

BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (GREAT VALLEY)

Integrated Undergrad-Grad Programs

Integrated B.S. in Business and M.B.A. in Business Administration

This Integrated Undergraduate/Graduate (IUG) degree program combines the B.S. in Business with the Master of Business Administration offered at the following campuses:

Undergraduate Degree

- Abington
- Altoona
- Beaver
- Berks
- Brandywine
- DuBois
- Fayette
- Greater Allegheny
- Hazleton
- Lehigh Valley
- Mont Alto
- New Kensington
- Schuylkill
- Scranton
- Shenango
- Wilkes-Barre
- World Campus
- York

Graduate Degree

- Great Valley

A portion of the graduate program of this IUG requires face-to-face instruction. While the undergraduate curriculum for this IUG may be completed at multiple campuses, the ease and feasibility of completing the integrated program may be heavily dependent upon the location of the graduate instruction. Please discuss the feasibility of completing the IUG with a representative for the graduate program before beginning the application process.

Requirements listed here are in addition to requirements listed in GCAC-210 Integrated Undergraduate-Graduate (IUG) Degree Programs (<https://gradschool.psu.edu/graduate-education-policies/gcac/gcac-200/gcac-210-integrated-undergraduate-graduate-degree-programs/>).

The IUG program offers exceptional students the ability to receive a B.S. in Business and an MBA within a five year period. Students are typically admitted into the integrated program at the end of their second year of their undergraduate studies, and then complete the IUG program over the next three years. Students must have completed no less than 60 credits to apply, and transfer students must have completed at least 15 credits at Penn State to enroll in the IUG.

Admission Requirements

Applicants apply for admission to the program via the Fox Graduate School application for admission (<http://gradschool.psu.edu/prospective-students/how-to-apply/>). Requirements listed here are in addition to Graduate Council policies listed under GCAC-300 Admissions Policies (<http://gradschool.psu.edu/graduate-education-policies/>).

Students must apply to the program via the Fox Graduate School application for admission, and must meet all the admission requirements of the Fox Graduate School and the MBA program for the MBA degree, as listed on the Admission Requirements tab. Before applying to the Fox Graduate School, students must have completed entrance to their undergraduate major and have completed no less than 60 credits. Students must be admitted no later than the end of the second week of the semester preceding the semester of expected conferral of the undergraduate degree. Transfer students must have completed at least 15 credits at Penn State to enroll in an IUG. The GMAT/GRE is not required.

In consultation with an adviser, students must prepare a plan of study appropriate to this integrated program, and must present their plan of study to the head of the graduate program overseeing the integrated program prior to being admitted to the program. The plan should cover the entire time period of the integrated program, and it should be reviewed periodically with an adviser as the student advances through the program.

Degree Requirements

Students must fulfill all requirements for each degree in order to be awarded that degree, subject to the double-counting of credits as outlined below. Degree requirements for the B.S. in Business are listed in the Undergraduate Bulletin. Degree requirements for the M.B.A. degree are listed on the Degree Requirements tab.

The following is the list of courses which will double count for both the B.S. in Business and the Master of Business Administration. Up to 12 credits may be double counted towards the degree requirements of both undergraduate and graduate degrees; a minimum of 50% of the double counted credits must be at the 500 or 800 level.

Code	Title	Credits
ACCTG 800	Financial and Managerial Accounting	3
BUSAD 801	Statistical Analysis for Managerial Decision Making	3
BA 800	Marketing Management	3
MGMT 501	Behavioral Science in Business	3

Students must sequence their courses so that all undergraduate degree requirements are fulfilled before taking courses to count solely towards the graduate degree. #Students must complete the undergraduate degree requirements within the typical time to degree for the undergraduate major. In the semester in which the undergraduate degree requirements will be completed, IUG students must apply to graduate, and the undergraduate degree should be conferred at the next appropriate Commencement. If students accepted into the IUG program are unable to complete the M.B.A. degree, they are still eligible to receive their undergraduate degree if all the undergraduate degree requirements have been satisfied.