

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

PLAN OF STUDY

CATALOG YEAR: 2017-2018

Please consult with Academic Advisors as not all business classes are offered each academic semester.

SAMPLE SEQUENCE FOR LAST TWO YEARS WITH REQUIRED BUSINESS COURSES ONLY

Fifth Semester – Fall

BUSN 3005 (1 credit)
FNCE 3101
MGMT 3101
OPIM 3103

Sixth Semester – Spring

ACCT 2101
BUSN 3003W
MKTG 3101
OPIM 3104

Seventh Semester – Fall

3000/4000 level Business course
3000/4000 level Business course
3000/4000 level Business course
BLAW 3175

Eighth Semester – Spring

MGMT 4902
3000/4000 level Business course
3000/4000 level Business course

*Business Core completion should be planned out according to the prerequisites needed to complete courses for the 3000/4000 level Business course requirements.

BUSN 3005: Take as early as possible, preferably in sophomore year.

Open to Sophomores: May be taken prior to fifth semester as they are open to sophomores, check the catalog for full pre-requisites. BUSN 3003W should be taken early.

Residence Requirement: At least 50% of the business credit hours required for the business degree must be earned while a student at the University of Connecticut. At least 24 credits in 3000/4000 level courses including MGMT 4902 and BUSN 3003W must be earned at the University of Connecticut, including no more than three independent study credits and three field study internship credits. Education Abroad courses may not be used to meet this requirement.

Students in UConn Honors Program: Must complete an honors thesis in Senior year.

GPA Rule for Graduation: A minimum cumulative 2.0 GPA in all major courses, all Business courses, and all graded courses is required for graduation. See catalog for details.

YOUR PLAN WITH REQUIRED BUSINESS, REMAINING GEN-EDS, & REMAINING ELECTIVES

Consult with an Academic Advisor at your campus to determine course availability by campus at least two semesters ahead for proper planning

Fifth Semester

Sixth Semester

Seventh Semester

Eighth Semester

Business Core and Capstone – 31 credits

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits	Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits
ACCT	2001	Principles of Financial Accounting	3	*MGMT	3101 ^S	Managerial and Interpersonal Behavior	3
ACCT	2101 ^S	Principles of Managerial Accounting	3	MGMT	4902 ^R	Strategic Analysis (Seniors only)	3
*BLAW	3175 ^S	Legal and Ethical Env. of Business	3	*MKTG	3101	Introduction to Marketing Management	3
BUSN	3003W ^{SR}	Business Communications	3	*OPIM	3103 ^S	Business Information Systems	3
BUSN	3005 ^S	Career Development in Business	1	*OPIM	3104	Operations Management	3
*FNCE	3101 ^S	Financial Management	3				

Major Required Courses – 15 credits

Choose five 3-credit 3000/4000 level School of Business courses
(Any ACCT, BADM, BUSN, BLAW, FNCE, HCMI, MKTG, MGMT, or OPIM course)

Dept.	No.	Course Title	Credits
_____	_____	_____	3
_____	_____	_____	3
_____	_____	_____	3
_____	_____	_____	3
_____	_____	_____	3

Total Required Business Credits

Previously 49 Credits Required

46

Note on update to 2017-18 Plan of Study

Beginning Fall 2020, the Business Administration major changed the academic requirements. This document reflects the flexibility that is now permitted within the major and the automatic substitutions that will be applied to a student's Degree Requirements Report in Student Admin.

There are no additional requirements.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS CATALOG YEAR 2017-2018

Please refer to the Undergraduate Catalog for specific details relating to course requirements, descriptions, and restrictions: www.catalog.uconn.edu

SAMPLE SEQUENCE* FOR BALANCED SEMESTERS OF REQUIRED COURSES FOR FIRST AND SECOND YEARS:

Students should choose an appropriate course sequence with the help of their Academic Advisor.

First Semester/Term

MATH⁴ or STAT⁴
ENGL or ECON
Gen Ed
Language¹/ Elective
UNIV 1800/1810 (1 credit)

Second Semester/Term

MATH⁴ or STAT⁴
ENGL or ECON
Gen Ed
Gen Ed
Language¹/Elective

Third Semester/Term

MATH⁴ or STAT⁴ or ACCT 2001³
Remaining Critical
Gen Ed
Gen Ed
Language¹/Elective/Business

Fourth Semester/Term

ACCT 2001^{3,4} or 3000-level Business
Remaining Critical or Gen Ed
Gen Ed
Gen Ed
Language¹/Elective/Business
BUSN 3005 (1 credit)

Business Critical Required Courses

Must be completed in your first four terms:

- _____ ACCT 2001³
- _____ ECON 1201^{2,5}
- _____ ECON 1202^{2,5}
- _____ ENGL⁶ 1010, 1011, or 2011
- _____ MATH⁷ 1070Q
- _____ MATH⁷ 1071Q or 1131Q
- _____ STAT 1000Q, 1100Q, or 91100

Business General Education Required Courses

Complete at least one course from each category by graduation; use with the Content Area planning grid below to ensure you are meeting all University Content Area requirements

Business Arts and Humanities

- _____ ECON 2102; HIST 1201, 1400, 1501⁹, 1502⁹, 1800, 3705, or 1600/LLAS 1190

Business Philosophy

- _____ PHIL 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, or 1175

Business Communication

- _____ COMM 1000^{2,8} or 1100⁸

Business Psychology

- _____ PSYC 1100

Business International

- _____ ANTH 1000²; ANTH/HRTS 3153; CLCS 2201; GEOG 1700², 2000²; HRTS 1007²; NRE 2600; PHIL 1106; POLS 1202^{2,10}, 1207²; or WGSS 1124/2124²

Business Diversity or an additional course from the Business International list

- _____ AFRA/ANTH 3152²; AFRA/POLS 3642; AMST 1201/ENGL 1201/HIST 1503; INTD 2245; PHIL 1107; or SOCI 1501²

CONTENT AREA PLANNING GRID		
CA1	PHIL:	BUSN Arts/Hum:
CA2	² Choose CA2:	² Choose CA2:
CA3	PSYC 1100	Lab Science:
CA4	BUSN Int'l:	BUSN Div./Int'l:
<p>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.</p>		

University General Education Required Courses

Complete by graduation

Second Language Requirement¹

- _____ third year level course in high school **OR** completed through Intermediate Level II in a single foreign language

Laboratory Science – Content Area 3 (Science and Technology)

- _____ One course from the list in the catalog: <http://catalog.uconn.edu/general-education/>

Writing Competency

- _____ One "W" writing course, *in addition to* ENGL and the "W" course in the major

Social Science² – Content Area 2

- _____ Use Planning Grid to confirm CA2 requirement is met (*courses with ² note a CA2 gen-ed*)

Elective Courses:

- The degree in business requires a minimum of 120 degree credits of course work; the typical Business student needs approximately 30 elective credits.
- Out of the **120 credits required**, a minimum of **60 credits must be from non-business courses**. General education requirements on this sheet can be included in the 60 non-business credits. No more than 9 credits of economics and no more than 6 credits of statistics may be counted as part of these 60 credits.
- Common ways to earn electives include: taking non-required courses to improve specific skills or competencies, taking language courses, studying abroad, completing a minor in a non-Business subject, completing a minor in a Business subject, completing a dual degree, and more.

Important Notes:

*Sample sequence above includes some space for 3000-level Business courses that are open to Business students with sophomore standing. These courses are not required to be taken in the sophomore year to stay on track. Some 3000-level Business courses have multiple criticals as prerequisites, so if a student plans to take them in the sophomore year, it will likely require an adjustment to the critical sequencing. Decisions to include these courses in a student's sophomore year should be made in consultation with their Academic Advisor.

¹ Second language competency requirements should be completed as early as possible.

² Notes all courses that are Content Area 2 (Social Sciences) courses. Students must take care to fulfil the University general education requirements by taking at least two Content Area 2 courses from different subject areas. Use the Content Area planning grid above to ensure all University general education requirements are met.

³ All students in the School of Business are held to the Scholastic Standing Requirements as written in the catalog (<http://catalog.uconn.edu/school-of-business/#Sch>), which outlines cumulative GPA requirements based on calculable credits of graded coursework. Additionally, all students must earn a minimum of 2.0 in their term grade point average, their cumulative grade point average and all School of Business courses numbered 3000/4000-level plus ACCT 2001 and ACCT 2101/BADM 2710.

⁴ It is suggested that a student have all Critical Q courses complete before taking ACCT 2001, which is common for students with AP or summer credits. Accounting majors are recommended to take ACCT 2001 in their third term, and ACCT 2101 in their fourth term, so that they are prepared for the 3000-level ACCT coursework in their fifth term.

⁵ Students may opt to take ECON 1200 to satisfy ECON 1201 and 1202. ECON 1200 is an intensive course ONLY recommended for students who have a successful background in Economics. ECON 1000 is recommended preparation for ECON 1200.

⁶ Students who place into ENGL 1003/1004 as a prerequisite for ENGL 1010/1011 (based on SAT or TOEFL score: <http://placement.uconn.edu/english-placement/>) can use the ENGL 1003/1004 credits towards elective credits. Honors Scholars take ENGL 2011 (required for Soph. Honors if no AP credit, see <http://honors.uconn.edu/>) in place of ENGL 1010/1011.

⁷ Other approved math sequences include 1131Q & 1132Q; 1131Q & 1070Q; 1151Q & 1152Q; and 1151Q & 1070Q. See the undergraduate catalog for the full list.

⁸ COMM 1100 is recommended for Accounting majors. COMM 1000 is recommended for students interested in pursuing a COMM minor.

⁹ HIST 1501 and 1502 are recommended for students who have not completed high school level courses in American Government and American History.

¹⁰ POLS 1202 is recommended for students who have not completed a High School level course in American Government.

Students are ultimately held responsible for meeting all University and degree requirements.