

Historical Overview of the Accounting Department

College of Administration and Economics – University of Mosul

The Accounting Department at the College of Administration and Economics – University of Mosul was established in the academic year 1985–1986, in response to the need to prepare scientifically and professionally qualified personnel specializing in accounting and auditing. The department aims to equip students with the knowledge and skills necessary to address various accounting problems in government institutions and the private sector.

As part of its efforts to expand opportunities for accounting education and provide access to a wider range of individuals seeking to continue their higher education, the department introduced evening studies in Accounting Sciences in the academic year 1996–1997. This initiative provided an opportunity for employees of government departments and others to pursue and complete their university education.

The department has continued its academic journey by developing its educational and scientific programs and offering diverse specializations in accounting. These programs include undergraduate studies in Accounting Sciences through both morning and evening programs, in addition to postgraduate programs, including the Higher Diploma in Accounting, the Master's Degree in Accounting Sciences, and the PhD in Accounting.

The Accounting Department plays an important role in preparing scientifically and professionally qualified accounting personnel and supplying government institutions and the private sector with specialists in accounting, auditing, governmental accounting, cost accounting, and managerial accounting. It also contributes to supporting scientific research, developing accounting knowledge, and keeping pace with scientific and professional developments in the field of accounting, thereby enhancing the quality of the educational process and serving the community.

The department continues to fulfill its academic mission by emphasizing the quality of education, developing students' theoretical and practical skills, encouraging research activities, and working to develop its programs in line with labor market requirements and modern developments in the accounting profession.