

# BACHELOR OF SCIENCE – BUSINESS ECONOMICS

## BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION MINOR

2024 – 2025

Foundations for Success <sup>1</sup>		5 courses
FDS100	Falcon Discovery Seminar	3 cr.
CS100	Solving Business Problems with Information Technology	3 cr.
MA105, 105L or 107, 107L, 131, 131L	Mathematical Sciences	3 cr.
EMS101, 101L or 102, 102L	Critical Reading and Writing	3 cr.
EMS104 or EMS105	Multimodal Communication	3 cr.

MAJOR: Business Economics <sup>1</sup>		10 courses
EC112	Principles of Macroeconomics	3 cr.
EC224	Intermediate Microeconomics <sup>2</sup>	3 cr.
EC225	Intermediate Macroeconomics <sup>2</sup>	3 cr.
EC282	Introduction to Econometrics	3 cr.
EC431	Research in Business Economics	3 cr.
EC	Economics Elective <sup>3</sup>	3 cr.
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	Concentration Course <sup>4</sup>	3 cr.
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Business Dynamics <sup>1,5,6</sup>		6 courses
LA100	Business Law	3 cr.
EC111	Principles of Microeconomics	3 cr.
ST113	Business Statistics	3 cr.
AC115	Financial Reporting and Analysis	3 cr.
MG116	Human Dynamics in Organizations	3 cr.
FI118	Introduction to Finance	3 cr.

The Business Environment <sup>1,6</sup>		2 courses
CS305	Business Processes and Systems	3 cr.
MG300	Strategic Management	3 cr.

**For the most up-to-date requirements, please refer to your Degreeworks Audit.**

Contexts & Perspective Courses <sup>1</sup>		6 courses
<i>See notes on page two</i>		
<b>Institutions and Power</b>		
		3 cr.
<b>Values, Ethics and Society</b>		
		3 cr.
<b>Scientific Inquiry</b>		
		3 cr.
<b>Race, Gender and Inequality</b>		
		3 cr.
<b>Culture, Change, and Behavior</b>		
		3 cr.
<b>Globalization</b>		
		3 cr.

Elective Requirements <sup>7</sup>		11 courses
	Arts & Science Elective	3 cr.
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	Unrestricted Elective	3 cr.
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Intensive Requirements	
	Communication

Notes:

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### Prerequisite/Corequisite Structure

Courses	Prerequisite/Corequisite
EC112	EC111 and 3-credits of math
EC224	EC111, EC112, 100-level math course, and (Pre- or Co-Req) EMS104 or EMS105
EC225	EC111, EC112, 100-level math course, and (Pre- or Co-Req) EMS104 or EMS105
EC282	EC111, EC112, and ST113
EC431	EC224, EC282, at least 81 completed and in progress credits, and have a declared major of Business Economic, Economics-Finance, or with Department Chair permission.
EC Elective	Vary by course
Concentration	Vary by course

Economic Analysis	International Business	Law
<p>EC382 Time Series Analysis Two EC Electives</p> <p><b>Entrepreneurship</b> MG335 Entrepreneurial Thinking MG336 New Venture Planning and Financing Select one of the following: MG338 Launching Your Business MG360 Negotiating PRS339 Effective Selling</p> <p><b>Information Technology</b> CS150 Intro to Data and Information Management or CS160 Data-Driven Decision Making Two CS Electives</p>	<p>Select one of the following: EC311 International Economics EC321 International Economic Growth and Development EC333 Economics of the European Union</p> <p>Select two of the following: AC381 International Accounting FI351 International Finance or FI352 International Project Finance LA308 International Business Law MG331 Management of International Operations or MG334 International Management Behavior MK367 International Marketing</p>	<p>Two 200-level or higher LA electives One other LA elective</p> <p><b>Management</b> MG240 Interpersonal Relations in Management MG345 Organizations, Society, and Responsible Management One 200-level or higher MG Elective, excluding MG300 and MG313</p> <p><b>Marketing</b> Three Marketing (MK) Electives</p> <p><b>Special Topics</b> (<i>Custom designed concentration</i>) Three electives chosen in consultation with faculty advisor</p>

### Footnotes:

<sup>1</sup> These courses may not be taken as Pass/Fail.

<sup>2</sup> Whenever possible EC224 and EC225 should be taken in the junior year.

<sup>3</sup> Any EC courses not otherwise required can fulfill the EC elective requirements. Major electives should be selected in consultation with an economics faculty mentor.

<sup>4</sup> Students must choose one of the following concentrations: Economic Analysis, Entrepreneurship, Information Technology, International Business, Law, Management, Marketing, or Special Topics. See guidelines for concentration course selections in the Bentley University Academic Catalogue. Please be sure to check prerequisites for the intended concentration, as there may be additional foundation courses needed.

<sup>5</sup> These courses comprise the Business Administration Minor.

<sup>6</sup> These courses along with the following courses: AC215, EC112, MG215, MG313, and MK250 are required to complete the Business Administration Major.

<sup>7</sup> The Electives Guidelines are available in the Academic Catalogue.

### Additional Notes:

Context & Perspectives
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Students must take 1 course in each of the 6 themes</b> of Context and Perspectives. Courses are unique to each theme; no course can satisfy more than one theme.</li> <li>▪ <b>No more than two (2) courses may be taken from any one academic department</b>, including departments with two or more course designators, for example, Natural and Applied Sciences (NAS, PSY).</li> <li>▪ <b>Any number of courses</b> can be shared with majors or minors, but a single course cannot count for both a major and a minor. Additionally, a single course may not count in more than one minor.</li> <li>▪ Courses that satisfy the Contexts &amp; Perspective requirements <b>may not satisfy any of the required Arts and Science electives</b>.</li> <li>▪ Context and Perspective courses <b>may count for the Modern Language requirement for BA majors</b>.</li> <li>▪ Context and Perspective courses <b>may not count for Arts and Science or Unrestricted electives for both BA and BS majors</b>.</li> </ul>
Course Sharing Rules
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ <b>Up to three courses</b> may be shared across different majors.</li> <li>▪ <b>No courses</b> may be shared between any major and any minor.</li> <li>▪ <b>No courses</b> may be shared between any minors.</li> <li>▪ <b>A single course</b> of any kind can be shared up to three times: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Example 1: If a student has three majors, a single course can count for all three majors.</li> <li>○ Example 2: If a student has two majors, a single course could count for a Context &amp; Perspectives course and both majors.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>