

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS

MAJOR: BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

ACADEMIC YEAR: 2013-2014

DEGREE TYPE: B.S.

REQUIRED DEGREE CREDITS TO GRADUATE: 126

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS – 40 CREDITS

Lower Division Requirements – 37 Credits

First Year Experience (F) - 1 Credit

BUSN	189	Skills for Academic Success	1 cr
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Students transferring in 24 or more credits do not need to take BUSN 189.

Communication (C) - 9 Credits

*ENGL	110	College Composition I	3 cr
*ENGL	120	College Composition II	3 cr
*COMM	110	Fund of Public Speaking	3 cr

Quantitative Reasoning (R) - 3 Credits

*STAT	330	Introductory Statistics	3 cr
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Science & Technology (S) - 10 Credits

*CSCI	116	Business Use of Computers	4 cr
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A one-credit lab must be taken as a co-requisite with a general education science/technology course unless the course includes an embedded lab experience equivalent to a one-credit course. Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Humanities & Fine Arts (A) - 6 Credits

*PHIL	216	Business Ethics	3 cr
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Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Social & Behavioral Sciences (B) - 6 Credits

*ECON	201	Principles of Microeconomics	3 cr
*ECON	202	Principles of Macroeconomics	3 cr

Wellness (W) - 2 Credits

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Cultural Diversity (D) – 3 credits

Select from current general education courses www.ndsu.edu/registrar/gened/

Global Perspectives (G)

ECON	201 or 202	Principles of Micro/Macroeconomics	
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Upper Division Requirements - Writing – 3 Credits

ENGL	320	Business & Professional Writing	3 cr
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PRE-COLLEGE OF BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS - 14 CREDITS

*ACCT	200	Elements of Accounting I	3 cr
*ACCT	201	Elements of Accounting II	3 cr
*MATH	103	College Algebra	3 cr

A grade of 'B' or better is required for admission into professional majors in the College of Business. This is waived for students who place into Math 105 or higher.

*PSYC	111	Introduction to Psychology	3 cr
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PRE-COLLEGE OF BUSINESS REQUIREMENTS - CONTINUED

*STAT	331	Regression Analysis	2 cr
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PRE- BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION REQUIREMENTS - 7 CREDITS

*MATH	144	Mathematics for Business	4 cr
A grade of 'C' or better is required for admission into professional majors in College of Business			
*SOC	110	Introduction to Sociology	3 cr

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION MAJOR REQUIREMENTS - 56 CREDITS

FIN	320	Principles of Finance	3 cr
MGMT	320	Foundations of Management	3 cr
MGMT	330	Foundations of Organizational Behavior	3 cr
MGMT	360	Operations Management	3 cr
MRKT	320	Foundations of Marketing	3 cr
BUSN	430	Legal and Social Environment of Business	3 cr
BUSN	487	Managerial Economics	4 cr
BUSN	489	Strategic Management (Capstone Course)	4 cr
MIS	320	Management Information Systems	3 cr
ECON	324	Money and Banking	3 cr

300-400 Level Courses – 18 Credits

At least one 300-400 level course in each of the following four areas: 1) FIN, 2) MGMT, 3) MRKT, 5) Environment of Business - BUSN 318, 340, 341, 347, 383, 431, 432, 433, 440, or 474

Additional 300-400 level College of Business Electives – 6 Credits

Any courses from the College of Business (ACCT, FIN, LEAD, MGMT, MIS, MRKT)

DEGREE ELECTIVES - 9 CREDITS TO REACH 126

Degree Requirements and Notes:

- Business courses from programs that do not hold AACSB International accreditation cannot be used for major or minor requirements in the College of Business (CoB); such courses may be eligible for use as free elective. The CoB accepts a maximum of nine credits of non-NDSU 300-400 level business courses from AACSB programs with approval of the department.
- Admission into the Business Administration Major: Students must successfully complete the pre-college and pre-business administration major courses that are indicated with an asterisk (*), achieve junior standing (60 credits), and earn a 2.50 institutional cumulative grade point average. Students must submit an application to the CoB.
- Admission to the business administration major is required to enroll in advanced 300 or 400 level CoB courses.
- A grade of C or better is required in transfer courses accepted for ACCT 200 and 201 and all 300-400 level accounting, business administration, finance, management, management information systems, and marketing courses.
- A letter grade must be earned in any course that fulfills a major requirement.
- Requirements for graduation are those in place at the time of admission to the business administration major.
- Students must include one of the following international courses in their plan of study: BUSN 340, BUSN 341, FIN 440, MGMT 440, or MRKT 440
- A 2.50 cumulative grade point average is required to enroll in 300-400 level CoB courses. A letter grade must be earned in any course that fulfills a major requirement.
- Students must earn a 2.50 institutional GPA to graduate.
- Of the credits completed in residence at least 30 credits must be in 300-400 level CoB courses.
- Students must be accepted to the business administration major prior to the completion of the last 30 credits in 300 and 400 level CoB courses.
- For multiple majors within CoB, at least 15 unique credits of 300-400 level CoB courses must exist between the majors.
- Internship and cooperative education credits may be applied toward the total credits required for graduation as non-major electives.
- Students should refer to www.ndsu.edu/business for current and complete listing of the major requirements.