

## 2009 FULL-TIME DAY MAc COHORT

GGU will start its **full-time, Master of Accountancy** (MAc) cohort at the end of July 2009. Students with at least 3 units of financial accounting and 6 units of intermediate financial accounting are eligible to participate. Those without these courses can become eligible through a 7-week intensive session running June 8 - July 30.

The new cohort is modeled after the highly successful full-time day Master of Science in Taxation program, which is entering its 13<sup>th</sup> year. They will both operate on the same schedule.

### **7-Week Intensive Session:**

Term I (June 8 – June 24):

50 Financial Accounting for Accounting Majors

Term II (June 26 – July 13):

100A Intermediate Accounting I

Term III (July 15 – July 30):

100B Intermediate Accounting II

### **Course Schedule:**

Term I:

300 Accounting Research & Communication

351A Economics, Finance and International Business for Accountants

351B Business Law, Professional Responsibility, and Ethics for Accountants

Term II:

310 Auditing

351C Communication and Analysis of Financial Information for Accountants

360 Tax I

Term III:

305      Advanced Financial Accounting

Internship (usually six units for full time employment)

Term IV:

320      Issues in Modern Management Accounting

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Throughout the MAc, students will have many opportunities to interact with elite professionals. One forum is our Expert Lecture Series, in which leading professionals speak to practitioners who enjoy lunch while earning continuing professional education credit. Day MAc students are provided complimentary access to these events. GGU also has an Accounting Club where students can socialize and learn more about the profession.

One of the principal features of the MAc cohort is the opportunity to participate in the same benchmark-quality job placement program featured in the full-time day MS Tax. In over 2 dozen sessions offered between morning and afternoon classes, leaders from the profession will work with students in sessions designed to develop their professional personas and job-seeking skills, expand their understanding of accounting career opportunities, and heighten their awareness of the key issues facing the profession. On September 25, the Accounting Career Fair kicks off the interviewing season, with 30-40 employers striving to interest students in their organizations. Many students will have positions by Thanksgiving; most will be placed before Christmas.

Please contact the School of Accounting, at 415-442-6559 or [accounting@ggu.edu](mailto:accounting@ggu.edu), about joining the full-time Master of Accountancy cohort. An advisor will be happy to help you.

Remember the following start dates:

June 7:      Special 6-week session to prepare non-accountants to enter the cohort