Georgia State University
BBA / MSISAC Program

This joint program provides the opportunity for a select number of undergraduate students to complete a Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) degree with a major in Accounting and a Master of Science in Information Systems Audit and Control (MSISAC).

Application Procedures

Undergraduate students in the BBA program must submit a statement of interest to indicate their desire to participate in the dual degree program. This statement of interest will typically be submitted with the student’s initial application to Georgia State University but may be submitted any time thereafter up through and including the fall semester of the sophomore year. It will serve to identify those eligible to participate in special pre-MSISAC programs, as well as receive academic advisement designed to help such students satisfy the requirements of their major in a compressed time frame. Because of these timing requirements, this program will not be available to transfer students.

Advisement

Students selected for this program will receive rigorous advising so that they successfully meet undergraduate graduation requirements and MSISAC entry requirements. Dual degree candidates must be accepted into and participate fully in the special pre-MSISAC advisory program for dual degree candidates, and must be selected for admission into the MSISAC component of the dual-degree program by the Robinson College of Business. 

Acceptance into and participation in the undergraduate advisory component of the dual BBA/MSISAC program does not guarantee acceptance into the MSISAC degree program by the Robinson College of Business.

Undergraduate Study

Participating students must maintain a 3.5 GPA, must be in good standing within the BBA – Accounting program, and must satisfy all courses specified for year one through three for their undergraduate major by the end of their junior year. By this time, participating students must have completed at least 90 hours of coursework applicable to the BBA and have satisfied other requirements necessary for their bachelor’s degree with the exception of the residency requirement and the requirement to complete a total of 120 hours. For participating students, these requirements will be satisfied with the successful completion of remaining coursework during their senior year, including up to 9 credit hours of courses required for the MSISAC degree that will also be applied to their BBA degree. Students will receive their Bachelor of Business Administration upon successful completion of that degree, normally at the end of their fourth year of study.
Graduate Study

By March of their junior year, participating students must take the GMAT exam and complete the application process required of all applicants to the MSISAC program. If determined to be qualified by admissions standards of the Robinson College of Business, students are provisionally admitted to the MSISAC program for the semester following the completion of the BBA program, contingent on maintaining the required 3.5 GPA and on performance in graduate-level courses taken during the bachelor’s degree. The Master of Science in Information Systems Audit and Control will be awarded upon successful completion of all requirements for that degree.