate Accounting III	3
ACCT 31910: Auditing	4
Accounting Elective	3-4
Elective or Minor Elective	4
Total Semester Credit Hours	**14-15**

FOURTH YEAR

SEMESTER SEVEN

Course Name & Number	
UCS 30301: Urgent Challenge Seminar – Team Taught	4
Accounting Elective	3-4
Elective or Minor Elective	3-4
Elective or Minor Elective	3-4
Total Semester Credit Hours	**13-16**

SEMESTER EIGHT

Course Name & Number	
ACCT 48000: Senior Seminar/Capstone	4
Elective or Minor Elective	3-4
Elective or Minor Elective ***or*** Hiram Connect Internship	3-4
Elective or Minor Elective (if needed)	4
Total Semester Credit Hours	**14-16**

Notes:

- Students must earn a minimum of 120 credit hours for Hiram graduation requirements.
- A minimum of 45 credit hours along with 50% of major/minor coursework must be completed at Hiram.
- The credit hours from the awarding institution are applied to the student's degree, not the credit hours of the Hiram College equivalent course, if applicable.
- Students are encouraged to discuss their elective courses and minor selection/courses with their Hiram advisor.
- *Students must take 9 elective credit hours in the Accounting major. Courses should be chosen in consultation with an advisor, but **at least one course must be chosen from the first grouping below**:
  ACCT 44100: Advanced Accounting
  ACCT 34000: Accounting Information Systems
  ACCT 32500: Cost Management

	Total Credit Hours
Bachelor's Degree Total	**120-126**

MAXIMIZE THE IMPORTANCE OF YOUR ASSOCIATE DEGREE

CORE Block Waiver: Students who have earned ANY accredited associate degree are eligible for a block waiver of Hiram's CORE—the Ways of Knowing Distribution Requirement (8 courses), and any student with 64 hours of transfer credit may be eligible for the same.

Hiram Connect: All students transferring to Hiram College take part in Hiram Connect, a program for guided reflection on their course of study and—as the name implies—a connection of their coursework to a guaranteed significant real-world experience outside the classroom—study away, independent research, and/or internships.

The Urgent Challenge Curriculum: The Urgent Challenge Curriculum for transfer students encompasses a two-course sequence that asks students to engage with broad questions that speak to the problems in our contemporary world. In these courses, students learn how to assess what skills and competencies they bring to a team, to address issues through a problem-based learning approach, and finally how to work collectively to address the urgent challenges of our time.

<u>Hiram College Admission</u>

- A 2.5 cumulative GPA in previous coursework is required
- No ACT/SAT Score Required
- Application is FREE