



# CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY FULLERTON

Mihaylo College of Business and Economics

## MAJOR REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BACHELOR OF ARTS IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION with a CONCENTRATION IN FINANCE 2017-2018

### Lower Division Core (21 units)

All core courses must be completed with "C" (2.0) or better.  
A grade of "C-" (1.7) or lower is not a passing grade.

Acct 201A	Financial Accounting (3)
Acct 201B	Managerial Accounting (3)
Buad 201	Business Writing (3)
Econ 201	Principles of Microeconomics (3)
Econ 202	Principles of Macroeconomics (3)
Mgmt 246	Business and Its Legal Environment (3)
Math 135,130, Business Calculus (3), A Short Course in Calculus (4), Calculus I (4) OR 150A	

### Upper Division Core (27 units)

All core courses must be completed with "C" (2.0) or better.  
A grade of "C-" (1.7) or lower is not a passing grade.

Buad 301	Advanced Business Communication (3)
Econ 315 OR 320	Intermediate Business Microeconomics or Intermediate Macroeconomics Analysis (3)
Fin 320	Financial Management I (3)
ISDS 351	Principles of Information Systems (3)
ISDS 361A	Business Analytics I (3)
ISDS 361B	Business Analytics II (3)
Mgmt 339	Managing Operations (3)
Mgmt 340	Organizational Behavior (3)
Mktg 351	Principles of Marketing (3)

### Capstone Core Course (3 units)

All core courses must be completed with "C" (2.0) or better.  
A grade of "C-" (1.7) or lower is not a passing grade.

Mgmt 449	Seminar in Strategic Management (3)
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### Global Business Requirement (3 units)

Complete one three-unit course in the area of Global Business. The course must be selected from the list of approved Global Business courses and may not be a course in your concentration. The approved list is available in the Business Advising Center.

### Finance Concentration Requirements (18 units)

All students with a Finance concentration are required to take:

**Fin 321 and Fin 340 OR 342**

In addition, students must complete 12 units of elective coursework in Finance. Students are strongly advised to choose one of the following advisory tracks and select as many courses as possible from the track in order to complete the 18 unit requirement for the concentration. Students are encouraged to consult with faculty advisors when selecting courses. **Fin 310 may not be used to meet concentration requirements.**

#### **Financial Institutions Advisory Track**

Fin 335	Fin 370	Fin 435	Fin 444
Fin 351	Fin 425	Fin 440	Fin 495
Fin 352			

#### **Corporate & International Financial Management Track**

Fin 331	Fin 371	Fin 432	Fin 440
	Fin 335	Fin 373	Fin 433
Fin 370	Fin 375	Fin 435	Fin 495

#### **Insurance Advisory Track**

Fin 335	Fin 410	Fin 462
Fin 360	Fin 415	Fin 463
Fin 361	Fin 435	Fin 464
Fin 375	Fin 440	Fin 495
Fin 408	Fin 444	
Fin 409	Fin 461	

#### **Investments & Financial Planning Track \***

Fin 335	Fin 408	Fin 415	Fin 444
Fin 355	Fin 409	Fin 435	Fin 495
Fin 360	Fin 410	Fin 440	

#### **Real Estate Advisory Track**

Fin 351	Fin 353	Fin 400	Fin 495
	Fin 352	Fin 355	Fin 454

\*Students seeking to sit for the CFP® certification examination need to complete additional coursework, with information detailed in the Financial Planning Program Structure document, available upon email request to [zz-safridi@fullerton.edu](mailto:zz-safridi@fullerton.edu).

Most business and economics courses have prerequisites and/or corequisites. Before you register, make sure you meet all course requirements. You may be administratively dropped if you do not.

Most upper division courses in the Mihaylo College of Business and Economics are restricted and not open to pre-business, pre-international, pre-economics or undeclared students. If you are still “pre-”, then it is important that you focus on the lower division core requirements. **Once you have completed all of the lower division core courses with grades of “C” (2.0) or better, then you may declare your concentration through the Business Advising Center at either the Fullerton or Irvine Campus.**

### BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION CORE COURSES

<u>COURSES</u>	<u>PREREQUISITES</u>
Acct 201A	None, but not recommended for first-time freshmen
Acct 201B	Acct 201A with a grade of “C” or better
Buad 201	English 101 (or equivalent) with a grade of “C” (2.0) or better
Econ 201	None, but not recommended for first-time freshmen
Econ 202	None, but not recommended for first-time freshmen
Mgmt 246	Completion of G.E. Area A.2 with a grade of “C-” or better
Math 135/130 OR 150A	Math 115 or Math 125 or a passing score on the Math Qualifying Exam (MQE) or Math department approved exemption
Buad 301	English 101 and Buad 201 with a grade of “C” (2.0) or better or completion of Associates Degree for Transfer (ADT) from a CA Community College
Econ 315 OR 320	Econ 201, Econ 202 and Math 135/130/150A. Corequisites: Buad 301 & ISDS 361A
Fin 320	Acct 201A. Corequisites: Buad 301 & ISDS 361A
ISDS 351	Corequisite: Buad 301
ISDS 361A	Math 135/130/150A. Corequisite: Buad 301
ISDS 361B	ISDS 361A
Mgmt 339	Corequisites: Buad 301 and ISDS 361A
Mgmt 340	G.E. category in Social Sciences. Corequisites: Buad 301 & ISDS361A
Mktg 351	Buad 301
Mgmt 449*	Buad 301 and all MCBE core courses

### FINANCE COURSES

<u>COURSES</u>	<u>PREREQUISITES</u>	<u>COURSES</u>	<u>PREREQUISITES</u>
Fin 321*	Fin 320	Fin 408*	Fin 320
Fin 331*	Corequisite: Fin 321	Fin 409*	Fin 320
Fin 335*	Corequisite: Fin 321	Fin 410*	Fin 340. Corequisites: Fin 360, 408 & 409
Fin 340*	Corequisite: Fin 321	Fin 415*	Fin 320
Fin 342*	Corequisite: Fin 321	Fin 425*	Fin 320. Corequisite: Fin 321
Fin 351*	Fin 320	Fin 432*	Fin 320. Corequisite: Fin 321
Fin 352*	Fin 351	Fin 433*	Fin 321
Fin 353*	Fin 351	Fin 435*	Fin 320. Corequisite: Fin 340
Fin 355*	Fin 351	Fin 440*	Fin 321
Fin 360*	Fin 320	Fin 444*	Fin 340
Fin 361*	Fin 360	Fin 454*	Fin 351
Fin 370*	Fin 320	Fin 461*	Fin 360
Fin 371*	Fin 320	Fin 462*	Fin 360
Fin 373*	Fin 320	Fin 463*	Fin 320 & Mgmt 246
Fin 375*	Fin 370	Fin 464*	Fin 320 or Mktg 351
Fin 400*	Fin 351	Fin 495*	Fin 320 & 2.5 GPA

*\*Restricted course not open to pre-business, pre-international business, pre-economics or undeclared students. Please consult the California State University, Fullerton Catalog for a full statement of all requirements and regulations, course descriptions, prerequisites, corequisites and general education requirements. This handout is just a brief summary printed for your convenience.*

**FOUR-YEAR ROADMAP AND CHECKLIST FOR BA IN BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION  
FINANCE CONCENTRATION  
120 units**

The BA in Business Administration can be completed in four years, but to do so requires careful planning and preparation. You must average 15 units (five courses) per semester and you must plan ahead so that you will meet all prerequisites. You can opt to complete courses in the summer or winter session. If you are planning to work, you should adjust your unit load accordingly.

New upper-division transfer students can complete the upper-division requirements in two years provided you have completed at least 60 transferable units, are fully GE certified, and have completed all of the lower-division business core. Start following the roadmap in the fifth semester.

**Year 1**

First Semester

- \_\_ GE Area A.2 ENGL 101 (3)
- \_\_ Pre-requisite to MATH 130/135/150A (3-4)
- \_\_ GE Area C.1 Introduction to Arts (3)
- \_\_ GE Area C.2 Introduction to Humanities (3)
- \_\_ GE Area C.4 Origins of World Civilization (3)

Second Semester

- \_\_ GE Area A.1 Oral Communication (3)
- \_\_ GE Area B.4 MATH 130 **OR** MATH 135 **OR** MATH 150A (3-4)
- \_\_ GE Area A.3 Critical Thinking (3)
- \_\_ GE Area B.1 Physical Science (3)
- \_\_ GE Area D.4 American Government (3)

**Year 2**

Third Semester

- \_\_ ACCT 201A (3)
- \_\_ GE Area D.1 ECON 201 (3)
- \_\_ BUAD 201 (3)
- \_\_ GE Area D.2 World Civilizations and Cultures (3)
- \_\_ GE Area D.3 American History, Institutions and Values (3)

Fourth Semester

- \_\_ ACCT 201B (3)
- \_\_ ECON 202 (3)
- \_\_ MGMT 246 (3)
- \_\_ GE Area B.2 + B.3\* Life Science (3) + Laboratory Experience (1)
- \_\_ GE Area C.3 and Z (300-400 level)\*\* Explorations in Arts or Humanities and Cultural Diversity (3)

**Year 3**

Fifth Semester

- \_\_ BUAD 301 (3)
- \_\_ ISDS 361A (3)
- \_\_ FIN 320 (3)
- \_\_ MKTG 351 (3)
- \_\_ GE Area E BUAD 300 (3)

Sixth Semester

- \_\_ ISDS 361B (3)
- \_\_ ISDS 351 (3)
- \_\_ MGMT 339 (3)
- \_\_ FIN 321 (3)
- \_\_ FIN 340 **OR** FIN 342 (3)

**Year 4**

Seventh Semester

- \_\_ ECON 315 **OR** 320 (3)
- \_\_ MGMT 340 (3)
- \_\_ Finance Elective Course (3)
- \_\_ Finance Elective Course (3)
- \_\_ GE Area B.5, Internship or Free Elective\*\*\* (3)

Eighth Semester

- \_\_ MGMT 449 (3)
- \_\_ GE Area D.5/Global Business Requirement\*\*\*\*(3)
- \_\_ Finance Elective Course (3)
- \_\_ Finance Elective Course (3)
- \_\_ Free Elective (3)

## Student Action Plan

### Year 1

- If required, complete all remediation (Math 30A-B, 40, 45, ENGL 99 or 100) by the end of your second semester to avoid Administrative Disqualification.
- Complete MATH 115 or MATH 125 pre-requisite with a C or better before MATH 130/135/150A, if necessary.
- MATH 130/135/150A must be completed with C or better.
- Complete General Education (GE) courses in areas A.1, A.2, and A.3 with C- or better.
- Courses taught by your major department will not count for GE unless specified.

### Year 2

- \*B.3 Laboratory Experience can be completed with either GE Area B.1 or B.2.
- \*\*GE Area Z can be double counted with GE Area C.3. Please consult with an Academic Advisor.
- Meet with an advisor in the Business Advising Center SGMH 1201 **during the semester you are completing your last lower division core requirements.**
- All business core courses must be completed with a C or better.
- Declaration of a concentration is required before enrollment in concentration courses.
- For questions regarding concentration and career options visit Mihaylo Career Services and/or a faculty mentor.

### Year 3

- **FILE GRAD CHECK** through your Student Center once you have earned 85 units and are one year from graduation.
- Meet with your assigned faculty mentor each semester.
- A 2.0 GPA required in the Finance concentration.

### Year 4

- Attend a Live Grad Check Workshop to have your Graduation Check approved.
- \*\*\*If needed, complete a course in B.5 to meet all unit requirements for Area B. You may also consider an internship or free elective to reach 120 units.
- \*\*\*\*ECON 330, 332-336 will satisfy GE Area D.5, an upper-division GE requirement and the Global Business Requirement.
- All Business core courses must be completed before taking MGMT 449.
- A minimum of 120 total units must be completed to graduate.

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