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Certified Public Accountant (US CPA)

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12-18 Months
Live Online



Salaries
INR 12-20 LPA*



Career opportunities in
India & abroad



Industry-aligned US CPA preparation program in collaboration with KPMG in India

Imarticus Learning and KPMG in India collaborate to offer career-defining programs built for global finance certifications – US CPA, CFA, US CMA, FRM, and ACCA.

Joint Certification

Earn a joint certification upon program completion, significantly enhancing your résumé's credibility and value.

Tailored Learning Resources

Access curated content, tools, and insights designed specifically for US CPA, CFA, US CMA, FRM, and ACCA aspirants.

Internship at KPMG in India

Top performers will get a chance to earn an internship.

Real-world Case Studies

Solve 23 business case studies from top 5 global finance courses, aligned with your sessions and evaluated by KPMG in India experts.

Expert-led Webinars & Live Sessions

12 live expert webinars (1 hour each) are conducted annually and monthly on current trends and industry insights.





About Certified Public Accountant, (US CPA)

The Certified Public Accountant (CPA) designation stands as a global benchmark of excellence in the accounting and finance profession. Recognised and respected across 130+ countries, the CPA credential is awarded to individuals who have demonstrated exceptional expertise, ethical integrity, and analytical precision in core financial disciplines. Professionals at global consultancies, actively seek CPA-certified talent to drive financial excellence, innovation, and governance at scale.

US CPA Career Pathways



**Financial
leadership**



**Risk
advisory**



Audit



Consulting



**Investment
banking**



**Regulatory
compliance**

US CPA Credential's Impact

- ✓ Powers you with the most elite and respected accounting qualification.
- ✓ Equips you with the capability to lead.
- ✓ Accelerates your trajectory at multinational firms.
- ✓ Facilitates transition into global finance roles.
- ✓ Support aspirations for leadership at top MNC's and corporates.

Your global career advantage



Global CPA Recognition

Valued in 130+ countries, the US CPA is a top-tier global credential.



Legacy Since 1887

135+ years of setting benchmarks in global accounting excellence.



Top 5% Finance Leaders

CPA holders rank among the highest performers in the field.



High-earning Potential

₹12–20 LPA* in India with global firms.



Preferred by 100+ Firms

MNCs and Fortune 500s hire CPAs for strategic roles.



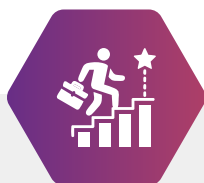
6% Job Market Growth

Strong CPA demand projected by US Bureau of Labor Statistics



Future-ready Credential

Covers AI, ESG, tax reforms, and evolving finance trends.



Leadership Career Path

CPAs fast-track into CFO, Controller, and Partner roles.



Versatility Across Domains

CPA unlocks roles in tax, audit, advisory, and analytics.

*All salary-related data presented has been sourced from credible job and employer review platforms, including Monster India, AmbitionBox, Naukri, and Glassdoor.

Why choose Imarticus for your US CPA journey?



Official CPA Exam Partner

Imarticus Learning is an authorised CPA Exam prep partner with AICPA.



Powered by Surgent

Learn from the No. 1 global content provider with an 92% Pass rate.



Money-back Guarantee

Get 50% of your course fee back if you do not pass all the US CPA exams.



Premium Learning Access

Get AICPA-approved books, mock tests, and CPA study tools.

Why choose Imarticus for your US CPA journey?



Live & Recorded Classes

200+ hours of live training and 100+ hours of recorded sessions.



Dual Expert Model

Learn from top CPA, CMA, CA, and CFA mentors with 24/7 support.



Internship opportunity

Top performers get a chance to intern at KPMG in India and gain hands-on exposure to global industry practices.



Pre-placement Bootcamp

Includes soft skills, mock interviews, and job-readiness training.

About AICPA

Established in 1887, the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants (AICPA) is the world's foremost accounting body and the custodian of the CPA designation.

The AICPA thought leadership is globally respected and adopted by corporations, governments, and international regulatory bodies. By earning your CPA through AICPA, you align with a heritage of excellence and join a select community of financial leaders who are transforming the future of finance at the world's most influential organisations, including the Big 4 and global giants.

AICPA defines the highest standards

- Accounting
- Audit quality
- Business ethics
- Financial reporting

The AICPA impact

- Shapes policies globally
- Sets audit standards
- Drives innovation in Sustainability reporting, AI in finance, ESG compliance



Join the global AICPA elite

AICPA Global Network

Join 400,000+ elite members shaping global financial practices.

130+ Countries Strong

US CPA and AICPA credentials are accepted across global markets.

Elite Professional Tag

Earn the CPA title and gain AICPA membership and prestige.

Elite Member Forums

Network through exclusive events, summits, and leadership meets.

High-impact Careers

CPAs are in demand in India, the US, and finance hubs worldwide.

Exclusive Insights Access

Get early access to AI, ESG, and audit innovation research.



The Imarticus Learning Experience

This US CPA programme is designed for high-achieving professionals who are ready to master global accounting standards and rise to leadership in a rapidly evolving financial ecosystem. Developed in alignment with the latest AICPA blueprint, this training programme goes beyond exam preparation – it cultivates strategic thinkers, ethical decision-makers, and globally competent finance professionals.

The framework combines academic precision with industry application. The journey is supported by one-on-one mentoring, state board guidance, and personalised study tracks to fast-track success.

You'll be trained by global experts who have led transformation initiatives at top firms like KPMG in India and have successfully guided hundreds of aspirants toward CPA qualification. This is not just about passing an exam – it's about preparing for elite leadership in global finance.

\$212 Billion Revenue

Generated by the Big 4 firms in 2024, with CPAs playing critical roles.

Source: Statista

\$1.5 Trillion Market

Projected size of the global accounting industry by 2032.

Source: Allied Market Research



US CPA exam format and requirements

Details about US CPA

- ✓ Each US CPA exam section is 4 hours long
- ✓ All 4 sections must be passed within an 18-month window
- ✓ Designed to help you clear all sections on your first attempt
Achieve a pass rate higher than the global average
- ✓ Our programme includes:
 - Structured mock exams
 - Detailed performance diagnostics
 - Focused review plans
- ✓ This ensures a first-time pass rate that exceeds the global average.

Core and discipline groups

- ✓ Core Subjects (All three are compulsory)
 - Auditing & Attestation (AUD)
 - Financial Accounting & Reporting (FAR)
 - Taxation & Regulations (REG)
- ✓ Discipline Subjects (Select only one discipline)
 - Business Analysis & Reporting (BAR)
 - Tax Compliance & Planning (TCP)
 - Information System & Controls (ISC)

Schedule for CPA aspirants

The US CPA existing curriculum consists of 4 papers, whereas the upcoming US CPA Evolution course structure has 6 papers, with 3 core and 1 elective paper.

- ✓ 6 CPA Papers
- ✓ 4 CPA Exams
- ✓ 3 Optional Papers

US CPA exam structure

The US CPA exam is a rigorous, four-part professional assessment administered by the AICPA and governed by the National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA).

Papers	Count of Questions		Weightage	
	MCQs	TBUs	MCQs	TBUs
AUD-Core [#]	78	7	50%	50%
FAR-Core [#]	50	7	50%	50%
REG-Core [#]	72	8	50%	50%
BAR-Discipline*	50	7	50%	50%
ISC-Discipline*	82	6	60%	40%
TCP-Discipline*	68	7	50%	50%

[#] Compulsory Papers

* Elective Papers, Only 1 to be opted

MCQs : Multiple Choice Questions

TBUs : Task Based Units

Your strategic CPA roadmap

Step into global finance leadership with a recognised CPA pathway.

1

Join Imarticus

Study with Imarticus, an AICPA approved channel partner.

2

Begin Expert Training

Train with US CPA experts, built for global success.

3

Check Eligibility

Ensure you meet 120–150 credit hours. Bridge gaps via recognised credentials.

4

Pick the Right State

Choose a U.S. state board that fits your profile and licensure goals.

5

Register with NASBA

Get your NTS and begin your CPA registration via NASBA and AICPA.

6

Book & Attempt Exams

Appear for 4 sections at authorised Prometric centres in any order.

7

Placement Bootcamp

Get exclusive soft skills, interview prep, and industry mentorship.

8

Gain Work Experience

Complete 1–2 years under a licensed CPA as per your state's norms.

9

Earn Your CPA License

Clear all exams, ethics, and experience to become a licensed CPA.

10

Career Growth Support

Receive access to global hiring networks and lifelong career guidance.

Learn from the Experts

Learn from the best in the business. Our faculty comprises top-tier professionals, including licensed CPAs, Chartered Accountants, and CFA charterholders with decades of experience in top global firms.

They bring real-world insights into the classroom, mentor learners through complex topics, and provide invaluable guidance to help you achieve your CPA goals.



Samarth Bhatia

BCom, MCom, CPA (USA), CMA (India & USA), CA (India)

A distinguished expert in finance education with over a decade of specialised experience in global accounting standards and international certification training. Samarth is a respected authority in finance education, known for developing and delivering high-impact learning for future finance leaders.



Nikit Dani

BCom, CPA (USA), CMA (USA), CFA, CSCA (USA)

Nikit is a globally respected finance professional with over 15 years of leadership experience in investment banking, corporate finance, and consulting, including a decade-long tenure at Goldman Sachs as Vice President. Nikit brings immense strategic insights, deep subject matter expertise, and commitment to mentoring.



Manish Kaushik

Director, CFO Advisory at KPMG in India

Manish is a Director at KPMG in India's CFO Advisory and brings 15+ years of experience across IFRS, US GAAP, and Indian GAAP. He has led finance transformation and automation projects across sectors like oil & gas, renewables, retail, and e-commerce, and has delivered end-to-end ERP solutions. He's known for his sessions on Excel, Macros, and KPMG in India's accounting programs.

Learn from the Experts



Sonia Varshneya

Associate director, CFO Advisory at KPMG in India

Sonia is an Associate Director with the CFO Advisory practice at KPMG in India, bringing over 13 years of experience in statutory audits, financial reporting, and accounting advisory. She has led multiple IFRS/Ind AS implementation and convergence projects across industries and advised clients on complex technical accounting matters. Sonia has also conducted professional training sessions in India and South Africa, and has taught at leading universities through both online and in-person formats.



Sakshi Gour

Associate Director, CFO Advisory at KPMG in India

Sakshi is an Associate Director with KPMG in India's CFO Advisory, specializing in accounting solutions for the renewable energy sector. With 11+ years of experience in financial reporting, audits, and IFRS/Ind AS advisory across industries, she's known for her hands-on client approach and problem-solving skills. Sakshi also leads corporate and university training programs, including a Ministry of Home Affairs initiative for students in Jammu & Kashmir.

Certification

On successful completion of all four US CPA exams and fulfilling work experience requirements, candidates are awarded the CPA licence by the relevant State Board of Accountancy.

This certification, issued by AICPA, signifies the highest level of competence in accounting and finance and is accepted by employers globally, including the Big 4.

Learners also receive a joint certification from Imarticus Learning and KPMG in India, showcasing their expertise and adding a competitive edge to their resume upon successful program completion.

US CPA Certification



Joint Certification



Eligibility

US CPA eligibility is governed by individual US state boards. Our team assists you with a personalised eligibility evaluation and ensures you qualify for the most suitable jurisdiction.

A bachelor's degree in commerce or accounting

150 credit hours, typically fulfilled with a BCom degree from a recognised university.

Most candidates meet the 150-credit requirement by combining undergraduate and postgraduate qualifications or professional certifications.

- BCom + MCom or MBA
- BCom + CA / CS / CMA

Gain qualified CPA work experience of a minimum of 2 years (20,000 hours) in the accounting & finance domain

Program Fee



Total programme fee

1,20,000/-

Registration fee: ₹ 10,000

Pay Balance Amount in Full or
Zero Cost EMIs: ₹ 1,10,000

(Get a 50% Money-back Guarantee if you don't pass the CPA exams with Imarticus Learning)

Disclaimer: KPMG in India is not involved in the placement assistance offered through this program and does not guarantee employment, career advancement, or future earnings. Its role is limited to providing CPA preparation and training for a specified number of hours, without endorsing or committing to any salary expectations. However, learners will have access to internships and original case studies as part of the overall program experience.



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