

What is ACAP?

NABA Inc.'s Accounting Career Awareness Program and the Accelerated Career Awareness Program (ACAP) empower high school students to explore career pathways in accounting, finance, entrepreneurship and related business fields through a week-long residency at a college or university supported by year-round programming.

Since 1980, ACAP has been a game-changer for thousands of high school students, igniting their academic journey and inspiring them to reach for the stars.

Apply to join us for a week of transformation where you will have the opportunity to:

- Hear from industry leaders who will share their wisdom, insights, and tips for success.
- Get a firsthand look at career in accounting with behind-the-scenes tours of certified public accounting firms and private sector companies.
- Experience the power of collaboration and teamwork through group projects and case studies.
- And celebrate your achievements with fellow students, proud parents, inspiring speakers, and corporate partners at a closing ceremony.



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Immerse yourself in the college experience through ACAP, a week-long summer program that uncovers the world of accounting, business, finance, and entrepreneurship.

ACAP® is not just about exploring careers

It's about equipping you with the skills, knowledge and network you need to succeed. From learning about financial fluency and interpersonal communication to gaining ongoing mentorship, you will leave with foundational knowledge essential to any career path you choose.

The best part is...

Tuition, housing, books, and materials are all sponsored by NABA Inc. Don't just dream about your future – take charge of it with ACAP. Seize this opportunity to discover your potential and make your mark on the world and apply today!

"From my perspective, for one to truly validate the path to take, three things are needed: exposure, education, and experience. ACAP provided an opportunity for me to gain all three. Exposure to accounting as a future career path came to me in the summer of 2007, I was a participant in NABA Milwaukee's version of ACAP. Receiving an introductory education to core accounting and business concepts gave me a leg up when I returned to my high school to complete accounting courses. I secured college internships through NABA. I had the opportunity to experience what "A Day in the Life" would look like. I walked away from ACAP knowing anything is possible. And while my only connection to accounting is through teaching courses part-time at a local university and through my involvement with NABA, I will continue to be an avid supporter of ACAP, its outcomes, and how it truly makes an impact on the future leaders of tomorrow."

Sydney Nelson, MPA, CIA

Director, Supplier Diversity at Advocate Health

"ACAP was extremely beneficial to launching my career as a CPA and accounting professional. ACAP served as my first true exposure to African-American CPAs and business professionals within the accounting industry. The impact of ACAP has lasted long after my participation in the program, as I have been able to leverage relationships and knowledge obtained through ACAP to assist in my professional career. My overall experience with ACAP was tremendous as I was able to grow more as a person as well as develop skills outside of just accounting and finance. I would highly recommend any student interested in any aspect of business to participate in an ACAP!"

Darius L. Thompson, CPA

Senior Manager, Assurance at Ernst & Young LLP

