

# SALUKI STEP AHEAD: ACCOUNTING

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY AND REND LAKE COLLEGE



## WELCOME TO THE SALUKI STEP AHEAD PROGRAM!

Use this guide to stay on track each semester - the pathway to your degree begins now!

Here's a few other resources you have at your fingertips:

- \$8,000 scholarship (\$4,000/year for two years).
- Early admittance to SIU and personalized assistance from an SIU Admissions Coordinator and SIU advisor.
- Access to SIU resources like [Morris Library](#), [The Writing Center](#) and more!

Remember, you must maintain good academic standing to remain part of the Saluki Step Ahead program. See your advisors and coordinators for more information.

### Semester 1 - REND LAKE COLLEGE

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ECON 2101	Principles of Economics	3
ENGL 1101	Rhetorics and Composition I	3
HEA 1101	Health Education	2
MATH 1108	College Algebra	3
ORIE 1101	Orientation	1.5
PHIL 2105	Non-Western Philosophy	3

### Semester 2 - REND LAKE COLLEGE

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ECON 2102	Principles of Economics II	3
ENGL 1102	Rhetoric and Composition II	3
MATH 2106	Finite Math	3
MATH 2115	Calculus for Business	4
PSYC 2101/SOCI 1101	Intro to Psychology or Intro to Sociology	3

### Semester 3 - REND LAKE COLLEGE

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ACCO 1101	Principles of Financial Accounting	4
BUSI 2107	Business Communication	3
COMM 1101	Principles of Effective Speaking	3
HUM/FA	IAI Humanities or Fine Arts Elective	3
LIFE SCI	IAI Life Science Elective	4

### Semester 4 - REND LAKE COLLEGE

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ACCO 1102	Principles of Managerial Accounting	4
BUSI 2105	Legal and Social Environment of Business	3
MATH 2103	Business Statistics	3
FINE ARTS	IAI Fine Arts Elective	3
PHY SCI	IAI Physical Science Elective	3

**TOTAL HOURS: REND LAKE COLLEGE**

64.5

### Semester 5 - SIU

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ACCT 321	Intermediate Accounting I (A)	3
ACCT 322	Intermediate Accounting II (B)	3
MGMT 345	Computer Information Systems	3
ACCT 360	Accounting Systems Operations (B)	3
MGMT 304	Introduction to Management	3
BUS 101	Open for Business (16 weeks)	2

### Semester 6 - SIU

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ACCT 341	Intro to Taxation (A)	3
ACCT 441	Advanced Tax (B)	3
FIN 330	Intro to Finance (A)	3
ACCT 421	Advanced Accounting (B)	3
BUS 202	Business Career Transitions (16 weeks)	2

### Semester 7 - SIU

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ACCT 331	Cost Accounting (A)	3
ACCT 431	Advanced Cost Accounting (B)	3
MGMT 318	Production-Operations Management (A)	3
MGMT 481	Administrative Policy (B)	3
MKTG 304	Principles of Marketing	3

### Semester 8 - SIU

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS
ACCT 460	Auditing (A)	3
CoBA Elective	300-400 Level ACCT, BSAN, ECON, HTEM, FIN, MGMT, MKTG, PADM	3
ACCT Elective	ACCT 411, 465, 468, 471, or 495 (B)	3
Elective	Elective (A or B)	3

### Additional- SIU AND REND LAKE COLLEGE

PREFIX	COURSE TITLE	HRS

**TOTAL HOURS: SIU**

58

**TOTAL OVERALL CREDIT HOURS:**

122.5

SIU is fully accredited by the AACSB and is a full member of the Federation of Schools of Accountancy.

