

### Neumann University Program Assessment Plan

<b>Program Name: Accounting MS (Emphasis: Forensic and Fraud Detection)</b>	<b>Submitted by: Janet Massey</b>
<b>School of Business</b>	<b>3-Year Cycle Span: AY 21/22 to 23/24</b>

<b>Student Learning Outcome</b> Upon successful completion of the MS in Accounting program, the student will:	<b>LO 1</b> Demonstrate the knowledge of basic principles of audit risk, forensic accounting techniques, fraud detection, interviewing techniques, legal issues, and tax fraud relative to fraud detection and forensic accounting.  Bloom: Analyze and Apply	<b>LO 2</b> Explain the practices of fraud detection and forensics in accounting through personal and professional values-based ethics, and the Franciscan Intellectual Tradition (Neuman RISES).  Bloom: Apply and Evaluate	<b>LO 3</b> Demonstrate application of information security strategy and cyber forensic investigations.  Bloom: Apply and Understand	<b>LO 4</b> Demonstrate scholarship and competence through effective oral and written communication both individually and as a team member.  Bloom: Create and Apply
<b>Core Learning Outcome(s):</b>	Comprehension	Comprehension Contemplation Conscience Compassion	Comprehension	Comprehension Communication
<b>Related IDEA Objective(s):</b>	ACT 510: 1 (E); 3,8(I) ACT 520: 1,9 (E);4,5 (I) ACT 550:1,9(E);4,5(I) ACT 560: 1,10 (E); 3,5,8 (I) ACT 580:1(E);5,8,13(I) ACT 640: 3,10 (E)4,8(I) ACT 660: 1(E);3,4,9(I) ACT 680: 9(E);1,8(I)	ACT 510: 1 (E); 3,8(I) ACT540:1,13(E);9,10(I) ACT 560: 1,10 (E); 3,5,8 (I) ACT 640: 3,10 (E)4,8(I) ACT 660: 1(E);3,4,9(I) ACT 680: 9(E);1,8(I)	ACT 520: 1,9 (E);4,5 (I) ACT 526 1E; 3,13I ACT540:1,13(E);9,10(I) ACT 680: 9(E);1,8(I)	ACT 510: 1 (E); 3,8(I) ACT 520: 1,9 (E);4,5 (I) ACT 526 1E; 3,13I ACT 550:1,9(E);4,5(I) ACT 560: 1,10 (E); 3,5,8 (I) ACT 580:1(E);5,8,13(I) ACT 640:3,10 (E)4,8(I) ACT 660: 1(E);3,4,9(I) ACT 680: 9(E);1,8(I)
<b>Course Mapping</b>	Formative: ACT 510 ACT 520 ACT 550 ACT 560  Summative: ACT 580 ACT 640 ACT 660 ACT 680	Formative: ACT 510 ACT540: ACT560 Summative: ACT 640 ACT 660 ACT 680	Formative: ACT 520 ACT 526  Summative: ACT540 ACT 680	Formative: ACT 510 ACT 520 ACT 526 ACT 550 ACT 560  Summative: ACT 580 ACT 640 ACT 660 ACT 680
<b>Academic Year for Assessment:</b>	<b>AY 21/22</b>	<b>AY 22/23</b>	<b>AY 22/23</b>	<b>AY 23/24</b>

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<p><b>Formative Assessment</b></p>	<p><b>ACT 510 Topic Specific Presentation</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 520 Group Research Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 560 Class Examinations</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the examinations</p> <p><b>ACT 550 Criminal Evidence Portfolio</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p>	<p><b>ACT 510 Ethics Reflection component of Fraud Movie Night Assignment</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Self Reflection Rubric and the RISES value checklist</i></p> <p><b>ACT 540 Reflection Paper</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Self Reflection Rubric and the RISES value checklist</i></p> <p><b>ACT 560 Group Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p>	<p><b>ACT 520 Discussion Board Assignment</b> 70% of students will participate in the discussion and score 70% or higher on the <i>DB Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 526 Class Examinations</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the examinations</p>	<p><b>ACT 510 Fraud of the Day Presentation</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 520 Group Research Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 526 Research Paper</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 550 Case Analysis and Presentation (Group)</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 560 Group Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p>
<p><b>Summative Assessment</b></p> <p><b>Summative (continued)</b></p>	<p><b>ACT 580 Group Project Industry Analysis Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 640 Mock Interview Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 660 CPA Review Questions</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 680 Interviewing Professionals Project</b></p>	<p><b>ACT640 Ethical Reflection Component of Case Analysis</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 660 Fraud/Ethics Reviews</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 680 Ethics Research Paper</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p>	<p><b>ACT 540 Individual Homework assignments and examinations.</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the assignments.</p> <p><b>ACT 680 Discussion Board Assignment</b> 70% of students will participate in the discussion and score 70% or higher on the <i>DB Rubric</i></p>	<p><b>ACT 580 Group Project Industry Analysis Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 640 Mock Interview Project</b> 70% of students will score 70% or higher on the <i>Content Relevant Rubric</i></p> <p><b>ACT 660 ACFE Presentation</b></p>

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<b>Indirect Evidence: IDEA Student Ratings of Instruction</b>	In 70% of courses where objectives are noted as Essential or Important, at least 70% of students will rate themselves as making Moderate Progress or better	In 70% of courses where objectives are noted as Essential or Important, at least 70% of students will rate themselves as making Moderate Progress or better	In 70% of courses where objectives are noted as Essential or Important, at least 70% of students will rate themselves as making Moderate Progress or better	In 70% of courses where objectives are noted as Essential or Important, at least 70% of students will rate themselves as making Moderate Progress or better

### **LO 1 Demonstrate the knowledge of basic principles of audit risk, forensic accounting techniques, fraud detection, interviewing techniques, legal issues, and tax fraud relative to fraud detection and forensic accounting.**

- Objective 1.1 Evaluate legal principles and issues within the investigation of accounting fraud.
- Objective 1.2 Apply the science of forensics to financial statement analysis using proper fraud terminology.
- Objective 1.3 Apply fraud terminology, fraud detection, tax fraud and white-collar crime techniques
- Objective 1.4 Identify the rules of evidence and Civil Procedure as they relate to successful forensic and expert testimony
- Objective 1.5 apply methods to determine commercial or economic damages
- Objective 1.6 Locate current forensic accounting content and resources available from a myriad of public and private sources

### **LO 2 Explain the practices of fraud detection and forensics in accounting through personal and professional values-based ethics, and the Franciscan Intellectual Tradition (Neuman RISES).**

- Objective 2.1 Integrate the elements of critical thinking and ethical theory relative to forensic accounting and fraud detection while applying the Neumann RISES values
- Objective 2.2 Apply faith-based ethical reasoning to cases involving fraud

### **LO 3 Demonstrate application of information security strategy and cyber forensic investigations.**

- Objective 3.1 Understand the role and importance of digital forensics
- Objective 3.2 Understand the practice of write-protection and data acquisition
- Objective 3.3 Understand the importance of file system analysis in data recovery.
- Objective 3.4 Demonstrate the theoretical and practical perspectives of digital forensics

### **LO 4 Demonstrate scholarship and competence through effective oral and written communication both individually and as a team member.**

- Objective 4.1 Effectively deliver formal presentations before a live audience
- Objective 4.2 Work effectively as members and leaders within diverse and interdependent groups to achieve goals.
- Objective 4.3 Create scholarly reports and fraud research guides using appropriate academic and research resources