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Welcome to Oakland University's Online Undergraduate Catalog

The online catalog management system (Acalog™) provide both current and prospective members of the campus community with detailed information about Oakland University's academic programs.

These virtual, fully interactive program guides offer great information for students and faculty interested in quickly finding the academic program information they need.

The online catalog will provide students the most up-to-date information and a wide number of tools to support their work with student advisors. The catalog is designed to be user-friendly and accustomed to getting what they're looking for at the top of the page.

Students are able to take advantage of the portfolio management system to identify departments, programs, and courses that meet their requirements. **with an adviser to ensure your information is relevant.**

To learn more, please review the [Catalog User Guide](#) and the following tutorials:

- [Tutorial 1—How to find courses](#)
- [Tutorial 2—How to find programs](#)
- [Tutorial 3—Utilizing My Portfolio](#)

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Previous printed catalogs are available in PDF format [click here](#).

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See left column to select areas of the catalog: information items, schools, departments, programs, courses, etc.

Browsing

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the '2011-2012 Undergraduate Catalog' page for 'Academic Policies and Procedures'. The page features a left sidebar with a 'CATALOG SEARCH' section and a list of navigation links. The main content area includes a 'HELP' button, a 'Print-Friendly Page' link, and two columns of bulleted links. A callout box with a black border and white text points to the 'Academic Policies and Procedures' link in the sidebar, stating 'page menu also available for quick access'. The browser's address bar shows the URL 'https://oakland.acalogadmin.com/preview/content.php?catoid=9&navoid=98&preview'. The Windows taskbar at the bottom shows the date as 8/19/2011 and the time as 8:37 AM.

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Student Responsibility
Students are expected to learn all general requirements of their program. Students are responsible for meeting all requirements and for understanding the facilities and staffing limitations require that certain professional standing. Where such limits exist, the principal admission office will provide assistance for major standing. Additional information concerning appropriate the individual program descriptions elsewhere in this catalog.

Academic Advising
The role and mission of faculty and professional academic advisers is to help students understand academic, career and life goals and establish plans to achieve them. Advising and evaluation, whereby advisers assist students in identifying their strengths and weaknesses and making decisions.

Full-time professional academic advisers are available to assist students in understanding program admission requirements and enrollment limitations, as well as university and degree requirements, students should consult with professional advisers and/or faculty advisers. While students receive initial advising assistance in orientation, they are encouraged to seek individual assistance as early in their programs as possible and to see their

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Course Navigation

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Manage Courses

Course Filter

Filter this list of courses using course prefix, course code, keywords or any combination.

Prefix: ACC Code: [e.g. "101"] Type: Select... Keyword or Phrase: [e.g. "biology"]

Show only active courses. Find whole word or phrase only.

Filter Reset

[Add a new course](#) or select a course to edit from the list below.

Course Name	Status	FlashPoint™	Link
ACC 200 - Introductory Financial Accounting [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 210 - Managerial and Cost Accounting I [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 300 - Survey of Accounting [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 301 - Financial Reporting and Analysis [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 310 - Intermediate Financial Accounting I [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 311 - Intermediate Financial Accounting II [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 318 - Accounting Information Systems: Planning and Analysis [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 320 - Managerial and Cost Accounting II [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 399 - Achieve III - Accounting [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 401 - Advanced Financial Accounting [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]

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Descriptions

The screenshot shows the acalog ACMSI Publisher interface in a Mozilla Firefox browser. The browser address bar shows the URL <https://oakland.acalogadmin.com/courses/index.php>. The page title is "acalog ACMSI Publisher" and the user is logged in as "ifox / Logout".

The interface has a green sidebar on the left with a navigation menu containing the following items:

- Publisher Home
- User Accounts
- Account Types
- Catalogs
- Gateway Options
- Gateway & Content
- PermaLink Usage
- Item Types
- Hierarchy
- Programs & Cores
- Courses**
- FlashPoint™ Links
- Version Auditing
- Courses Import
- Export
- Remote Services
- Portfolio Options
- Portfolio Accounts

The main content area is titled "Manage Courses" and includes a "Course Filter" section with the following fields:

- Prefix: ACC
- Code: [e.g. "101"]
- Type: Select...
- Keyword or Phrase: [e.g. "biology"]
- Show only active courses.
- Find whole word or phrase only.

Below the filter is a button labeled "Filter" and "Reset". A message reads: "Add a new course or select a course to edit from the list below." Below this is a table of courses:

Course Name	Status	FlashPoint™	Link
ACC 200 - Introductory Financial Accounting [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 210 - Managerial and Cost Accounting [Preview]	Active	None	[New Link]
ACC 300 - Survey of Accounting			
ACC 301 - Financial Reporting			
ACC 310 - Intermediate Financial Accounting			
ACC 311 - Intermediate Financial Accounting			
ACC 318 - Accounting Information Systems			
ACC 320 - Managerial and Cost Accounting			
ACC 399 - Achieve III - Accounting			
ACC 401 - Advanced Financial Accounting			

The page footer indicates "Page: 1 | 2" and "© 2011 Oakland University. Powered by the acalog system." A callout box with a black border and white background points to the "ACC 200 - Introductory Financial Accounting" link in the table. The callout box contains the text: "click on the course title for course description".

Programs (Majors, Minors, Concentrations)

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Bachelor of Arts

- Anthropology, B.A.
- Art History, B.A.
- Biology, B.A.
- Chemistry, B.A.
- Cinema Studies, B.A.
- Communication, B.A.
- Dance, B.A.
- Economics, B.A.
- English, B.A.
- History, B.A.
- International Relations, B.A.
- International Studies, B.A.
- Journalism, B.A.
- Latin American Language and Civilization
- Liberal Studies, B.A.
- Linguistics, B.A.
- Mathematics, B.A.
- Modern Language and Literatures Majors
- Music, B.A.
- Philosophy, B.A.
- Physics, B.A.
- Political Science, B.A.
- Psychology, B.A.

click on the program title for program requirements

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Requirements

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Oakland University ACMS website. The main page is titled "2011-2012 Undergraduate Catalog" and "Programs". A sidebar on the left contains a navigation menu with items like "Catalog Home", "Introduction", "Academic Advising Index", "Academic Calendar", "Academic Policies and Procedures", "Campus Map", "General Information", "Offices of the University", "University Faculty", "University Library", "College of Arts and Sciences", "School of Business Administration", "School of Education and Human Services", "School of Engineering and Computer Science", "School of Health Sciences", "School of Nursing", and "Bachelor of Integrative Studies".

The main content area shows a list of programs under "Bachelor of Arts":

- Anthropology, B.A.
- Art History, B.A.
- Biology, B.S.
- Chemistry, B.S.
- Cinema, B.A.
- Communication, B.A.
- Dance, B.A.
- Economics, B.A.
- English, B.A.
- History, B.A.
- International Studies, B.A.
- Journalism, B.S.
- Latin American Studies, B.A.
- Liberal Arts, B.A.
- Linguistics, B.A.
- Mathematics, B.S.
- Music, B.M.
- Philosophy, B.A.
- Physics, B.S.
- Political Science, B.A.
- Psychology, B.A.

The "Art History, B.A." program is highlighted. A "Requirements for the liberal arts major in art history, B.A. program" section is visible, stating: "A minimum of 20 credits, distributed as follows (a minimum of 16 credits in the major must be taken at Oakland University. Only courses in which the student has earned at least a 2.0 may be counted toward the art history major)."

The requirements are listed as follows:

1. Core courses
 - AH 100 - Introduction to the History of Western Art I (4)
 - AH 101 - Introduction to the History of Western Art II (4)
 - AH 104 - Introduction to the History of Asia and the Islamic World (4)
2. This should be at least 20 credits
3. 16 credit category

Below this, there is a "Non-West" section with a list of courses.

Two arrows point from a yellow box at the bottom right to the "Art History, B.A." link in the program list and the "Requirements for the liberal arts major in art history, B.A. program" section.

program requirements link

Portfolio Settings

My Portfolio

If you have a login account, you can retrieve everything in your portfolio from a previous visit by logging in below. If you are a new user, you can [create an account](#), which will allow you to save your portfolio and access it later. If you forgot your password, enter your e-mail address only and click *Retrieve Password* to have your password sent to you.

E-mail Address:

Password:

Login

Retrieve Password

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL http://catalog.oakland.edu/portfolio_nopop.php?catoid=9. The page features a sidebar menu on the left with various navigation options such as 'Academic Advising Index', 'Academic Calendar', and 'University Faculty'. The main content area displays a message: 'To remove items from your Portfolio, check boxes next to the item to remove and click the Remove button.' Below this, there are three sections: 'The following courses have been added to your Portfolio:' with a table listing 'ACC 200 - Introductory Financial Accounting' and a 'Remove' button; 'The following programs have been added to your Portfolio:' with a table listing 'Business Administration, Accounting Major, B.S.' and a 'Remove' button; and two sections for 'pages' and 'divisions' which currently show no items. A yellow callout box with a black border is overlaid on the right side of the screenshot, containing the text: 'My Portfolio option provides storage access for programs, courses and information items'. Two black arrows point from this callout box to the 'Remove' buttons for the course and program listings.

Print-friendly Page

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Oakland University Academic Catalog. The page title is "2011-2012 Undergraduate Catalog". The main content area is titled "General Information" and includes a "HELP" button and a "Print-Friendly Page" link. A black arrow points from a yellow callout box to the "Print-Friendly Page" link. The callout box contains the text "print-friendly option located on every page". The browser's address bar shows the URL "http://catalog.oakland.edu/content.php?catoid=98&navoid=97". The browser's taskbar at the bottom shows the system clock as 10:44 AM on 8/19/2011.

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Admission

Admission to freshman standing (Apply online at oakland.edu/apply)

Candidates for admission to undergraduate degree programs should have completed high school-level college preparatory work or otherwise demonstrate sufficient academic preparation to begin college work. Normally, high school courses should include, as a minimum, four years of English language arts, three years of mathematics, three years of science, three years of social studies and two years of world language. Students planning majors in the sciences, mathematics, engineering or business are expected to present at least four years of preparation in math. Admission is based upon an applicant's academic background and potential for success at Oakland University. Students apply for admission to the university based on ACT or College Board SAT scores.

Normally, Oakland University will admit students with cumulative grade point averages below 3.20 but who demonstrate sufficient academic preparation. Applicants with cumulative grade point averages below 3.20 but who demonstrate sufficient academic preparation. In some cases, a personal interview, SAT scores, and an official copy of their high school transcript may be required.

Specific academic programs may impose special requirements. Admission is restricted to students presenting a 2.80 grade point average in college preparatory mathematics courses.

Admission to pre-elementary education status in the School of Education and Human Services requires a minimum grade point average of 2.80 or higher. Entering freshmen planning to major in education must complete at least four years of high school mathematics courses (maintain a minimum grade point average of 3.00 in mathematics, physics and have a solid background in English language arts. Normally, a 3.00 (B average) is required for admission to the School of Education and Human Services. Students planning to major in music, theatre and dance must apply to the School of Music, Theatre and Dance at oakland.edu/mtd.

Students wishing to enter the pre-nursing program should have completed one year of biology and one year of chemistry, each with a grade point average of at least 3.20 and an ACT minimum composite score of 20 or SAT equivalent. Students who are eligible for admission to the university but not to one of the above programs may enter the university as undecided students but may be able to qualify for admission to one of the above programs.

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Normally, Oakland University will admit students with cumulative grade point averages in academic subjects of 3.20 or above. Applicants with cumulative grade point averages below 3.20 but above 2.50 may be admitted after consideration of the quality of their academic preparation. In some cases, a personal interview may be requested. Students must submit an application, ACT or SAT scores, and an official copy of their high school transcript for an admission decision to be made.

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