



Four Year GRADUATION PLAN

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (BSBA) in FINANCE

The **BSBA PROGRAM** requires completion of **120 credit hours** of coursework that includes university, school of business core, and finance emphasis requirements. Adhering to the recommended sequence below provides a balanced workload and ensures that students will have the proper prerequisites for maximum benefit of these courses. Students will graduate as a well-rounded professional with functional knowledge of each major business discipline, with an emphasis in Finance.

FIRST YEAR						
FIRST SEMESTER				SECOND SEMESTER		
Course	Course Title/Area	Hrs.				
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ENG 101	College Composition I	3	ENG 102	College Composition II	3	
MGMT 237	Using Information Systems	3	ACCT 201	Principles of Financial Accounting	3	
Math 125 <	Mathematical Sciences	3	ECON 202	Principles of Economics-Micro	3	
	Fine Arts	3		Natural Science Non Lab	3	
GB125	Business & Professional Development	2	COMM 100	Oral Communications	3	
UE 100	University Experience	1				
TOTAL			TOTAL			15

SECOND YEAR						
THIRD SEMESTER				FOURTH SEMESTER		
Course	Course Title/Area	Hrs.				
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ACCT 202	Principles of Managerial Accounting	3	GB 321	Business Statistics I	3	
ECON 201	Principles of Economics - Macro	3		Humanities	3	
	Natural Sciences with Lab	4	GB 320	Business Communication	3	
KINE 103	Lifetime Wellness	2	MGMT 350	Fundamentals of Org Management	3	
	Finance Elective Courses 3***	3	MRKT 300	Principles of Marketing	3	
TOTAL			TOTAL			15

THIRD YEAR						
FIFTH SEMESTER				SIXTH SEMESTER		
Course	Course Title	Hrs.				
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FIN 350	Financial Management	3	GB 301	Legal Environment of Business	3	
IB 310	International Business	3	ECON 300	Money and Financial Institutions	3	
	Humanities	3		Finance Elective Courses 1*	3	
	Finance Elective Courses 2**	3		Elective	3	
	Civic Engagement	3		Elective	3	
TOTAL			TOTAL			15

FOURTH YEAR						
SEVENTH SEMESTER				EIGHTH SEMESTER		
Course	Course Title	Hrs.				
			Course	Course Title	Hrs.	
FIN 411	Investments	3	MGMT 452	Strategic Management (required in final semester)	3	
FIN 435	Financial Analysis	3	FIN 450	Financial Strategy	3	
	Finance Elective Courses 3***	3		Finance Elective Courses 3***	3	
	Elective	3		Elective	3	
	Elective	3		Elective	3	
TOTAL			TOTAL			15

NOTE: This is a sample plan. Actual plans may vary for transfer students and dual credit students.



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MSSU offers courses on-campus, online, hybrid delivery modes. Students that need to take classes either online or in person will need to pay attention to when courses are offered in the format you need. Below are the required classes for this major and when they are generally offered in each delivery mode.

Finance Required Courses			
Course #	Course Title	Prerequisites	Schedule
ECON 300	Money and Financial Institutions	ECON 201, ECON 202	Spring: campus & online
FIN 411	Investments	FIN 101	Fall: campus & online
FIN 450	Financial Strategy	FIN 350	Spring: campus & online
FIN 435	Financial Analysis	FIN 350 MGMT 237	Fall: campus & online
Finance Elective Courses 1 (Select 1)*			
Course #	Course Title	Prerequisites	Schedule
ECON 301	Managerial Economics	ECON 202	Spring: campus
ECON 302	Intermediate Economics	ECON 201	tbd
Finance Elective Courses 2 (Select 1)**			
Course #	Course Title	Prerequisites	Schedule
FIN 400	Bank Management	ECON 300, FIN 350	Fall: online
FIN 421	Portfolio Management	FIN 350, FIN 411	Spring: campus
Finance Elective Courses 3 (Select 3)***			
Course #	Course Title	Prerequisites	Schedule
ACCT 312	Intermediate Accounting I	ACCT 202	Fall: campus & online
ACCT 322	Intermediate Accounting II	ACCT 312	Spring: campus & online
ECON 301	Managerial Economics	ECON 202	Spring: campus
ECON 302	Intermediate Economics	ECON 201	Tbd
FIN 101	Introduction to Personal Financial Planning	None	Fall & Summer
FIN 330	Principles of Insurance	ECON 201, ECON 202	Fall
FIN 400	Bank Management	ECON 300, FIN 350	Fall: online
FIN 421	Portfolio Management	FIN 350, FIN 411	Spring: campus
FIN 491	Internship in Finance	65 hours, 3.0 GPA, Department approval	Demand
FIN 498	Advanced Topics in Finance	None	Tbd
FIN 499	Independent Study in Finance	3.0 GPA, Department approval	Demand
Business Core Courses with Prerequisites			
ACCT 201	Principles of Financial Accounting	Prerequisite: MATH 30 or higher	
ACCT 202	Principles of Managerial Accounting	Prerequisite: ACCT 201	
ECON 201	Principles of Economics (Macro)	Prerequisite: MATH 30 or higher	
ECON 202	Principles of Economics (Micro)	Prerequisite: MATH 30 or higher	
FIN 350	Financial Management	Prerequisite: ECON 201, ECON 202, ACCT 202	
GB 125	Business & Professional Development	Prerequisite: None	
GB 301	Legal Environment of Business I	Prerequisite: ENG 101/102	
GB 320	Business Communication	Prerequisite: ENG 101/102	
GB 321	Business Statistics	Prerequisite: MATH 125 or higher and MGMT 237 or CIS 305 or IET 205	
IB 310	International Business	Prerequisite: ENG 101/102	
MGMT 237	Using Information Systems	Prerequisite: None	
MGMT 350	Fundamentals of Organizational Management	Prerequisite: ENG 101/102	
MGMT 452	Strategic Management (Required in Final Semester)	Prerequisite: MRKT 300, MGMT 350, FIN 350 (Final Term)	
MRKT 300	Principles of Marketing	Prerequisite: ENG 101/102	

General Graduation Requirements & Policies

All MSSU Business students are required to complete the following minimum general graduation requirements:

1. Complete a minimum of 120 applicable credit hours.
2. Achieve a minimum 2.0 cumulative grade point average (GPA).
3. Achieve a minimum 2.0 GPA in business courses.
4. Complete a minimum of 39 upper division credit hours.
5. Complete a minimum of 30 credit hours at MSSU.

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