

Business Department Mission Statement

The Business Department of Southern WV Community and Technical College is committed to educating and providing a skilled workforce for our regional economy. This will be accomplished by providing contemporary programs that will assist and guide the students in achieving their career goals and objectives. The mission is fostered by faculty and staff dedicated to:

- Excellence in teaching
- Offering quality programs that reflect the diverse and dynamic workplace
- Creating and maintaining a stimulating learning environment for students, faculty, and the community
- Involvement in the economic and business development of the service region
- Lifelong learning

Business Department Objectives

Upon review, the department's programs and faculty/staff will demonstrate: A continual responsibility to the instruction of students. Support of this effort will be attempted through academic standards, hiring, appraisal and promotion of faculty, resource allocation, and service to students. The department will deliver a blend of basic program knowledge and skills, a broad, reasoned general education, and a specialization area to provide for student career choices.

Business Accounting Program Outcomes

1. Record financial transactions with accuracy for a variety of businesses and business- related organizations using GAAP approved methods.
2. Prepare unbiased financial statements for a variety of organizations that communicate the financial health and standing of the organization.
3. Analyze the data contained in the financial statements, and communicate recommendations and possible solutions to stakeholders and decision makers.
4. Implement and enforce internal controls designed to ensure efficient and proper use of funds.
5. Perform duties ethically, avoiding conflicts of interest, and maintaining confidence in the Accounting profession.