

# BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

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The curriculum in business administration strives to emphasize three primary competencies - interpersonal, technological, and problem-solving skills. Interpersonal skills are critical to the interaction with and accomplishment of tasks through other people. Technology is ubiquitous in business, and familiarity with aspects of its capability is necessary to utilize it fully. Technology will be utilized in many aspects of course delivery as well as studied in a more formal setting (such as e-commerce). Managers and business owners must be able to solve problems; in order to do that more competently, potential frameworks for problem solving are presented and analysis is emphasized.

Throughout the curriculum, the small business perspective is primary. Ethical decision-making and the application of ethics to the business world are woven through the coursework as a manifestation of the development of character in business graduates. An important component of the program is the integration of theory and real world provided through case studies, participation in Argo Entrepreneurs activities, and cooperative work-education opportunities.

The University of Providence offers the Business Administration degree in a face-to-face modality. This program is offered in the traditional 16-week semester format. An online version of the program is currently not accepting new applicants.

## Business Administration Major Program Outcomes

- Situational application of critical-thinking skills with a holistic approach
- Demonstrate problem-solving skills through analysis, evaluation, and potential implementation
- Demonstrate interpersonal skills and strategies for motivation and leadership
- Integrate technology into academic and professional lives
- Develop an ethical, values-based approach to business

## Degree Requirements

- Bachelor Degree Requirements

## Business Administration Major (B.S.) - Campus

\*(Distance program not currently accepting new applicants)

Code	Title	Credits
ACC 201	PRIN OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3
ACC 202	PRIN OF MANAGERIAL ACCOUNTING	3
BUS 201	THE ART OF THINKING	3
BUS 220	COMMERCIAL LAW I	3
BUS 240	LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT	3
BUS 241	BUSINESS RESEARCH METHODS	3
BUS 260	MARKETING	3

Code	Title	Credits
BUS 400	FINANCIAL ANALYSIS	3
BUS 495	INTERNSHIP <sup>1</sup>	3
or BUS 499	CAPSTONE	
CPS 205	SPREADSHEETS	3
ECN 201	MACROECONOMICS	3
ECN 202	MICROECONOMICS	3
Specialized Concentration		12
<b>Total Credits Required:</b>		<b>48</b>

<sup>1</sup> Campus students must enroll in BUS 495. Distance students must enroll in BUS 499.

## Specialized Concentrations

### General Business Concentration

Code	Title	Credits
BUS 335	COMMERCIAL LAW II	3
BUS 350	BUDGETING	3
BUS 380	ENTREPRENEURSHIP	3
BUS 383	PROJECT MANAGEMENT	3
<b>Total Credits Required:</b>		<b>12</b>

### Finance Concentration

Code	Title	Credits
BUS 308	FINANCIAL MARKETS & INSTITUTIONS	3
BUS 315	ETHICS & ENTERPRISE	3
BUS 415	INVESTMENTS & PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT	3
BUS 425	PUBLIC & NON-PROFIT FINANCE	3
<b>Total Credits Required:</b>		<b>12</b>

### Management Concentration

Code	Title	Credits
BUS 341	HUMAN RESOURCE MGMT	3
BUS 352	SUPPLY CHAIN MANAGEMENT	3
BUS 355	GLOBAL ENTERPRISE	3
CPS 206	SPREADSHEETS FOR BUSINESS	3
<b>Total Credits Required:</b>		<b>12</b>

## Business Administration Minor

Code	Title	Credits
ACC 201	PRIN OF FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	3
BUS 201	THE ART OF THINKING	3
BUS 240	LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT	3
BUS 260	MARKETING	3
BUS 335	COMMERCIAL LAW II	3
or BUS 342	LABOR RELATIONS & EMPLOY LAW	
BUS 341	HUMAN RESOURCE MGMT	3
ECN 202	MICROECONOMICS	3
<b>Total Credits Required:</b>		<b>21</b>