

B.S. in BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION
FINANCE EMPHASIS
Suggested Four-Year Schedule
2024-2025 Catalog

Student:

Date:

Advisor:

Bear ID:

The Bachelor of Science in Business Administration degree requires a minimum of **120 hours** which includes:
31 hours of Liberal Arts Curriculum and 28 hours of Supporting Courses (many courses count for both),
60 hours of Business coursework (30 hours of Business Core, 24 hours of Emphasis courses and 6 hours of Business Elective courses) and
University Wide Electives to reach the 120 minimum credits.

Year One

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
BAMG 125	Taking Care of Business		3	BA 205 OR ENG 123	(LAC) Business Communications OR College Research Paper		3
BACS 101	Business Computing		3		(LAC Arts & Humanities with International)		3
ECON 205	(LAC) Principles of Microeconomics		3	ECON 203	(LAC) Principles of Macroeconomics		3
ENG 122	(LAC) College Composition		3		(LAC History)		3
MATH 124	(LAC) College Algebra		4		(LAC Natural and Physical Science)		3
Total Credits				Total Credits			
16				15			

Year Two

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
BAAC 220	Principles of Accounting I		3	BAAC 221	Principles of Accounting II		3
BAFN 240	Intro to Personal Financial Planning		3	BAFN 231	Legal Environment of Business		3
COMM 100	Basics of Public Speaking		3	STAT 150	(LAC) Intro to Statistical Analysis		3
	(LAC Arts & Humanities with Multicultural)		3	BAMK 360	Marketing		3
PSY 120 or SOC 100 or PSY 265	(LAC) Principles of Psychology or (LAC) Principles of Sociology or (LAC) Social Psychology		3		(LAC – Science with Lab)		4
Total Credits				Total Credits			
15				16			

Year Three

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
BAMG 350	Management & Organizational Behavior		3	BAFN 470	Financial Management		3
BAMG 390	Operations Management and Data Analytics		3	BAFN 379	Investments		3
BACS 300	Information Systems		3		University-Wide Elective		3
BAFN 370	Business Finance		3		Finance Emphasis Elective (<i>see back</i>)		3
BAFN 371	Financial Markets & Institutions		3		Business Elective (<i>see back</i>)		3
Total Credits				Total Credits			
15				15			

Year Four

FALL SEMESTER				SPRING SEMESTER			
BAFN 474	Case Problems in Financial Management		3	BAMG 456	Strategic Management		3
BAFN 375	Multinational Financial Management		3		Finance Emphasis Elective (<i>see back</i>)		3
	Finance Emphasis Elective (<i>see back</i>)		3		Business Elective (<i>see back</i>)		3
	University-Wide Elective		3		University-Wide Elective		3
	University-Wide Elective		3		University-Wide Elective		1
Total Credits				Total Credits			
15				13			

MCB CAREER READINESS REQUIREMENTS

Professional Experience/Internship		Career Development Series	
1. Information Session	First Year	Career Values and Exploration	First Year
2. Resume and Cover Letter	Second Year	Career Conversations	Sophomore Status
3. Professionalism and Interviewing	Second Year	Networking Night	Junior Status
4. Professional Experience (<i>must be approved prior to its start date</i>)	Third/Fourth Year	Career and/or Internship Fair	Senior Status
https://mcb.unco.edu/professional-experience/			

Students are reminded that to graduate with a Business Administration degree, a student must maintain a 2.0 or greater cumulative Business GPA and at least a "C-" grade in each individual Business Administration Core, emphasis, and business elective courses. Additionally, all students in the program must complete a Professional Experience prior to graduation.

Admission Requirements: *Incoming New First Time and Transfer* students are admitted to the College of Business major and minors provided they meet the admission requirements set forth by UNC. *Current UNC students* who have completed at least 15 credit hours with a cumulative GPA of 2.50 or above are guaranteed admission to any business major. *Current UNC students* who have completed at least 15 credit hours with a cumulative GPA of 2.00-2.49 qualify to apply for admission to a business major. Students may apply at the MCB Advising Center located in Kepner 0095.

Students must complete at least 30 credits of their business degree in residence from MCB and these credits must be at the 300 and/or 400 level.

MCB UNDERGRADUATE COURSE PREREQUISITES: 2024-2025 CATALOG

Students must meet course prerequisites as stated in the current UNC catalog.
Check the catalog each semester you register to make certain you meet requirements.
A grade of "C-" or better is required in all business courses

BUSINESS CORE: 30 CREDIT HOURS

Take all courses in the following list. (*Must be declared Business Major)

Course #	Course Titles	Prerequisites	Prerequisite Course Titles/Notes
BAAC 220	Principles of Accounting I	BACS 101 At least 24 credit hours completed	Business Computing with a minimum grade of "C-"
BAAC 221	Principles of Accounting II	BACS 101 BAAC 220 Sophomores or above	Business Computing with a minimum grade of "C-" Principles of Accounting I with minimum grade of "C-"
BAFN 231	Legal Environment of Business	None	
BAFN 240	Intro. to Personal Financial Planning	None	
BAMG 350	Management & Organizational Behavior	45 completed credits or above	
BAMK 360	Marketing	45 completed credits or above	
BACS 300	Information Systems	BACS 101 or CS 101 or CS 120 45 completed credits or above	Business Computing or Introduction to Computer Science or Computer Programming
BAFN 370	Business Finance	BAAC 221 MATH 124 STAT 150 ECON 203 ECON 205 Juniors or above	Principles of Accounting II College Algebra Intro to Statistical Analysis Principles of Macroeconomics Principles of Microeconomics
BAMG 390*	Operations Management and Data Analytics	BACS 101 STAT 150 Business Majors only Juniors or above	Business Computing Introduction to Statistical Analysis
BAMG 456*	Strategic Management	BAFN 370 BAMG 350 BAMK 360 Business Majors only Senior standing	Business Finance with a minimum grade of "C-" Management with a minimum grade of "C-" Marketing with a minimum grade of "C-"

FINANCE EMPHASIS: 24 semester credit hours

Must be a Junior or above. (* Must be declared Business Major)

A maximum of 9 semester credits in 300/400-level Required Emphasis Credits and Elective Emphasis Credits can be transferred from other four-year institutions.

Required Emphasis Courses: 15 semester credit hours.

A grade of "C-" or better is required in each course.

Course #	Course Titles	Prerequisites	Prerequisite Course Titles/Notes
BAFN 371*	Financial Markets and Institutions	ECON 203	Principles of Macroeconomics
BAFN 375*	Multinational Financial Management	BAFN 370	Business Finance
BAFN 379*	Investments	BAFN 370	Business Finance
BAFN 470*	Financial Management	BAFN 370	Business Finance with a minimum grade of "C-"
BAFN 474*	Case Problems in Financial Management	BAFN 470	Financial Management

Required Elective Emphasis Courses: 9 semester credit hours.

Take three courses from the following.

A grade of "C-" or better is required in each course. (*Must be declared Business Major)

Course #	Course Titles	Prerequisites	Prerequisite Course Titles/Notes
BAAC 320*	Intermediate Accounting I <small>BOTH FALL/SPRING</small>	BAAC 221	Principles of Accounting II with a minimum grade of "C-"
BAAC 323*	Cost & Managerial Acct I <small>BOTH FALL/SPRING</small>	BAAC 221	Principles of Accounting II with a minimum grade of "C-"
BAFN 340*	Prin. of Risk & Insurance <small>BOTH FALL/SPRING</small>	Juniors or above	
BAFN 372*	Introduction of Real Estate <small>VARIES SEMESTER</small>	Juniors or above	
BAFN 473*	Commercial Bank Management <small>FALL ONLY</small>	BAFN 370 BAFN 371	Business Finance Financial Markets and Institutions
BAFN 478*	Student and Foundation Fund <small>BOTH FALL/SPRING</small>	BAFN 379 and Consent of instructor	Investments
BAFN 479*	Portfolio Management <small>SPRING ONLY</small>	BAFN 379	Investments

Business Electives – Six (6) semester credit hours

BA 251, BACS 200, BACS 287 or any 300/400 level course from any emphasis
not counted in the Business Core, Required Emphasis, or Required Emphasis Electives.
(BAAC 301, BAFN 302 and BAMG 356 may not be used.)

Notes:

- Students interested in the field of Financial Planning and/or who want to sit for the CFP™ Certification Exam should take the following elective courses: BAFN 340, BAFN 479, BAAC 320 and BAAC 325.
- Students interested in the field of investments and/or who want to prepare for the CFA® exam should take the following courses as their Elective Emphasis Credits: BAFN 479, BAFN 478, and BAAC 320.
- Students interested in the field of corporate financial management and/or who want to prepare for the CFM exam should take the following courses as their Elective Emphasis Credits: BAAC 320, BAAC 323 and BAFN 479.
- Students interested in the field of banking should take the following courses as their Elective Emphasis Credits: BAFN 473, BAFN 479 and one other course from the list of Elective Emphasis Credits.
- BAFN 495 Special Topics or any Executive Professor class may be substituted for a finance elective with the approval of the Chair of the Department of Finance.