



BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMME

# Accounting

In English

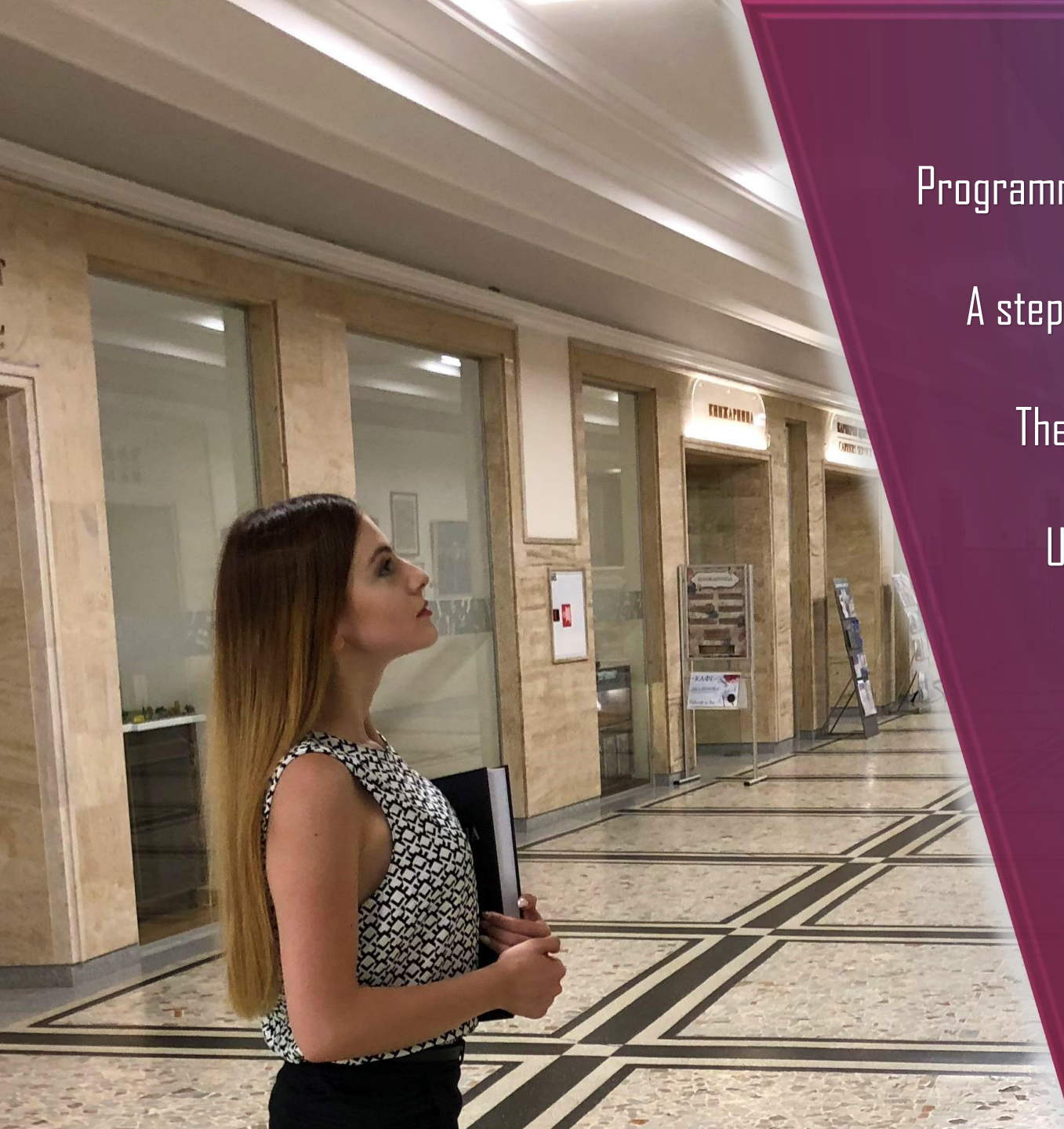
Prepare yourself to obtain  
certificates by the top international  
professional organizations!



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# Programme's Overview

**Degree:** *Bachelor in Economics* **Duration:** *4 years* **Type of programme:** *Full-time* **Language:** *English*

The main objective of this programme is to provide graduates with the knowledge and skills necessary for careers in accounting, analysis and auditing of business. The program is developed according to the current syllabuses of the top professional organizations in accounting – ACCA and CIMA as graduates may further apply for diplomas from mentioned institutions.

Career opportunities upon graduation all over the world:

Accountants, Management Accountants, Financial Controllers, Corporate Controllers, Payroll Administrators, Financial Directors, Financial Analysts, Tax Specialists, Auditors, Finance Business Partners, Office managers, Managers and Owners of accounting, auditing, consulting and any other companies, public entities, non for profit organizations.

# Programme's Overview

## Year 1

1st Semester

1. Microeconomics
2. Applied Mathematics
3. Informatics
4. Physical Education (Sports)
5. Elective subject (1 of):

English  
German  
French  
Russian  
Bulgarian language as foreign

2nd Semester

6. Macroeconomics
7. Principles of Law
8. Management
9. Academic Research
10. Physical Education (Sports)
11. Elective subject (1 of):

English  
German  
French  
Russian  
Bulgarian language as foreign

## Year 2

3rd Semester

12. Introduction to Finance
13. Accounting Theory
14. Marketing
15. Physical Education (Sports)
16. Elective subject (1 of):

Labour Economics  
Career Development  
Commercial Correspondence  
Economic Psychology  
European Studies  
Business History  
Philosophical Culture

4th Semester

17. Physical Education (Sports)
18. Introduction to Statistics
19. Elective subject (1 of):

Entrepreneurship  
Environmental Economics  
Business Logistics  
Financial Accounting  
Planning and Forecasting  
Project Management  
Financial Innovations  
Behavioral Economics

20. Elective subject (1 of):

Economics of the Enterprise  
Introduction to Trade  
Internet Technologies  
Quality and Safety of Goods  
Commercial Law  
Risk Management  
Statistical Software  
Innovation and Patents

21. Financial Accounting for Accountants

## Year 3

5th Semester

22. Management Accounting 1
23. Financial Control and Internal Control
24. Personal Taxation
25. Elective subject (1 of):

Intellectual Property  
Business Negotiations  
Intercultural Competence and Leadership

6th Semester

26. International Accounting Standards
27. Finance Function in a Digital World
28. Labour and Social Insurance Law
29. Elective subject (1 of):

National Accounting Standards  
Business Consulting  
Event Management

## Programme's structure

### Year 4

7th Semester

30. Management Accounting 2
31. Financial Reports
32. Research Methods in Accounting
33. Elective subject (1 of):

E-business and Online Entrepreneurship  
Business Information Systems  
Comparative Economic Systems

8th Semester

34. Audit and Assurance
35. Company Taxation
36. Financial Analysis
37. Graduate Seminar – Accounting

Core Subjects

University Specialized Subjects

Specialized Subjects



# A step up to the best

The programme prepares students according to the current syllabuses of the top professional organizations in accounting – ACCA and CIMA, so graduates can further apply for diplomas from these institutions.

[The Association of Chartered Certified Accountants](#) (ACCA) is one of the world's most influential and largest accounting professional bodies with 233,000 fully qualified members and 536,000 future members worldwide. The ACCA qualification has a practical and theoretical focus, providing you with an advanced understanding and specialist knowledge in accountancy. Designed with consideration of the increased focus on professionalism and ethics within accounting, there is a strong focus on professional values, ethics and governance throughout. The flexibility of this qualification means there are a wide range of opportunities available to ACCA members in the business world. Graduates can pursue opportunities in general management in the public and private sectors, specializing in areas such as audit, taxation or Information technology.

B.Sc. Accounting is the first bachelor program in Bulgaria accredited by ACCA, which is the global professional accounting body offering the Chartered Certified Accountant qualification. Headquartered in London. The programme has secured six-papers exemptions from examination papers at the ACCA (Association of Chartered Certified Accountants) Qualification.



# A step up to the best



[The Chartered Institute of Management Accountants](#) (CIMA), is the world's leading and largest professional body of management accountants, with over 696,000 members, students and engaged professionals operating in 177 countries, working at the heart of business. CIMA members and students work in industry, commerce, the public sector and not-for-profit organizations. CIMA works closely with employers and sponsors leading-edge research, constantly updating its qualification, professional experience requirements and continuing professional development to ensure it remains the employers' choice when recruiting financially-trained business leaders.

Accounting in English is the first accredited by CIMA bachelor's programme in Bulgaria. The graduates can submit their diploma supplements and graduation diploma to receive their exemptions from sitting some CIMA exams from [CIMA Qualification Framework](#).

Accreditations by the both organizations put stamps of approval on bachelor programme Accounting. They also benefit students by showing that they have studied at a level that meets standards which were developed by experts in the field. Students choosing this programme would gain a competitive edge in the jobs market. Students who wish to pursue a professional accountancy qualification on completion of their academic studies are now able to obtain an accelerated route to ACCA and/or CIMA membership.

# The key benefits

## Key benefits of this programme

- ✓ Prepare yourself to obtain international certificates by CIMA and ACCA - the top international professional organizations, which have accredited the programme
- ✓ Enjoy affordable high quality bachelor education in an EU country
- ✓ Get ready for diverse career opportunities all over the world
- ✓ Experience dynamic and multicultural learning environment

## Advantages of obtaining Accounting Bachelor degree and the ACCA and /or CIMA diplomas

- ✓ Opportunity to use the designator letters BA and continue education at a master level anywhere in the world
- ✓ Advantage to become a fast track Certified Accountant or Certified Management Accountant, use the designator letters ACCA or/and CIMA, and work in accounting, auditing, finance , management in any business
- ✓ Better employment prospects with academic and professional degree
- ✓ Proven skills necessary to progress to more senior management positions
- ✓ Higher status for employers judgment and clients evaluation





# *University of Economics – Varna : Past and present*

University of Economics - Varna was established as Bulgaria's first Higher School of Commerce following the industrial and cultural boom at the turn of the 20<sup>th</sup> century and the ever growing need for business training. In 1911 Varna Chamber of Commerce and Industry management started planning the establishment of the Higher School of Commerce, whose launch was voted on 14 May 1920 at the Chamber's 25<sup>th</sup> session. This date is considered the onset of Bulgaria's higher economic education.

Today the university is an accredited educational and research institution certified with ISO 9001:2015. In 2018, as proof of the university growing reputation, Bulgaria's National Evaluation and Accreditation Agency awarded University of Economics – Varna the top grade of 9.28 for institutional accreditation, fully acknowledging this HEI educational quality and its compliance with Bulgaria's Higher Education Act.

University of Economics – Varna supports educational and research exchange projects with international academic centres. It establishes and maintains international contacts and liaises with almost 190 universities internationally. It has been a partner HEI in a range of mobility exchange programmes, such as ERASMUS+, CEEPUS, TEMPUS, etc. Over five per cent of UE – Varna students complete work placements and internships internationally.

Over 300 international students from 52 countries are currently pursuing their degrees at UE – Varna. We are partners with 258 universities from 45 countries and we are one of the three locations (along with Valencia and Toulouse) for UK's Nottingham Business School work placements. We have over 1,800 corporate and public admin partners.





# University of Economics – Varna : Modern conditions



In 2011 University of Economics – Varna library was awarded the "Library of the Year" Prix by the Bulgarian Library and Information Association. Today the university library is one of country's top state-of-the-art libraries boasting over 350,000 library items and a subscription to the best professional electronic databases.

Sports centre accommodates five indoor sports training facilities: a large volleyball and basketball court, a volleyball and gymnastics court also used for concert choreography and training, a training basketball court, a table tennis room and a gym.

University of Economics – Varna offers its students a huge range of cultural events such as theatre performances, music concerts, movie screenings and dance performances in its new and modern university hall, built in 2011.

The university has modern canteens and cozy cafeterias for the students.



# Varna - The Sea Capital of Bulgaria



Live in Varna is the sea capital of Bulgaria with many foreign students and wonderful conditions for social life. The university is located in its heart!

In comparison with other EU countries, life in Bulgaria is quite inexpensive. The average monthly cost of living in Varna is around 520 €.

City	Rank Cost of Living Plus Rent Index	A single person monthly costs without rent
Odesa, Ukraine	17.6	362.60 €
Varna, Bulgaria	25.5	519.20 €
Brasov, Romania	25.6	519.70 €
Constanta, Romania	27.3	566.90 €
Budapest, Hungary	33.6	648.40 €
Vienna, Austria	45.0	822.90 €
Rome, Italy	49.5	842.00 €
Munich, Germany	58.4	983.00 €
London, United Kingdom	71.6	1,050.80 €
Oslo, Norway	62.3	1,078.30 €

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Source: <https://www.numbeo.com>

## FACTS ABOUT BULGARIA

Location: Eastern Europe  
Capital city: Sofia  
Member of: EU, NATO, WTO  
Population: 7 million  
Currency: Bulgarian lev (BGN)  
Official language: Bulgarian





How to apply?

Click  
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