

Foundations in Governmental Accounting

Are you just starting to work in the governmental arena? Have you worked in the governmental arena for years but need a refresher to keep up with changes? If so, this is the course for you. This course features the foundational tenets of governmental accounting and reporting in today's environment. Learn more than the buzzwords – learn the underlying concepts and how they are applied.

OBJECTIVES

Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Apply the critical elements that make up governmental accounting and reporting
- Confidently work with or in the governmental environment
- Understand the nuances involved in governmental accounting and reporting

HIGHLIGHTS

- The government environment and GAAP
- Fund accounting and reporting
- Accounting for budgets, revenues, expenditures and other transactions
- Measurement focus and basis of accounting
- Government-wide reporting
- Components that make up the CAFR
- Special purpose governments
- The reporting entity, joint ventures and other arrangements

WHO WILL BENEFIT

- Professionals working with or in the governmental environment

VALUE AID

- AICPA Audit and Accounting Guide *State and Local Governments*



LEVEL

Basic

CPE CREDIT HOURS

Classroom: 8
(Accepted for CMA and CFM continuing education credit)

NASBA FIELD OF STUDY

8-Governmental Accounting

PREREQUISITE

None

UPDATED CONTENT AVAILABLE

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COURSE ACRONYM

Public Seminar: FGAC
On-Site Training: FGAC