

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS - BACHELOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

A Suggested Plan of Study for Students

This roadmap assumes student placement in MATH 1220G College Algebra and ENGL 1110G Composition I. The contents and order of this roadmap may vary depending on initial student placement in mathematics and english. It is only a suggested plan of study for students and is not intended as a contract. Course availability may vary from fall to spring semester and may be subject to modification or change.

First Year

Fall		Credits
MATH 1220G	College Algebra (C- or better) ¹	3
BCIS 1110	Introduction to Information Systems (C- or better)	3
Choose one from the following:		4
ENGL 1110G	Composition I (C- or better) ¹	
ENGL 1110H	Composition I Honors (C- or better) ¹	
ENGL 1110M	Composition I (C- or better) ¹	
Area V: Humanities Course ²		3
Elective Course ³		3
Credits		16

Spring

MATH 1430G	Applications of Calculus I (C- or better) ¹	3
BUSA 1110	Intro to Business (C- or better)	3
Choose one from the following:		3
ACOM 1130G	Effective Leadership and Communication in Agriculture (C- or better)	
COMM 1115G	Introduction to Communication (C- or better)	
COMM 1130G	Public Speaking (C- or better)	
HNRS 2175G	Introduction to Communication Honors (C- or better)	
Area III: Laboratory Science Course ²		4
Area VI: Fine Arts Course ²		3
Credits		16

Second Year

Fall		Credits
Choose one from the following:		3
MATH 1350G	Introduction to Statistics (C- or better) ¹	
A ST 311	Statistical Applications (C- or better)	
ECON 2110G	Macroeconomic Principles (C- or better, counts towards Area IV Gen.Ed)	3
ACCT 2110	Principles of Accounting I (C- or better)	3
ENGL 2210G	Professional and Technical Communication Honors (C- or better, counts towards Area I Gen.Ed) ¹	3
Viewing a Wider World Course ⁴		3
Credits		15

Spring

ECON 2120G	Principles of Microeconomics (C- or better, counts towards Area IV Gen.Ed) ¹	3
ACCT 2120	Principles of Accounting II	3

Elective Course ²	4	
Elective Course ³	3	
Viewing a Wider World Course ⁴	3	
Credits		16

Third Year

Fall		Credits
I B 351	International Business ¹	3
Upper Division Course- Functional Business Area		3
BCIS 338	Business Information Systems I ¹	3
MKTG 303	Principles of Marketing	3
MGMT 309	Human Behavior in Organizations	3
Credits		15

Spring

BFIN 341	Financial Analysis and Markets ¹	3
Upper Division Course: Functional Business area		3
BLAW 316	Legal Environment of Business	3
ECON or A ST Upper-Division Elective (excluding A ST 311) ³		3
I B 475	International Finance	3
Credits		15

Fourth Year

Fall		Credits
Choose one from the following:		3
ECON 324V	Developing Nations	
I B 398	International Business and Economic Environments (spring only)	
BFIN 475 or I B 475	International Managerial Finance (Fall only) or International Finance	
Choose one from the following:		3
MGMT 344	Production and Operations Management ¹	
MGMT 470	Project Management in Organizations	
BCIS 485	Enterprise Resource Planning ¹	
Upper Division Course: Functional Business area		3
Any Business Upper-Division Elective Course (excluding A ST 311)		3
ECON 450 or I B 450	International Economics or International Economics	3
Credits		15
Spring		Credits
ECON 449 or I B 449	Open Economy Macroeconomics or Open Economy Macroeconomics	3
MGMT 449	Strategic Management ¹	3
Upper-Division Course: Functional Business area		3
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Credits		12
Total Credits		120

¹ Prerequisites are required, students are responsible for checking and fulfilling course prerequisites listed in the catalog.

² See the General Education (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/general-education-viewing-wider-world/>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

³ Elective credit may vary based on prerequisites, dual credit, AP credit, double majors, and/or minor coursework. The amount indicated in the requirements list is the amount needed to bring the total to 120 credits and may appear in variable form based on the degree. However students may end up needing to complete more or less on a case-by-case basis and students should discuss elective requirements with their advisor.

⁴ See the Viewing a Wider World (<https://catalogs.nmsu.edu/nmsu/general-education-viewing-wider-world/#viewingawiderworldtext>) section of the catalog for a full list of courses.

⁵ Upper Division ECON electives are typically only offered during certain semesters, so students must plan accordingly.

⁶ Students are required to take the following in order to meet the requirements for the degree:

- I B 450 International Economics or ECON 450 International Economics

⁷ **International Business Double Majors:** Students may not receive credit for both ECON 489 Senior Economics Seminar and I B 489 Senior Seminar in International Business. For this reason, students majoring in both Economics and International Business must consult with the Department Head to arrange a suitable substitution.

Other Requirements for the Major

Foreign language: Students must demonstrate oral and written proficiency at the intermediate mid-level according to ACTFL (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages) proficiency guidelines. (Process for demonstrating proficiency to be coordinated with the NMSU Department of Languages and Linguistics. Any costs associated with proficiency demonstration will be paid by the student.)

International experience requirement: Students must partake of an international experience equivalent to a semester abroad in a university where the language of instruction is not English. The department will determine appropriateness of international experience. Study abroad programs must be pre-approved by IB advisors and Department Head.