If you are required to take Accounting in your acceptance letter, or if you would like a review of Accounting material, we suggest that you take the Financial Accounting On-line Course.

This introductory online course is an on-line, web-based, interactive introduction to financial accounting. The course is designed to help students understand 1) basic financial accounting and concepts 2) the financial statements that firms use to describe their business, 3) the approach used to construct the financial statements and 4) some simple ratios that capture key elements of firm performance. After completing the course, students should be able to understand many of the fundamental financial accounting issues and challenges faced by managers today.

The course is designed as an interactive learning experience. To make the material realistic and engaging, it is presented in the context of a new business, Global Grocer, a retailer specializing in gourmet foods and condiments, unusual spices, and specialty kitchen implements from all over the world. The course describes the key business activities for Global Grocer, including its set-up and subsequent operations. It then shows students how Global Grocer’s business activities are recorded and captured in its financial statements using a combination of voice, graphics, and test. Students are encouraged to practice applying their learning throughout the course using the many practice problems included. Finally, at the end of the course, students will test their learning using the post-test.

**Estimated completion time:** The time students take to complete the course varies. Some students will take between three to five hours. Students with little to no exposure to accounting should expect to take about ten hours to complete the course and related tests.

**Note:** to complete this requirement for admission, you must score above the 70% on the post-test. If you do not score 70%, you will be required to re-review the material and take an additional post-test.

**Accounting Registration Instructions**

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1) Enter your email address and click GO (The Sponsor Code should already be pre-populated with or emory110906)

2) Create a username and password, enter your first and last names, and click CONTINUE (again, the Sponsor Code should be pre-populated with emory110906)

3) From your Launch Pad, click on Program Catalog over on the left side or your screen

4) Click on the title of the program you wish to view

**PLEASE REMEMBER**
- The above URL is for initial sign on only
- Once you have completed this initial sign in, and for all subsequent uses of this course, please use and bookmark: www.elearning.hbsp.org and sign in with your Username and Password on right side of main page.
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