

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT ASHEVILLE
FACULTY SENATE

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Statement of Faculty Senate Action:

APC Document 53: **Adding ACCT 320 as a pre- or corequisite to ACCT 317;
Changing the ACCT 317 corequisite in ACCT 320 to a
pre- or corequisite**

Effective Date: Fall 2013

1. Delete: On page 206, the prerequisite for **ACCT 317, Cost Accounting:**

Prerequisite: ACCT 215.

Add: On page 206, in place of deleted entry:

Prerequisite: ACCT 215. Pre- or corequisite: ACCT 320.

2. Delete: On page 206, the corequisite for **ACCT 320, Communications Lab:**

Corequisite: ACCT 317.

Add: On page 206, in place of deleted entry:

Pre- or corequisite: ACCT 317.

Impact: The courses are offered both Fall and Spring semesters, so having them listed as corequisite will have no impact on faculty teaching load.

Rationale: ACCT 317 (Cost Accounting) and ACCT 320 (Communications Lab) are intended to be taken at the same time, and adding the pre-or corequisite to the courses helps to clarify this. ACCT 320 is writing intensive, and the writing is based on the content of ACCT 317.

When students initially register for these courses, they will be required to register for both to satisfy the corequisite requirement. However, if a student is successful in one of the courses, but fails or does poorly in the other, listing them as pre-or corequisite to one another will allow the student who wishes to repeat one of the courses to register for it without needing to get an override from the instructor.