**First Term** | **Second Term** | **Third Term** | **Fourth Term** | **Electives**
---|---|---|---|---
Parallel Plan* | Parallel Plan* | Parallel Plan* | Parallel Plan* | 
ENGL | MATH or STAT | MATH or ACCT 2001 | ACCT 2001 | 
MATH or STAT | ECON | ECON | Gen Ed | 
Language/Gen Ed | Gen Ed | Language/Gen Ed | Language/Elective/Business | 
UNIV 1800/1810 | Language/Gen Ed | | | 

**BUSINESS CRITICAL REQUIRED COURSES:**
*Must be completed or in progress (on your UConn transcript) to be eligible to apply—expected to take 4 terms.*

- ACCT 2001 Recommended for sophomore year
- ECON 1201\(^2\) or ECON 1200\(^2\)
- ECON 1202\(^2\)
- ENGL 1010, 1011, or 2011\(^\text{Honors}\)
- MATH 1070Q
- MATH 1071Q or 1131Q
- STAT 1000Q or 1100Q or 91100 Q-Level

Math 1070Q & 1131Q is an approved sequence, and MATH 1131Q & 1132Q is an approved sequence. See catalog for full list of approved Math sequences.

**BUSINESS GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIRED COURSES:**
*Not required for admission. Complete at least one course from each category by graduation.*

- **Content Area 1:** Choose one from Business Arts and Humanities list
  - HIST 1201, 1400, 1501/W, 1502/W, 1600 (LLAS 1190/W), 1800, 3705, or ECON 2102/W-Level

- **Content Area 1:** Choose one from the Business Philosophy list
  - PHIL 1011, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, or 1175

- **Business Communication requirement**
  - COMM 1000\(^2\) or 1100

- **Content Area 3:** Take the Business Psychology requirement
  - PSYC 1100

- **Content Area 4:** Choose one from the Business International list
  - ANTH 1000/W\(^2\); ANTH/HRTS 3153/W; CLCS 2211; GEOG 1700\(^2\), 2000\(^2\); HRTS 1007\(^2\); NRE 2600; PHIL 1106; POLS 1202/W\(^2\), 1207\(^2\); or WGGSS 2124\(^2\)

- **Content Area 4:** Choose one from the list above or from the Business Diversity list
  - Additional from international list above or AFRA/ANTH 3152\(^2\); AFRA/POLS 3642; AMST 1201/ENGL 1201/HIST 1503; INTD 2245; PHIL 1107; or SOCI 1501/W\(^2\)

**YOUR PLAN FOR THE NEXT THREE SEMESTERS:**

**Term: Spring 2020**

**Term: Fall 2020**

**Term: Spring 2021**

**UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIRED COURSES:**
*Not required for admission. Complete before graduating.*

- **Environmental Literacy:**
  - "E" course (any course with an "E" at the end of the course number, can overlap with CA requirements)

- **Content Area 3-LAB:** Laboratory Science
  - One lab course from the list in the catalog:

- **Writing Competency:**
  - "W" course (any course with a "W" at the end of the course number, can overlap with CA requirements) **note that some Honors thesis courses in the School of Business are designated as W, see website: undergrad.business.uconn.edu/honors

- **Content Area 2:** Social Science\(^2\)
  - CA2 course (use planning grid to confirm completion, frequently “double dipped” with CA4)

**CA1**

**PHIL:**

**BUSN Arts/ Humanities:**

**CA2**

**ECON 1201/1202**

**CA3**

**PSYC 1100**

**CA4**

**BUSN Int:**

**BUSN Diversity or Int:**

**NOTE:** Courses fulfilling CA1, CA2, and CA3 must be drawn from at least six different subject areas; courses within each of these CAs must be drawn from two different subjects; one CA4 course can “double dip” with CA1, CA2, or CA3.

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**EXPLORING YOUR ACADEMIC OPPORTUNITIES**

- **School of Business Majors** [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/majors]
  - Important to explore and learn about your major of interest
- **The Major Experience** [tme.uconn.edu]
  - The Major Experience (TME) is an all-inclusive program that unites the best major exploration resources and allows you the opportunity to learn about potential majors, careers, and (most importantly) yourself.
- **School of Business Minors** [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/minors]
  - Integrate a Business minor into your parallel plan
- **Business Study Abroad Opportunities** [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/study-abroad]
  - Open to Non-Business students—start planning early
- **Dual Degree** [catalog.uconn.edu/academic-regulations] *see catalog
  - Requires a minimum of 30 additional credits (150+ credits total)
- **Alternative Paths to Business Careers**
  - Discuss options and plan with current Advisor
  - Explore career resources and detailed major recommendations: [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/applying/alternatives](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/applying/alternatives)
  - Consider Business Fundamentals Summer Program: [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/bfsp](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/bfsp)
  - Consider graduate and 4+1 programs: [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/4plus1](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/4plus1)

**ELECTIVES/PARALLEL PLAN**

- Create a parallel plan and take required courses for an **alternate major** should you not gain admission ([undergrad.business.uconn.edu/applying/alternatives](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/applying/alternatives))
  - Start taking 2000+ level courses in your alternate major
  - Take courses towards a **minor** in complimentary program or area of interest ([catalog.uconn.edu/minors](catalog.uconn.edu/minors))

**PLANNING FOR YOUR ADMISSION**

Admissions Information: [http://undergrad.business.uconn.edu/applying/current-students/](http://undergrad.business.uconn.edu/applying/current-students/) Please attend information sessions each semester to be aware of the current process and criteria, and how to best be prepared.

**Criteria and Factors Considered in Review**

- **Academics:** 60%
- **Essay:** 30%
  - Prompt is typically available at least 4 weeks before the start of the term
- **Résumé:** 10%
  - Focused on your activity after graduating from high school

**GET INVOLVED AND DEVELOP LEADERSHIP SKILLS**

- **Gain Knowledge through LAUNCH and Cornerstone Communications**
  - [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/launch](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/launch)
  - Subscribe to our developmental communications sent weekly to help you make strategic engagement decisions
- **Join a Student/Community Group or Organization**
  - These are great ways to build the skills desired by employers and communicate to the admissions committee that you are an active and engaged student
  - **Student Organizations in the School of Business**
    - [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/student-orgs](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/student-orgs)
  - Most organizations are open to students who have an interest in Business from any major. Please check website for more details.
- **Student Organizations at UConn**
  - [uconntact.uconn.edu/organizations](uconntact.uconn.edu/organizations)
- **Professional Organizations**
  - [diversity.business.uconn.edu/leadership](diversity.business.uconn.edu/leadership)—scroll all the way down
  - **Community Involvement**
    - [communityoutreach.uconn.edu](communityoutreach.uconn.edu)
- **Participate in experiences to grow your leadership skills**
  - These opportunities are a few of the ways you can grow your skills and learn more about yourself as a leader
  - **UConn Leadership Development Programs**
    - [leadership.uconn.edu](leadership.uconn.edu)
  - **Summer Leadership Development Programs**
    - [diversity.business.uconn.edu/leadership](diversity.business.uconn.edu/leadership)
  - **Mentoring Programs**
    - [diversity.business.uconn.edu/mentoring](diversity.business.uconn.edu/mentoring)
- **Attend Events**
  - [events.uconn.edu](events.uconn.edu)
  - Look for opportunities that will develop your knowledge in your major of interest—these may be offered through a variety of organizations within our campus community
  - Network with employers through various events
- **Earn an Experiential Certificate**
  - [undergrad.business.uconn.edu/experiential-certificates](undergrad.business.uconn.edu/experiential-certificates)
- **Keep Current with Business and Global Events**
  - Read news sources like the Wall Street Journal
  - Attend discussions that help you decipher and apply what you are learning in your classes and reading in the news.
  - Research employers
  - Obtain your Bloomberg Certification
    - [finance.business.uconn.edu/bloomberg-at-uconn](finance.business.uconn.edu/bloomberg-at-uconn)

**MAKE YOURSELF INFORMED**

- **Visit the Office of Undergraduate Advising Website**
  - [undergrad.business.uconn.edu](undergrad.business.uconn.edu)
  - Familiarize yourself with admissions process
  - See Admissions Information Session schedule (attend every term)
  - Research Majors and Departments
  - View Major Plans of Study
  - Sign up for LAUNCH communications for helpful information
  - Use the Permission Number Request Form (for any Business course in which you cannot self-enroll)
  - View Open Advising Hours schedule for each campus