

## Bachelor of Science Curriculum Guide\*\*

<p><b>UNIVERSITY GENERAL EDUCATION</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>10-13 Credits</b></span></p> <p><b>International Perspectives (3)</b> Select from University approved list.</p> <p><b>US Cultures and Communities (3)</b> Select from University approved list. <i>US Cultures and Communities might also count as 3 of 9 credits of Humanities &amp; Social Sciences.</i></p> <p><b>ENGL 1500</b> Critical Thinking and Communication (3) <b>ENGL 2500</b> Written, Oral, Visual Electronic Composition (3) <b>LIB 1600</b> Introduction to College Research (1)</p>	<p><b>IVY GENERAL EDUCATION</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>18-21 Credits</b></span></p> <p><b>ENGL 3020</b> Business Communication (3) <b>SPCM 3120</b> Business and Professional Speaking (3)</p> <p><b>Humanities &amp; Social Sciences (9)</b> Select from College approved list.</p> <p><b>Global Perspectives (6)</b> Select from University approved International Perspectives list. <i>International Perspectives may count as 3 of 6 credits here.</i></p> <p><b>Natural Science (3)</b> Select from College approved list.</p>
<p><b>FOUNDATION COURSES</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>20-21 Credits</b></span></p> <p>BUSAD 1020 or 1030 Orientation (1) BUSAD 2030 Professional Development in Business (1) COMS 1130 Introduction to Spreadsheets and Databases (3) *MATH 1500 Discrete Math for Business and Social Sciences (3) or MATH 1600 Survey of Calculus (4) ECON 1010 Principles of Microeconomics (3) ECON 1020 Principles of Macroeconomics (3) ^STAT 2260 Introduction to Business Statistics (3) ACCT 2840 Financial Accounting (3)</p> <p><i>*BUSEC majors take MATH 1600 instead of MATH 1500. ^STAT 2260 is required for all majors. Transfer coursework may substitute for STAT 2260 in all majors <u>except for</u> ACCT, BUAN, BUSEC, FIN.</i></p> <p><b>Strongly recommended that Foundation courses be completed within student's first 2-3 semesters.</b></p>	<p><b>SUPPORTING COURSES</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>9-13 Credits</b></span></p> <p><b>ALL MAJORS:</b> *MATH 1510 Calculus for Business and Social Sciences (3) or ECON 2070 Applied Economic Optimization (3) ACCT 2150 Legal Environment of Business (3) PHIL 2300 Moral Theory and Practice (3)</p> <p><i>*BUSEC majors take ECON 2070 instead of MATH 1510.</i></p> <p><b>MAJOR SPECIFIC:</b> STAT 3260 Introduction to Business Statistics II (3) <i>[ACCT, BUAN, BUSEC, FIN majors only]</i> MIS 2070 Fundamentals of Programming Bus &amp; Analytics (3) <i>[MIS majors only]</i> ACCT 3010 The Accounting Cycle (1) <i>[Prerequisite for all 3000-level ACCT classes – to be taken concurrently with ACCT 2850]</i></p>
<p><b>BUSINESS CORE</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>27 Credits</b></span></p> <p>ACCT 2850 Managerial Accounting (3) ENTSP 3100 Entrepreneurship and Innovation (3) FIN 3010 Principles of Finance (3) MGMT 3710 Organizational Behavior (3) MGMT 3720 Responsible Management &amp; Leadership in Business (3) MIS 3010 Management Information Systems (3) MKT 3400 Principles of Marketing (3) SCM 3010 Supply Chain Management (3)</p> <p><i>Credit or enrollment in all core courses (except MGMT 3720) and senior standing required to take:</i></p> <p>MGMT 4780 Strategic Management (3) <i>[taken senior year]</i></p>	<p><b>BUSINESS MAJOR</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>18-24 Credits</b></span> See individual major guides for specific, required, and elective major courses.</p> <p><b>Electives</b> <span style="float: right;"><b>7-17 Credits</b></span> Take additional “free” electives to fulfill the minimum graduation requirement of 122 credits.</p> <p><b>Additional Graduation Requirements:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Minimum of 122 credits total,</li> <li>2. 42 credits of 3000-level or higher coursework from a four-year institution,</li> <li>3. Grade of “C or better” in ENGL 2500 and grade of “C or better” in ENGL 1500 or ENGL 3020,</li> <li>4. Grade of “C or better” in at least 30 credits applied to Business Core and major,</li> <li>5. 50% of required business courses must be earned at Iowa State University,</li> <li>6. Last 32 credits applied to a degree must be taken at Iowa State University (exceptions for study abroad and internship may be requested),</li> <li>7. All 3000-level and higher business courses must be earned at a four-year college or university,</li> <li>8. Cumulative GPA of at least 2.0 with no Quality Point Deficiencies,</li> <li>9. Multiple business majors must have at least 15 distinct credits in each.</li> </ol>

**Notes Pertaining to the Curriculum:**

No courses taken for the business degree can be taken Pass-Not Pass (only non-business “free” electives may be taken P-NP).

Course prerequisites are monitored and will be enforced.

**\*\*See specific curriculum guides for Actuarial Science major and Bachelor of Business Administration degree.**