## **Bachelor of Science in Accountancy (BSA)**

Academic Year 2018 – 2019 Reference CMOs: CMO No. 27, s.2017, CMO 4, s.2018 and CMO 20, s. 2013

## **Curriculum Description**

The BS Accountancy program provides general accounting education to students wanting to pursue a professional career in Accountancy in general and in Public Accounting in particular. This prepares students in various careers which involve assurance and audit services for statutory financial reporting, tax-related services, management advisory services partnering in management decision-making, devising planning and performance and control systems, and providing expertise in financial reporting and control to assist various stakeholders in making decisions.

## **Program Objectives**

To produce accounting professionals who:

- 1. Resolve business issues and problems with a global and strategic perspective using knowledge and technical proficiency in the areas of financial accounting and reporting, cost accounting and management, accounting and control, taxation and accounting information systems.
- 2. Conduct accountancy research through independent studies of relevant literature and appropriate use of accounting theory and methodologies.
- 3. Employ technology as a business tool in capturing financial and non-financial information, generating reports and making decisions.
- 4. Apply knowledge and skills that will successfully respond to various types of assessments (including professional licensure and certifications).
- 5. Confidently maintain a commitment to good corporate citizenship social responsibility and ethical practice in performing functions as an accountant.

## **Program Outcomes**

Students of BS Accountancy should be able to:

- 1. Record financial transactions in compliance with generally accepted accounting and reporting and reporting standards (both global and local) for sole proprietorships, partnerships, corporations, government and not-for-profit organizations.
- 2. Prepare Accountancy reports such as budgets and business plans using appropriate framework.
- 3. Conduct financial and operational audits of all types of business enterprise and not-for-profit organization.
- 4. Prepare individual and corporate income tax returns and conduct basic tax planning in compliance with relevant legislations and regulations.
- 5. Perform cost-benefit analysis for management decisions.
- 6. Design and implement a management control system and performance system.
- 7. Communicate effectively the results of financial analysis.
- 8. Design an appropriate research plan.
- 9. Prepare a critical review of related literature.

- 10. Analyze results of study and discuss implications and contributions to body of knowledge.
- 11. Present findings and conclusions of the study.
- 12. Communicate effectively the recommendations.
- 13. Customize an accounting software to a particular business entity.
- 14. Develop a financial model using a spreadsheet software.
- 15. Analyze the performance of a particular business entity using appropriate accounting software tools and functions.
- 16. Perform accounting-related work in actual workplace based on pre-set standards.
- 17. Pass licensure examinations or qualify for professional accreditations/certifications.
- 18. Promote adherence to legitimate and acceptable ethical objectives of an organization.
- 19. Communicate limitations or other constraints that would preclude responsible judgment or successful performance of an activity such as in the practicum or on-the-job training.