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Finance Accounting Success Track Program

FASTrack

For high school juniors



blue means BUSINESS



What is FASTrack?

FASTrack is a summer campus residency program designed to introduce high school juniors to careers in finance and accounting. The primary objective of this innovative career development program is to increase the number of high school students from underrepresented groups that attend college and major in accounting or finance. You'll get to live on a real college campus and meet people who share your interests. You'll also visit local businesses and hear from finance and accounting professionals







"(The program) mainly involved exploring different accounting career options. Most people think you just sit and type in numbers all day; it's a lot more than that."

- Seth Johnson, High school student participant

How does it work?

During this fully supervised four-day residential program, a select group of students will explore accounting and finance careers through experiential site visits, campus tours, professional roundtables and networking opportunities with professors, business professionals, college students and fellow high school students. You'll get a first-hand look at day-to-day operations of various businesses and opportunities to talk with finance and accounting professionals about what they do. The program concludes with a recognition banquet for students, parents, speakers and corporate partners.





How much does it cost?

Students are selected to participate in FASTrack free of charge. Students are responsible for their own transportation to and from the University of Kentucky campus.



"High school is a perfect time to learn about yourself, discover your passion, explore valuable options, and learn how to prepare for a meaningful and rewarding career. During this program, you will learn from college professors and industry experts. Don't miss this opportunity to stay ahead the curve!"

 Wendy Liu, Director of Undergraduate Studies -Finance and Senior Lecturer





Sample Agenda

Activities throughout the program may include:

- » Business and firm site visits
- » Team building opportunities
- » Networking with prominent business leaders
- » Leadership and professional development opportunities
- » Campus tours and networking with current college students
- » College resource sessions including admissions and financial aid
- » Closing awards banquet



"The program has helped provide me with the necessary tools I need to be a successful leader and businessman."

- Miles McGinnis, High school student participant

Experience
finance &
accounting
careers first-hand

Explore college life

Spend
four days
living on a real
campus

Next Steps

- 1 Visit gatton.uky.edu/FASTrack
- 2 Submit an application
- Obtain one teacher, counselor or other recommendation

Become the next generation of finance and accounting leaders.

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