

Four-Year Degree Plan for Major in Business Information Technology

Note that this is a sample four-year plan. There are other course sequences that will allow a student to graduate within four years as long as prerequisite courses are taken in the proper sequence. This sample plan does not guarantee course availability, and adjustments to students' plans may be necessary if they are unable to take specific courses during specific semesters. Students who are placed into lower level AWR, MAT or other prerequisite courses will need to adjust their four-year plans accordingly. Similarly, students who bring in Advanced Placement, dual enrollment or transfer credit for courses will need to adjust their four-year plans. A minimum of a 2.0 GPA both overall and in the major is required for graduation. In addition to major requirements, all components of the Baccalaureate Experience must be completed in order to minimum of 124 credit hours to qualify for the Bachelor of Science degree in Business Information Technology.

First (Freshman) Year - Fall Semester

BAC 101	First-Year Seminar I	1
	or	
HON 101	Pathways to Honors 1	1
AWR 101	Writing and Inquiry	4
MAT 225	Calculus for Business	4
BUS 101	Introduction to Global Business	4
ECO 204	Principles of Microeconomics	4
		Subtotal: 17

First (Freshman) Year - Spring Semester

BAC 102	First-Year Seminar II	1
	or	
HON 102	Pathways to Honors 2	1
SPE 208	Speech for Business and the Professions	4
ACC 202	Financial Accounting Information	4
ECO 205	Principles of Macroeconomics	4
ITM 220	Management Information Systems	4
		Subtotal: 17

Second (Sophomore) Year - Fall Semester

AWR 201	Writing and Research	4
QMB 210	Managerial Statistics	4
ITM 251	Application Development	4
	Humanities/Fine Arts (Bacc. Exp.)	4
	or	
	Foreign Language	4
		Subtotal: 16

Second (Sophomore) Year - Spring Semester

ACC 203	Managerial Accounting	4
BIT 275	Information Technology Business Concepts	4
	Natural Science (Bacc. Exp.)	3
	Humanities/Fine Arts (Bacc. Exp.)	4

Subtotal: 15

Third (Junior) Year - Fall Semester

MGT 330	Principles of Management	4
	Social Science (Bacc. Exp.)	4
BIT 345	Web and Mobile Technology Applications	4
	Natural Science (Bacc. Exp.)	3
		Subtotal: 15

Third (Junior) Year - Spring Semester

MKT 300	Principles of Marketing	4
BUS 221	Business Law and Social Responsibility	4
BIT 365	Business Database Technology	4
	Social Science (Bacc. Exp.)	4
		Subtotal: 16

Fourth (Senior) Year - Fall Semester

BIT 475	BIT 475 Technology Solutions for Businesses	4
ITM/FIN	Elective	4
	Humanities/Fine Arts Elective	4
FIN 310	Financial Management	4
		Subtotal: 16

Fourth (Senior) Year - Spring Semester

	General Elective	4
ITM/FIN	Elective	4
MGT 431	Practical Strategic Assessment	4
		Subtotal: 12

- SPE 208 fulfills 4 credit hours of the Humanities/Fine Arts requirement.
- Natural Science courses must be from different areas, one in biology and the other in chemical or physical science.
- Prerequisites are strictly enforced.

Note: Lower division COB core requirements, such as AWR 101 and 102, and MAT 225, should be completed by the end of the sophomore year to facilitate graduation within four years.

Students should work closely with their faculty advisor to ensure that all remaining core requirements and functional area major requirements are scheduled. Students should meet with their faculty advisor to determine a course of study for the last two years, depending on functional area.

MAT 22 Non-native English-language students whose TOEFL scores are 550, 213 (CBT) or 79–80 (IBT) or better do not need a second foreign language.

A primary objective of the various international business majors is to develop a broad awareness of global issues. Students who wish to develop a more in-depth understanding of specific geographic areas and other cultures may target their electives outside the major to focus on Latin America, Western Europe or Third World countries. Students are not required, however, to select a specific geographic specialization for the electives in their major.⁵ is required of all

COB majors. This course will satisfy the 4-credit baccalaureate math requirement.