BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEGREE (ENTERING COLLEGE FALL 2002 OR LATER)



Students earning degrees through the College of Business Administration are required to complete:

60 credit hours of non-business coursework

30 hours of core business coursework

18 hours of Business Electives at the Junior/Senior Level

 $\underline{12}$ hours of business or non-business approved electives credit hours

120 credits

I. Required Non-Business Coursework includes the campus general education requirements. Students must complete a 42-hour block of courses from an approved list of general education courses. These courses are from six areas:

Skill Goals: 1) Communicating Skills - (English 1100 plus one 3 hr. course)

2) Managing Information Skills (BA 1800 or another approved course)

3) Valuing Skills (Econ 1001)

Knowledge Goals: 4)Social and Behavioral Sciences Knowledge Goal (Econ 1001, Econ 1002

plus one 3 hr. course)

5) Humanities and Fine Arts Knowledge Goal (three 3 hour classes)

6) Mathematics and Life/Natural Sciences (minimum twelve hours to include Math 1030,

Math 1100, Math 1105 and a natural or physical science course).

Additional requirements of the College of Business include:

- One cultural diversity studies course.
- Two upper-level courses in Global Awareness (business or non-business see approved list)
- One course to meet the State Requirement
- English 3120 Business Writing
- One additional 3 hour Social Science Course

II.	REQUIRE	D BU	SINESS ADMINISTRATION CORE COURSES:	30 Hour	<u>s</u>
	ACCTG 2	2400	Fundamentals of Financial Accounting	3	
	ACCTNG 2	2410	Managerial Accounting	3	
	INFSY 2	2800	Information Systems Concepts & Applications*	3	
	BUS AD 2	2900	Legal Environment of Business	3	A minimum grade of a C- is
	LOG OM 3	3300	Business Statistics	3	required for all core courses
	LOG OM 3	3320	Introduction to Operations Management	3	except BA 4219.
	FINANCE 3	3500	Financial Management	3	
	MGMT 3	3600	Management and Organizational Behavior	3	
	MKTG 3	3700	Basic Marketing	3	
	MGMT 4	4219	Strategic Management (capstone course, taken during the last semester)**	3	
	MGMT 4	4220	Business Assessment Test	0	

^{*}The prerequisite, BA 1800, can be waived by exam. See Website: http://mis.umsl.edu/1800waiverrequest.html

III. <u>BUSINESS APPROVED ELECTIVES REQUIREMENT:</u> Students are required to take 18 hours of Junior/Senior level Business electives. Students may choose to complete an emphasis area in Finance, International Business, Logistics and Operations Management, Management and Organizational Behavior, or Marketing, Students are not required to complete an emphasis area, and can choose the 18 hours of business electives from a variety of areas if they want a General Business Degree.

IV. For information on additional degree requirements or on the Business field see:

- The College of Business Administration Academic Advising website: http://www.umsl.edu/divisions/business/undergrad advising/
- The University of Missouri-St. Louis Bulletin on-line at http://www.umsl.edu/bulletin/

A STUDENT SEEKING TWO DEGREES SHOULD SPEAK WITH A BUSINESS ADVISOR. This does NOT pertain to completing more than one emphasis area. All emphasis areas are awarded as part of the BSBA degree, and are posted on the transcript, not the diploma.

PROGRAM SUBJECT TO CHANGE 06/08



^{**}Special Consent form needed for BA 4219: Strategic Management.

SAMPLE PROGRAM

Students must have 42 hours of General Education courses. Course in **bold** print count toward the 42 hours. See the list of Applicable courses on the College of Business Administration Web page or stop by the Dean's office for a copy.

FIRST SEMESTER SECOND SEMESTER

MATH 1030 College Algebra ENG 1100 Freshman Composition Humanities/Fine Arts Goal State Requirement Managing Information Skills Course MATH 1100 Basic Calculus ECON 1001 Microeconomics Social and Behavioral Science Knowledge Goal Humanities/Fine Arts Goal

* INFSYS 2800 Information Systems Concepts and Applications

THIRD SEMESTER

MATH 1105 Basic Probability & Statistics Communicating Skill course ACCTNG 2400 Fundamentals of Financial Acct. Econ 1002 Macroeconomics Life/Natural Sciences Goal

FIFTH SEMESTER

MKTG 3700 Basic Marketing MGMT 3600 Management & Org. Behavior LOG OM 3300 Business Statistics ENG 3120 Business Writing Global Awareness (Bus. or Non-Bus)

SEVENTH SEMESTER

Junior/Senior Level Business Elective Junior/Senior Level Business Elective Cultural Diversity Approved Non-Bus. Elective Approved Non-Bus. Elective

FOURTH SEMESTER

ACCTNG 2410 Managerial Accounting BUS AD 2900 Legal Environment of Business General Education course (for 42 hrs.) Humanities/Fine Arts Goal Social Science Course

SIXTH SEMESTER

FINANCE 3500 Financial Management LOG OM 3320 Intro to Operations Management Global Awareness Junior/Senior Level Business Elective Junior/Senior Level Business Elective

EIGHTH SEMESTER

MGMT 4220 Business Assessment Testing MGMT 4219 Strategic Management Junior/Senior Level Business Elective Junior/Senior Level Business Elective Approved Non-Business Elective Approved Business or Non-Business Elective

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Eighteen Credit Hours of Junior/Senior Level Business Administration Coursework is required for a Business Administration Degree.

Emphasis Areas are available in: Finance, International Business, Logistics and Operations Management, Management, Marketing, and General Business

For more information on emphasis areas in Business Administration, see the Emphasis Area Sheet.