Accounting Pathway

EXPERIENCE. SUCCESS. ONE STACKABLE CREDENTIAL AT A TIME.

Career Pathways are an innovative model that connects progressive levels of education allowing you to build upon your education in increments. Along the way you develop job skills, have potential for higher earnings, and become more marketable to employers. WITC also has support services available to help you along the pathway, including Study Skills, Employment Services, Accommodations, Financial Aid, and others.

**WISCONSIN INDIANHEAD TECHNICAL COLLEGE PATHWAYS**

**Accounting Assistant**
- **Technical Diploma (one-year)** (part time options available)
- **CAMPUS** Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, Superior, Online
- **CREDITS** 13
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $1,906
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Payroll Assistant, Payroll Clerk, Accounts Receivable Clerk, Bookkeeper, Accounting Technician
- **POTENTIAL STARTING WAGES** $10.49 to $15.63 Hourly**
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** No Graduate Follow-Up Data Available; New Program

**Accounting**
- **Associate Degree (two-year)** (part time options available)
- **CAMPUS** Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, Superior, Online
- **CREDITS** 60
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $8,831
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Accounting Supervisor, Bookkeeper, Accounts Receivable Specialist, Accounts Payable Specialist, Payroll Specialist, Cost Accounting Specialist
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** No Graduate Follow-Up Data Available; New Program

**BEYOND WITC**

**Bachelor’s Degree**
- **Cardinal Stritch University**
- **Lakeland University+**
- **Northland College+**
- **UW Oshkosh**
- **UW - River Falls**
- **UW Stout**
- **UW Superior+**

**Important Notes on Transferring:**
- The colleges listed above have developed an Associate Degree to Bachelor Degree Articulation Agreement with WITC (the colleges with a + have a transfer agreement directly related to Accounting, other Bachelor Degree programs vary).
- Other colleges may accept WITC credits upon a transcript review.
- The Transfer Information Systems (TIS) allows students to review which WITC courses could be accepted at UW Colleges. Review website for details: www.wisconsin.edu/transfer
- If interested in continuing your education or transferring credits to other colleges, it is encouraged you talk to the Transfer Coordinator or Advisor at your transfer school as soon as you start thinking about the process.

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**Billing and Posting Clerk**
- **Technical Diploma (less than one-year)** (part time options available)
- **CAMPUS** Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, Superior, Online
- **CREDITS** 13
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $1,906
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Payroll Assistant, Payroll Clerk, Accounts Receivable Clerk, Bookkeeper, Accounting Technician
- **POTENTIAL STARTING WAGES** $10.49 to $15.63 Hourly**
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** No Graduate Follow-Up Data Available; New Program

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**Tax Preparer Assistant**
- **Pathway Certificate** (part time options available)
- **CAMPUS** Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, Superior, Online
- **CREDITS** 10
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $TBD*
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Income Tax Preparer, Tax Associate, Tax Preparer
- **POTENTIAL STARTING WAGES** $8.00 to $10.57 Hourly**
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** No Graduate Follow-Up Data Available; New Program

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**Accounting Assistant**
- **Technical Diploma (one-year)** (part time options available)
- **CAMPUS** Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, Superior, Online
- **CREDITS** 17
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $4,379
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Accounting Clerk, Accounts Receivable Clerk, Accounts Payable Clerk, Payroll Clerk, Tax Accounting Clerk
- **POTENTIAL STARTING WAGES** $27,038 to $37,437** Annually
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** Employed Within 6 Months 95%
- **Accounting Assistant Technical Diploma Certificate**
- **CREDITS** 10
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $TBD*
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Income Tax Preparer, Tax Associate, Tax Preparer
- **POTENTIAL STARTING WAGES** $8.00 to $10.57 Hourly**
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** No Graduate Follow-Up Data Available; New Program

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**Accounting**
- **Associate Degree (two-year)** (part time options available)
- **CAMPUS** Ashland, New Richmond, Rice Lake, Superior, Online
- **CREDITS** 60
- **ESTIMATED 2018-2019 TUITION** $8,831
- **POTENTIAL CAREERS** Accounting Supervisor, Bookkeeper, Accounts Receivable Specialist, Accounts Payable Specialist, Payroll Specialist, Cost Accounting Specialist
- **WITC 2017 GRADUATES** No Graduate Follow-Up Data Available; New Program

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注：2016-2017学年的学费信息。如果您完成了先前的课程并将其转移至更高级别的课程，您的费用可能会有所变化。请与WITC职员讨论有关费用的问题。学费是一个估计值，不包括任何课程费用、书籍、工具、制服等。课程费用会根据课程选择和购买的地点而变化。

**Wage and employment data is compiled from the 2017 WITC or 2016 Wisconsin Technical Collge System (WTCS) Graduate Follow-Up Report; if not available, wage data is derived from the wage data compiled through Economic modeling software int’l (Emsi) based on the WITC county region and the SOC codes assigned through the WTCS. The wage data presented is a range from the 10th and 25th percentile earnings in December 2017 and may include the lowest wage level from the WITC or WTCS Graduate Follow-Up Report parent programs. Educational decisions should not be entirely based on the wage data presented as wages are subject to error and sampling bias. Some people may be hired at a lower or higher starting wage than what is reported here. Annual salaries, from Emsi data, are based on a 40 hour work week over 52 weeks (2080 hours). Billing and Posting Clerk wages were determined based on additional input from the advisory committee.
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PATHWAYS TO WITC:

START COLLEGE IN HIGH SCHOOL
Take dual credit or advanced standing courses in high school. To find out what courses are available at your high school, go to: WITC.EDU and enter “Dual Credit” in the search button. Click on your high school. Additional opportunities may be available through AP courses, ITV Programming, or High School Academies.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT CENTER
Basic Education Courses: Basic Education Communication, Basic Education Reading, Basic Education Math
General Studies Courses: Writing Foundations, Reading Foundations, Math Foundations
Additional Academic Support Services Include: GED/HSED Preparation, Study Skills Strategies, Test Taking Strategies, Peer Tutoring, Personal Readiness, Career Exploration, (ELL) English Language Learner, Computer Literacy

CREDIT FOR PRIOR LEARNING
National Exams (AP, CLEP, DSST, IB) or Industry Credentials
Work/Life Learning, Challenge Exams, Military, Credit from Other Colleges
For specifics on Credit for Prior Learning Options, please go to WITC.EDU and enter “Credit for Prior Learning” in the search button

Getting Started is Simple:
Associate Degree or Technical Diploma (Full or Part-Time):
• Apply Online at witc.edu/apply
• Schedule and Attend an Admissions Meeting

Take one class: Register during Open Enrollment (no application required). Depending upon the course, you may be required to assess or submit other eligible college entrance scores.
Certificate: Apply (no fee) and Register for courses

Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made to ensure access to academic programs, activities, services and employment in accordance with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Amendments Act of 2008 (ADAA). For more details and to contact an Accommodations Specialist go online: WWW.WITC.EDU/stusvcs/disability.htm

Class Formats Offered
To view specific class times within the programs:
1. Go to WWW.WITC.EDU
2. Click on “Find a Class” on the top of the webpage
3. Search for courses

Not all classes within this program are available in every format offered at WITC. Some class options available for this program include In-Person, Online, ITV, flex, and Your Choice.

Upcoming Start Dates
FALL 2019: August 26, 2019
SPRING 2020: January 20, 2020

Financial Assistance
Financial Aid (FAFSA stands for Free Application for Federal Student Aid, including loans, grants, and workstudy): www.fafsa.ed.gov
WITC Scholarships: WWW.WITC.EDU; enter “scholarships” in the search button
WITC Promise Scholarship: Tuition assistance for qualifying high school graduates

There are agencies that may be able to provide financial support for tuition, books, tools, gas, and/or childcare based on income and other qualifying factors. To find out more, please contact an Admissions Advisor for an “Education Referral Document”, which includes a full list of all available agency resources in your county of residence. Individuals are often required to complete the FAFSA prior to receiving funding from many of the agencies.

2018-2019 Cost Per Credit
(WI and MN Residents) $148/credit. (plus books and supplies)
Online courses are an additional $10/credit

Contact a WITC Admissions Advisor and Get Started:
Ashland: 800.243.9482 extension 3195
New Richmond: 800.243.9482 extension 4339
Rice Lake: 800.243.9482 extension 5220
Superior: 800.243.9482 extension 6243
E-mail: admissionadvisors@WITC.EDU

Please call 800.243.9482 or email: admissionadvisors@WITC.EDU to speak with an Admissions Advisor to get started

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