



### COURSES AN ACCOUNTING STUDENT MIGHT TAKE INCLUDE:

- Contemporary Issues in Financial Forensics
- Assurance and Auditing
- Global Financial Statement Analysis
- Corporate and Partnership Taxation
- Ethics in Financial Reporting and Accounting

#### STUDENTS CAN PURSUE ACCOUNTING AT THE ROSE HILL CAMPUS AS A:

- Major
- Primary concentration
- Secondary concentration
- Minor

# ACCOUNTING STUDENTS RECENTLY HAVE RECEIVED INTERNSHIPS AND JOBS AT:

- BDO
- Deloitte
- EY
- Grant Thornton
- J.P. Morgan
- KPMG
- Marcum
- McGladrey
- Morgan Stanley
- PwC

Accounting has been part of the Gabelli School of Business since its founding in 1920, and that proud tradition continues today. In an average graduating class, nearly one-fifth of all seniors go on to jobs in the Big Four.

Every student gains some exposure to accounting through the integrated business core, but those who want to make it their focus have excellent options. They can choose a 150-hour program that prepares them for the CPA exam, for example, or one of several dual-degree tracks that yield a bachelor of science plus either an M.B.A. or M.S. in only five years.

Students also can major in applied accounting and finance—a hybrid degree that brings together the best of those two disciplines—or accounting information systems, which explores the increasingly technological aspects of the field.

Fordham's network of accounting alumni is dedicated to helping students find jobs in auditing, financial planning, tax compliance, financial analysis, and more. There are more than 700 alumni in the Big Four alone. Wondering how to make connections with them? Simply ask the accounting area's undergraduate program director, Tara Naughton—herself an alumna of the Big Four. She is dedicated to advising students, five days a week.

## **SUCCESS STORY**

### Nick Lusardi, KPMG

KPMG took Nick Lusardi to Paris.

His summer internship was spent partly in New York with the real estate tax group, and partly in Paris as part of the U.S. tax team. The experience allowed Nick, a Spanish speaker, to gain international tax experience while adding French as a third language.

Understanding a new culture was another takeaway—an asset that will be valuable to Nick no matter where his future placements take him.

"Accounting is and always will be a 'people business," he said. "I was able to increase my network of accounting professionals and develop relationships with individuals beyond the New York City office."

