

Assessment: Assessment Plan



Program (BUS) - AAS-Accounting Emphasis

Unit Mission: The mission of the associate of applied science degree in accounting is to provide students with practical competencies in the field of accounting, enabling them to succeed in the modern business environment as accounting clerks or full-charge bookkeepers, or to prepare students to pursue their education at the baccalaureate level at GBC.

Outcome: Create a set of self-balancing financial records for a business enterprise.

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Outcome Status: Active

Assessment Year: 2016-2017

Start Date: 09/07/2015

Assessment Measures

Assignment - Written - Module 6 Homework Assignment from ACC 220

Students will use the QuickBooks software to set up a new company with a chart of accounts, customer subsidiary accounts, vendor subsidiary accounts, and employee payroll records.

(Active)

Criterion: Average scores of 70% or higher on the Module 6 Homework Assignment

Survey - The outcome will be measured and assessed indirectly by way of a "Pre-Post Questionnaire" given to each student in his or her first semester and in the last semester of his or her program. Differences in the scores of these beginning students and the graduating students will then be analyzed on an ongoing basis. (Active)

Criterion: No specific quantitative criterion is specified at this time. However, we expect to see a difference in the self-declared levels of learning declared by the students from the start of their program to the end of their program.

Outcome: Maintain a general set of books

Use a manual or automated system of journals and ledgers to maintain a set of books using double-entry methods in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles.

Outcome Status: Active

Assessment Year: 2017-2018

Start Date: 09/05/2016

Assessment Measures

Assignment - Written - Module 2 Homework Assignment (Problem 2-3) from ACC 201

Students will prepare journal entries, post these entries to a series of ledgers, and prepare a trial balance.

(Active)

Criterion: Average scores of 70% on Problem 2-3

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Outcome: Financial Statements

Prepare a set of financial statements complete with appropriate year-end adjustments and disclosures.

Outcome Status: Active

Assessment Year: 2018-2019

Start Date: 09/04/2017

Assessment Measures

Assignment - Written - Module 4 Homework Assignment (Problem 4-2) from ACC 201
Students will prepare the income statement, the Statement of Retained Earnings, and the balance sheet.

(Active)

Criterion: Average scores of 70% on Problem 4-2

Survey - The outcome will be measured and assessed indirectly by way of a "Pre-Post Questionnaire" given to each student in his or her first semester and in the last semester of his or her program. Differences in the scores of these beginning students and the graduating students will then be analyzed on an ongoing basis. (Active)

Criterion: No specific quantitative criterion is specified at this time. However, we expect to see a difference in the self-declared levels of learning declared by the students from the start of their program to the end of their program.

Outcome: Use financial information in decision-making processes

Use financial information to assist in decision-making processes within a business organization.

Outcome Status: Active

Assessment Year: 2019-2020

Start Date: 09/03/2018

Assessment Measures

Exam/Quiz - Standardized - Final Exam from ACC 202
The final exam tests students' ability to use account information for a variety of decisions.

(Active)

Criterion: Average scores of 70% on Final Exam

Survey - The outcome will be measured and assessed indirectly by way of a "Pre-Post Questionnaire" given to each student in his or her first semester and in the last semester of his or her program. Differences in the scores of these beginning students and the graduating students will then be analyzed on an ongoing basis. (Active)

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Outcome: Ethical insights and is free from fraud or deception.

Provide financial information that incorporates ethical insights and is free from fraud or deception.

Outcome Status: Active

Assessment Year: 2020-2021

Start Date: 09/02/2019

Assessment Measures

Exam/Quiz - Standardized - Final Exam in ACC 204

Students will be required to show their mastery of a variety of techniques and principles that has ethical implications to business firms.

(Active)

Criterion: Average scores of 70% on the final exam

Survey - The outcome will be measured and assessed indirectly by way of a "Pre-Post Questionnaire" given to each student in his or her first semester and in the last semester of his or her program. Differences in the scores of these beginning students and the graduating students will then be analyzed on an ongoing basis. (Active)

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