

ASSESSMENT WEBSITE INFORMATION

College: Business
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Degree Program: Accounting MAcc

DATA SAY:

Ethics and professional responsibility is one of the major learning goals for the MAcc program. Assessed in 2008, student performance was well below expectations particularly in their ability to articulate principles of professional conduct in accounting practice.

SO WHAT:

Curriculum mapping and faculty discussion of these results revealed a lack of specific coverage of professional accounting standards within the MAcc curriculum.

HOW WE CHANGED:

The MAcc curriculum was changed in 2009 to include a new course, ACCT 6023 Ethics and Professional Responsibility, replacing the existing Law and Ethics course.

WHAT WE GOT:

Student performance increased dramatically in this learning goal. All performance measures increased from below expectations to meets expectations, including the articulation of principles of professional conduct.

