

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEGREE

MICHAEL F. PRICE COLLEGE OF BUSINESS (www.ou.edu/biz)

THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA

For Students Entering the Oklahoma State System for Higher Education
Summer 2011 through Spring 2012

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS	
Minimum Total Hours	122
For OU and Combined Retention Grade Point Averages:	
Minimum Overall Grade Point Average	2.50
Minimum Grade Point Average in Major	2.50
Minimum Grade Point Average in Upper-Division Business Courses	2.50

Economics

B295

Major

OU encourages students to complete at least 31 hours of applicable coursework each year to have the opportunity to graduate in four years.

Subject	Hours	Courses	To enroll in upper-division business courses, students must be certified for degree candidacy and meet all prerequisites. See www.ou.edu/biz .	
Communications	9-19	ENGL 1113 , Principles of English Composition (Core I) ENGL 1213 , Principles of English Composition (Core I), or EXPO 1213 , Expository Writing (Core I) COMM 1113 , Principles of Communication, or COMM 2613 , Public Speaking Foreign Language , 0-10 hours, (Core I)—Students who have completed two years of high school foreign language are exempt from the general education foreign language requirement.	Core Requirements - 15 hours	Major Requirements - 18 hours
			FIN 3303 , Business Finance L S 3323 , Legal Environment of Business MGT 3013 , Principles of Organization and Management MKT 3013 , Principles of Marketing B AD 4013 , Business Strategy and Policy—Capstone (to be taken last semester of senior year)	NO CORRESPONDENCE COURSES 6 Hours ECON 3113 , Intermediate Micro-economic Theory ECON 3133 , Intermediate Macro-economic Theory Twelve hours of upper-division Economics: _____ _____ _____ _____
Behavioral & Social Science	6	P SC 1113 , American Federal Government (Core III) Elect 3 hours from the following fields: Anthropology, Psychology, Sociology, Political Science, Geography (economic, human or political).	† = requires completion of all other business core courses prior to enrollment and permission from Price Academic Advising.	
Humanities	12	HIST 1483 or 1493 , U.S. (Core IV) 1 course from each of the following 3 fields (Core IV): §Understanding Artistic Forms - _____ §Western Civilization and Culture - _____ §Non-Western Culture - _____ One upper-division course from the approved University-Wide General Education course list (outside the major) must be selected in addition to the capstone course, B AD 4013. Courses taken to fulfill the University-Wide General Education requirements must be chosen from the list of approved courses available online . This course may be taken in the upper-division elective category.	Three hours to be selected from the following fields: ACCT, B AD, B C, EMGT, ENT, FIN, L S, MGT, MIS, MKT, and SCM.	
Science & Mathematics	16	§Natural Sciences—7 hours, 2 courses taken from the biological and/or physical sciences. The two courses must be from different disciplines and at least one course must include a laboratory component. (Core II) _____ _____ MATH 1643 , Precalculus for Business, Life, and Social Sciences (Core I—Substitute: 1523 , Precalculus & Trigonometry) MATH 1743 , Calculus I for Business, Life & Social Sciences (Core I—Substitute: 1823 , Calculus & Analytic Geom. I) MATH 2123 , Calculus II for Business, Life & Social Sciences (Substitute: 2423 , Calculus & Analytic Geom. II)	6 hours if exempt from foreign language. Free electives may be taken in any lower- or upper-division area outside Price College or the Department of Economics. B AD 2110, MGT 2013, and MKT 2013 will not count for credit toward a BBA. A maximum of 2 hours of physical education activity courses will count toward this degree.	
		ACCT 2113 , Fundamental Financial Accounting ACCT 2123 , Fundamental Managerial Accounting B AD 1001 , Personal Computing Productivity Tools B AD 2091 , Business and Professional Basics B C 2813 , Business Writing ECON 1113 , Principles of Economics—Macro (Core III) ECON 1123 , Principles of Economics—Micro ECON 2843 , Elements of Statistics MIS 2113 , Computer-Based Information Systems†		
§Courses taken to fulfill the University General Education Requirements must be chosen from the University-Wide General Education Approved Course List.				

†This course fulfills the Computer Literacy Requirement for graduation as required by the Oklahoma State Regents for Higher Education.
 A combined maximum of 8 hours of military science, aviation and physical education activity courses will count toward the 122 hours, with a maximum of 2 hours of physical education activity courses.

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

- Thirty-six hours of upper-division business courses (3000-4000) are required.
- No more than 18 hours of 3000-4000-level economics courses can be taken to count toward the required 122 hours.
- 3000-level core courses must be completed to enroll in 4000-level business courses.

- Candidates for the B.B.A. degree must complete their last 30 hours as resident students in Price College. However, if a candidate has completed the last 51 hours as a resident student at the University of Oklahoma, 9 of the last 60 hours may be taken at another university or by correspondence from OU.
- Pass/No Pass **WILL NOT** be accepted for any upper-division Business or General Education courses or any specifically required courses.
- One upper-division course in each of the following areas is required: FIN, L S, MGT, and MKT.
- Sixty hours, excluding physical education activity courses, must be taken at a baccalaureate degree-granting institution.

Suggested Semester Advisement Plan

Courses in bold must be completed before student may apply for degree candidacy. Additional hours may be required if remedial math or foreign language is required. Please see an academic counselor to develop a plan of study.				
Year	FIRST SEMESTER	Hours	SECOND SEMESTER	Hours
FRESHMAN	COMM 1113, Principles of Communication, or COMM 2613, Public Speaking	3	B AD 1001, Personal Computing Productivity Tools	1
	ECON 1113 , Principles of Economics—Macro (Core III) ENGL 1113, Principles of English Composition (Core I) HIST 1483, United States 1492-1865, or 1493, United States 1865-Present MATH 1643, Precalculus for Business, Life, and Social Sciences	3 3 3 3	ECON 1123 , Principles of Economics—Micro (Core III) ENGL 1213, Principles of English Composition (Core I), or EXPO 1213, Expository Writing (Core I) MATH 1743, Calculus I for Business, Life & Social Sciences (Core I) P SC 1113, American Federal Government (Core III) †Natural Science (Core II)	3 3 3 3 3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16
During the second semester, sophomore year: • Apply for degree candidacy • Recommended semester to study abroad				
SOPHOMORE	ACCT 2113 , Fundamental Financial Accounting B AD 2091, Business and Professional Basics ECON 2843 , Elements of Statistics MATH 2123, Calculus II for Business, Life & Social Sciences MIS 2113 , Computer-Based Information Systems	3 1 3 3 3	ACCT 2123, Fundamental Managerial Accounting B C 2813, Business Writing †Natural Science with Lab (2nd discipline) (Core II) †Non-Western Culture (Core IV) †Understanding Artistic Forms (Core IV)	3 3 4 3 3
	♦Behavioral & Social Science	3		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	16
This major normally requires three semesters of study beyond the business core requirements.				
JUNIOR	ECON 3113, Intermediate Microeconomic Theory L S 3323, Legal Environment of Business MGT 3013, Principles of Organization and Management MKT 3013, Principles of Marketing	3 3 3 3	ECON 3133, Intermediate Macroeconomic Theory ECON Elective FIN 3303, Business Finance ‡Upper-Division General Education Elective †Western Civilization and Culture (Core IV)	3 3 3 3 3
	Upper-Division Elective	3		
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15
SENIOR	ECON Elective ECON Elective Free Elective Free Elective Upper-Division Elective	3 3 3 3 2	B AD 4013, Business Strategy and Policy—Capstone ECON Elective Upper-Division Business Elective Upper-Division Elective Upper-Division Elective	3 3 3 3 3
	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	14	TOTAL CREDIT HOURS	15
♦ = Behavioral and Social Science courses must be chosen from the following: anthropology, psychology, sociology, political science, or geography (economic, human or political). † = University-Wide General Education course, refer to online listing . ‡ = May be free elective if artistic form, Western civilization and culture, Non-Western culture or science is 3000- or 4000-level.				
University-Wide General Education Requirements (minimum 40 hours)				
Courses designated as Core I, II, III, IV, or Capstone are part of the General Education curriculum. Students must complete a minimum of 40 hours of General Education courses, chosen from the approved list, including at least one upper-division Gen. Ed. course outside of the student's major. Courses graded S/U or P/NP will not apply.				
Core I	Symbolic and Oral Communication (9–19 hours, 3–5 courses) •English Composition—6 hours, 2 courses •Mathematics—3 hours, 1 course •Foreign Language—0–10 hours, 2 courses in the same language, (which can be met by successfully completing two years of the same foreign language in high school) •Other (courses such as communication, logic or public speaking)			
Core II	Natural Science (7 hours, 2 courses) •Courses must be taken from different disciplines in the biological and/or physical sciences; one of which must include a laboratory.			
Core III	Social Science (6 hours, 2 courses) •One course must be P SC 1113, “American Federal Government”			
Core IV	Humanities (12 hours, 4 courses) •Understanding Artistic Forms—3 hours, 1 course •Western Civilization and Culture—6 hours, 2 courses, including HIST 1483 or HIST 1493 •Non-Western Cultures—3 hours, 1 course			
Senior Capstone Experience (3 hours, 1 course)				