AASCB MAcy AOL Goals (Amended September 2017)

1. MAcy students will use advanced analytical and critical thinking skills to apply accounting knowledge in new and unfamiliar circumstances. Students will demonstrate the ability to evaluate information, solve problems, and make justifiable decisions in the different areas of accounting.
2. MAcy students will apply information technology skills in decision making at a level expected of a master's student. Students will demonstrate the ability to use information technology (IT) and be able to apply IT in analysis and communication.
3. MAcy students will demonstrate the ability to apply professional research skills to analyze and solve problems, and communicate appropriate authoritative sources, findings, and conclusions.
4. MAcy students will be able to conceptualize complex issues into a coherent, persuasive written or oral statement. Students will be able to develop well-written reports, memos, and projects and make effective oral presentations that explain findings, organize ideas into a coherent train of thought, and justify a conclusion or recommendation.
5. MAcy students will apply ethical reasoning for resolution of ethical dimensions of accounting and reporting in the business world. Students will be able to recognize an ethical dilemma, apply ethical reasoning to resolve it and provide support for the resolution and effects on stakeholders.