

2021-2022 Degree Requirement Summary

B.S. IN BUSINESS ECONOMICS

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

General Education Requirements

- IT 101** Information Technology
- EXP 1**_____ Expository Writing I¹
- EXP 2**_____ Expository Writing II¹
- _____ Literature/Cinema/EMS²
- MA**_____ Mathematical Science I³
- MA**_____ Mathematical Science II³
- NASC**_____ Natural Science (4 credits)
- GLS**_____ Global Studies: **GLS 100, 101, 102, 105 or 116**
- HI**_____ History
- PH 101** Problems of Philosophy
- PS/SO**_____ Behavioral Science
- EC 111** Principles of Microeconomics
- EC 112** Principles of Macroeconomics
- FS 111** First Year Seminar (1 credit)

Business Core Requirements

- GB 110** Legal and Ethical Environment of Business
- GB 112** Tools and Concepts in Accounting and Finance
- GB 212** Practice and Applications in Accounting and Finance
- GB 213** Business Statistics
- GB 214** Marketing-Operations Fundamentals
- GB 215** Human Behavior and Organizations
- GB 310** Business Processes and Systems
- GB 320** Integrated Business Project
- GB 410** Global Strategy

Major Requirements

- EC 224** Intermediate Price Theory⁴
- EC 225** Intermediate Macroeconomics⁴
- EC 282** Introduction to Econometrics
- EC 431** Research in Business Economics
- EC**_____ Economics Elective⁵
- EC**_____ Economics Elective⁵
- _____ Concentration Course⁶
- _____ Concentration Course⁶
- _____ Concentration Course⁶

Electives⁷

- MA/NASE**_____ Math or Natural Science Elective
- _____ Humanities/Social Science Elective
- _____ Business Related Elective
- _____ Arts and Science Elective
- _____ Arts and Science Elective
- _____ Arts and Science Elective
- _____ Arts and Science Elective
- _____ Arts and Science Elective
- _____ Unrestricted Elective

Course Focus Requirements

- U.S. Diversity Intensive (**D**)
- International Intensive (**I**)
- Communication Intensive (**C**)
- Communication Intensive/Major (**EC431**)

Total credits required 122

Note: Transfer students with at least 15 credits in transfer will complete 121 credits.

All courses are 3 credits unless otherwise indicated.

Office Notes:

IMPORTANT NOTICE! Students are responsible for understanding all university policies, procedures and requirements. Such information can be found in the Undergraduate Course Catalogue, Registrar's website, and the Student Handbook. Please be aware that overall and major averages must be at least 2.000 for graduation. This information is to help the student in monitoring progress toward the degree. Responsibility for meeting all degree requirements rests with the student.

BUSINESS ECONOMICS (BE)

Economics provides students with an understanding of both the economic principles that underlie business decisions and the environment in which all businesses operate. Business Economics at Bentley is a unique, blended degree that delivers a strong economics foundation with the flexibility to explore another business discipline.

Prerequisite/Corequisite Structure

COURSES	PREREQUISITES
EC 224	EC 111 and EC 112 and Math 1
EC 225	EC 111 and EC 112 and Math 1
EC 282	EC 111, EC 112 and GB 213 (EC 282 cannot be taken by students who have completed MA 252)
EC 431	EC 224, EC 282, at least 81 completed and in progress credits, and (Managerial Economics major, Economic-Finance major, or department chair permission)
EC Elective	vary by course
EC Elective	vary by course
Concentration Class	vary by course
Concentration Class	vary by course
Concentration Class	vary by course

Concentrations

Economic Analysis

EC 382 Time Series Analysis
Two EC Electives

Entrepreneurship

MG 335 Entrepreneurial Thinking
MG 336 New Venture Planning
and Financing

Select one of the following:

- MG 338 Launching Your Business
- MG 360 Negotiating
- PRS 339 Effective Selling

Information Technology

CS 150 Intro to Data and Information
Management
Two CS or IPM Electives

International Business

Select one of the following:

EC 311 International Economics

EC 315 The Economics of
Multinational Corporations

EC 321 International Economic Growth
and Development

EC 333 Economics of the European Union

Select two of the following:

AC 381 International Accounting

FI 351 International Finance or

FI 352 International Project Finance

LA 308 International Business Law

MG 331 Management of
International Operations or

MG 332 Managing in the Global
Business Environment or

MG 334 International
Management Behavior

MK 367 International Marketing

Law

Two 200-level or higher LA electives
One other LA elective

Management

MG 240 Interpersonal Relations
in Management
MG 345 Organizations, Society,
and Responsible Management
MG Elective

Marketing

Three Marketing (MK) Electives

Special Topics (Custom designed concentration)

Three electives chosen in consultation
with faculty advisor

1. Placement in this course is determined by the English and Media Studies department.
2. Requirement may be fulfilled with any LIT/CIN/EMS course or MLCH 403, MLFR 304, MLIT 304, MLSP 306, 307, 404, or 405. Certain topics/titles of MLCH 402 or MLSP 301 may also apply.
3. The Math sequence consists of either MA 123 & MA 126 or MA 131 & MA 139, depending upon departmental placement.
4. Whenever possible, EC 224 and EC 225 should be taken the junior year.
5. Any EC courses not otherwise required can fulfill the EC elective requirements. Major electives should be selected in consultation with an economics faculty mentor.
6. 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.
7. Elective guidelines are available on the Registrar's website. An optional 12-credit minor can fulfill the applicable elective requirements.