

Articulation Agreement by Major

Effective during the 2022-2023 Academic Year

To: California State University, Sacramento
2022-2023 General Catalog, Semester

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Business Administration, BS

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Bachelor of Science in Business Administration requires a minimum of 120 semester units including major requirements, general education requirements, and graduation requirements. This articulation agreement includes only the lower-division courses required in the major. For additional information on the remaining requirements necessary for completion of this degree, please see our [university catalog](#).

PROGRAM IMPACTION

All undergraduate programs within the College of Business have officially been designated as [impacted](#). Students interested in becoming Business Administration majors must complete the following pre-major requirements (in addition to the transfer admission requirements) and complete a [supplemental application](#) to the major (in addition to their Cal State Apply application):

- Completion of the following lower-division pre-major courses with a minimum grade of "C-" or better, with the exception of MATH 24 which requires a minimum grade of "C" or better: **ACCY 1, 2; ECON 1A, 1B; MATH 24; MGMT 10; STAT 1.**
- An overall GPA of 2.0 ("C") is required for all pre-major courses. Please be advised, an overall GPA of 2.0 does not guarantee admission to the major. Applicants will be rank ordered by overall GPA.
- All pre-majors must demonstrate computer literacy and competency by completing **MIS 10**.

Please note: the supplemental application for Business will only be made available to students who are selected for admission to the university.

DEPARTMENT COMMENTS

1. Students must earn a "C-" grade or higher in all courses required in the major.
2. Business Administration majors may select from one of several concentrations: 1) Accountancy; 2) Business Analytics; 3) Entrepreneurship; 4) Finance; 5) General Management; 6) Management of Human Resources and Organizational Behavior; 7) International Business; 8) Management Information Systems; 9) Marketing; or 10) Supply Chain Management. The lower-division pre-major requirements are the same for each concentration; however, students interested in the Management Information Systems concentration should also complete MS 15.
3. The Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) in Business Administration and Business Administration 2.0 is compatible with the following concentrations: Business Analytics, Entrepreneurship, Finance, General Management, Management of Human Resources and Organizational Behavior, International Business, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management. Students pursuing the Associate Degree for Transfer must complete all lower-division major coursework with a "C" or better.
4. **Foreign Language Graduation Requirement Exemption:** Students graduating with a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (all concentrations) will not be subject to the University's Foreign Language Graduation Requirement. Students who change major may be subject to the University's Foreign Language Graduation Requirement.
5. MATH 24 requires a minimum grade of "C" or better. AP Calculus with a score of 3 or above or any college-level Calculus course (NOT Pre-Calculus) will be accepted in lieu of MATH 24.
6. For information on the COB's Academic Policies (including grading and repeat policies), please visit: [COB Academic Policies](#).
7. For information on the COB's Program requirements, please visit: [COB Program Requirements](#).
8. For additional information, please visit: [College of Business](#).

TRANSFER ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Admission Eligibility Requirements for Transfer Students:

1. Complete at least 60 transferable semester units or 90 quarter units
2. Be in "Good Standing" at the last college or university attended.
3. Have a minimum overall college GPA of 2.0 if you are within our [local service area](#). If you are outside of our local service area, the academic characteristics of the transfer applicant pool will determine the GPA minimum.
4. Complete, with a "C-" or higher, the following "Golden 4" courses:
 - A1 - Oral Communication
 - A2 - Written Communication
 - A3 - Critical Thinking
 - B4 - Quantitative Reasoning (Mathematics above Intermediate Algebra)
5. Complete at least 30 units in CSU General Education or IGETC coursework.

For additional information and updates, please visit: [Transfer Student Admission](#).

CONTACT INFORMATION

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LOWER DIVISION MAJOR PREPARATION COURSES

ACCY 1 - Accounting Fundamentals (3.00)

← **ACCT 301** - Financial Accounting (4.00)

ACCY 2 - Managerial Accounting (3.00)

← **ACCT 311** - Managerial Accounting (4.00)

ECON 1A - Introduction to Macroeconomic Analysis (3.00)

← **ECON 302** - Principles of Macroeconomics (3.00)

ECON 1B - Introduction to Microeconomic Analysis (3.00)

← **ECON 304** - Principles of Microeconomics (3.00)

MATH 24 - Modern Business Mathematics (3.00)

← **MATH 340** - Calculus for Business and Economics (3.00)

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MATH 342 - Modern Business Mathematics (3.00)

MGMT 10 - Introduction to Business Law (3.00)

← **BUS 340** - Business Law (3.00)

STAT 1 - Introduction to Statistics (3.00)

← **STAT 300** - Introduction to Probability and Statistics (4.00)

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PSYC 330 - Introductory Statistics for the Behavioral Sciences (3.00)

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STAT 480 - Introduction to Probability and Statistics - Honors (4.00)

COMPUTER LITERACY AND COMPETENCY

MIS 10 - Business Applications (2.00)

← **CISA 315** - Introduction to Electronic Spreadsheets (2.00)

REQUIRED FOR CONCENTRATION IN MANAGEMENT INFORMATION SYSTEMS

MIS 15 - Introduction to Business Programming (3.00)

← **CISP 370** - Beginning Visual Basic (4.00)

ELECTIVE COURSE FOR THE CONCENTRATION IN FINANCE (REAL ESTATE TRACK)

FIN 19 - Real Estate Principles (3.00)

← **RE 300** - California Real Estate Principles (3.00)

END OF AGREEMENT