

TO BE AN ACCOUNTANT - HOW ACCOUNTING STUDENT CHOOSE THEIR CAREER

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Abstract

The aims of this study are to analyze the development of professional training, parental influence and accounting student perceptions in student future career choice as a public accountant. The population of this study consists of final students, majoring in accounting in private universities in North Sumatera, Indonesia and quota sampling method was used in this research. The result of this study is the professional training did not significantly influence the students' career option as a public accountant. Synchronously, training professionals, parental influence and accounting student perceptions about the public accountant law significantly affect the selection of a career as a public accountant.

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