



North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant Examiners

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42 NORTH CAROLINA CANDIDATES PASS THE UNIFORM CPA EXAMINATION

Raleigh—The North Carolina State Board of Certified Public Accountant (CPA) Examiners is pleased to announce that 42 North Carolina candidates (see attached list) successfully passed the Uniform CPA Examination in April 2026.

Passing the Uniform CPA Examination confirms that candidates have demonstrated the technical knowledge and professional skills required to protect the public interest and meet the standards for CPA licensure. In addition to passing the examination, individuals seeking licensure as Certified Public Accountants in North Carolina must also satisfy the State's education, professional experience, and moral character requirements.

The Uniform CPA Examination underwent significant changes in January 2024. Previously, candidates were required to pass four sections: Auditing and Attestation (AUD), Business Environment and Concepts (BEC), Financial Accounting and Reporting (FAR), and Regulation (REG). The examination has since transitioned to a Core + Discipline format.

Under the updated structure, candidates must pass three Core sections, Auditing and Attestation (AUD), Financial Accounting and Reporting (FAR), and Taxation and Regulation (REG), as well as one Discipline section. Discipline options include Business Analysis and Reporting (BAR), Information Systems and Controls (ISC), and Tax Compliance and Planning (TCP).

About the Board

Established by Chapter 93 of the North Carolina General Statutes, the State Board of CPA Examiners is an occupational licensing board that grants certificates of qualification as CPAs to individuals who meet the statutory requirements. The Board also adopts and enforces the rules of professional ethics and conduct that CPAs in North Carolina must observe. Board members are appointed by the Governor and serve three-year terms. Five members must be holders of valid and unrevoked North Carolina CPA certificates issued by the Board, as per the North Carolina General Statutes. The remaining two members, who are not CPAs, represent the public at large.



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Successful Uniform CPA Exam Candidates: 04-2026 Sorted by Last Name

Allen Joseph Barnett
Constance Autumn Buck
Peter Moroni Butcher
Yanqin Chen
Emma Elizabeth Collins
Samantha Kimball Crocker
Daniel Maxton Dyson III
Alec William Esoda
Anna Grace Evans
Kelsey Ann Fontaine
Joseph Paul Fraboni
Luke Warren Gentry
Brittany Clayton Grenz
Maggie Jeanne Grondy
Josef Markus Hefe
Elizabeth Cooke Helweg
Cooper Schaeffer Hough
Ellis Laine Hunter
Matthew Dylan Johnson
Carson Gregory Kania
Jack Lawrence Kohout

Aaron Thomas Lamb
Jonathan Bain Leonard
Christian Maloy Liebert
Easton Michael McCoy
Barrett Judson McGuire
Lindsey Renae Meadows
Kellie Bailey Monacell
Jacob Werner Putnam
Ethan David Rehmann
Philipp Anton Roedl
Bradley Keith Russell
Chloe Elizabeth Schulte
Jade Li Jotcham Seets
William James Sharp
Paul Gabriel Sposato
Madison LeeAnne Tarlton
Ashlyn Mae Vincent
Celeste Marie Waugh
Logan Ian Webb
Joshua Lamont Whitsett
Jessica Catherine Zajac