ABOUT THE PROGRAMS

Students will be full-time Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences (ACPHS) students through the completion of their ACPHS degrees. After students matriculate into Clarkson University’s graduate degree program, scholarships equal to the cost of one course will be awarded to students. Tuition for additional courses will be determined by and payable directly to Clarkson University.

Specific ACPHS practicums count toward the 400-hour internship requirement. See a ACPHS or Clarkson program advisor for additional information.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

To apply, please submit the following:

- Online application, which can be completed at gradapp.clarkson.edu/apply.
- Essay/personal statement.
- PCAT and/or GMAT test scores; MCAT and GRE are also accepted.
- Two letters of recommendation.
- Resume/CV.
- Transcripts from all postsecondary institutions attended.
- Certificate of finance for an I-20 (international students).

Generally, an undergraduate cumulative GPA of 3.0 is required to be considered for admission.

Clarkson will accept the PCAT score in lieu of the GMAT (the MS has no standardized testing requirement). MBA students may want to take the GMAT so they can be considered to receive scholarships. Scholarship awards are determined by a combination of GPA and GMAT scores. Students who have not taken the PCAT will be required to submit a GMAT score if their ACPHS GPA is less than 3.2 by the start of their third year at ACPHS.

Tuition for Clarkson’s graduate course(s) may be included in student loan requests if the course(s) qualifies as an elective at ACPHS.

For more information, contact Clarkson’s Office of Graduate Business programs or Luke Schmonsky, Director of Career Services, Albany College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences at 518-694-7293 or luke.schmonsky@acphs.edu.

REQUIRED CLARKSON COURSES

HC620 Health Economics
HC656 Group Practice Management
HC600 Introduction to Health Systems (ACPHS accepts as an elective)
HC651 Health Systems Management
HC605 Healthcare Operations
IS647 Statistical Methods for Data Analytics
AC604 Financial and Managerial Accounting for Decision Making
HC617 Healthcare Finance
HC674 Legal Aspects of Healthcare
HC680 Health Policy/Managerial Epidemiology
HC681 Strategic Issues for Healthcare Organizations Capstone Course

REQUIRED ACPHS COURSES

PHD753 Pharmacoeconomics
PA0521 Pharmacy Administration
**ELECTIVES COURSES**

Students will take one elective from the list below:

- Advanced Corporate Finance
- Fraud and Forensic Accounting
- Advanced Management Accounting
- Advanced Auditing and Research
- Mergers, Acquisitions and Corporate Restructuring
- Investments
- Investment Management
- Sports Economics
- Money, Markets and Banking
- International Finance
- Advanced Statistics and Data Visualization
- Data Architecture
- Marketing Communications
- Marketing Research Techniques
- Marketing High Technology Products
- Consumer Behavior
- The Role of Statistics in Business and Industry
- Integrating eSystems into Global Business
- Data Analytics and Business Intelligence
- Systems Analysis & Design for Managers
- International Marketing Management
- Healthcare CRM
- Project Management
- Competing by Design
- Communicating Globally

- High Performance Leadership
- Organizational Development and Transformation
- Labor Relations
- Women and Management
- Executive Decision Processes in Global Environments
- International Business
- Entrepreneurship
- Leaders on Leadership
- China Study
- Growing an Entrepreneurial Business
- Foundations of HR Management
- Managing Human Resources
- International Human Resources
- Swiss Healthcare Delivery System
- Advanced Topics in Supply Chain Management
- Global Business Strategies
- Strategic Project Management
- Industrial Organization in the Supply Chain
- Leading Organizational Change
- Negotiations & Relationship Management
- Quality Management and Process Improvement