



**Sample 4 Year Plan (Fall 2018 Requirements)**  
**ACCOUNTING MAJOR**  
**BBA (COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS)**

The 4 year Plan illustrates the type of curriculum a new freshman could take to complete a degree in 4 years; it is not an official document. Refer to Academic Advising Report for full requirements.

Sample Academic Advising Reports are available on-line at

<http://www.uww.edu/registrar/sample-aars-and-ars/sample-aars-undergraduate>.

*Courses in bold are required for admission to the upper division business courses.*

<b>1<sup>st</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>
<b>ENGLISH 101</b> - (pre-req. English 90)		3	<b>ENGLISH 102</b> - (pre-req. English 101)		3
Math 141- (pre req. Math 41) <u>OR</u> <b>Math 143</b> - (pre req. C or better in Math 141)		4-3	<b>MATH 143</b> - (pre req. C or better in Math 141) <u>OR</u> <b>MATH 243</b> - (pre-req. C or better in Math 143 or 152) <u>OR</u> Math 250/253		3-5
<b>BEINDP 101</b>		3	<b>ACCOUNT 244*</b> - (pre-req. Math 141)		3
GENED core (GENED 110,130, or 120/140)		3	PEGNRL 192 - Personal Health and Fitness		1
GENED core (GENED 110,130, or 120/140)		3	Lab Science (GL) - (co req. or completion of Math 141)		4-5
Semester Total		15-16	Semester Total		14-17
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>
<b>ACCOUNT 249*</b> - (pre-req. Account 244)		3	<b>ITSCM 280*</b>		3
<b>ECON 201</b> - (pre-req. Math 141)		3	<b>ECON 202</b> - (pre-req. Econ 201)		3
MATH 243 - (pre-req. C or better in Math 143 or 152) <u>OR</u> Math 250/253 <u>OR</u> General Education Elective		3-5	<b>ACCOUNT 341*</b> - (pre-req. Account 249) (course number changes from 261 to 341 in spring 2018)		3
<b>BEINDP 290</b> - (pre-req. English 102)*		2	<b>COMM 110</b>		3
GENED core (GENED 110,130, or 120/140)		3	<b>ECON 245</b> - (pre-req. Math 143)*		3
			<b>BEINDP 288</b> - (pre-req. English 102)		1
Semester Total		14-16	Semester Total		16

*Students take 300- and 400-level business courses in their junior and senior years. These courses require admission to the upper division business courses. See admission requirements on the second page.*

<b>5<sup>th</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>	<b>6<sup>th</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>
<b>ACCOUNT 343</b> - (pre-req. Account 341 & 2.67 avg. GPA in Account 249 and 341)		3	<b>ACCOUNT 451, 454, 456, 461 or 465</b> (all have pre-req. Account 343)		3
UPPER DIVISION BUSINESS CORE**(see back)		3	<b>ACCOUNT 451, 454, 456, 461 or 465</b> (all have pre-req. Account 343)		3
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UPPER DIVISION BUSINESS CORE**(see back)		3	Elective <u>OR</u> General Education course		3
UPPER DIVISION BUSINESS CORE**(see back)		3	Elective <u>OR</u> General Education course		3
Semester Total		15	Semester Total		15
<b>7<sup>th</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup> Semester</b>		<b>Units</b>
<b>ACCOUNT 451, 454, 456, 461 or 465</b> (all have pre-req. Account 343)		3	<b>ACCOUNT 451, 454, 456, 461 or 465</b> (all have pre-req. Account 343)		3
<b>ACCOUNT 455</b> - (pre-req. ACCOUNT 451 OR Instructor Consent) <u>OR</u> <b>ACCOUNT 463</b> - (pre-req. 343) <u>OR</u> <b>ACCOUNT 452</b> - (pre-req. Account 451) <u>OR</u> <b>ACCOUNT 493</b> -(pre-req. 343)(Consult Internship Coordinator)			<b>ACCOUNT 455</b> - (pre-req. ACCOUNT 451 OR Instructor Consent) <u>OR</u> <b>ACCOUNT 463</b> - (pre-req. 343) <u>OR</u> <b>ACCOUNT 452</b> - (pre-req. Account 451) <u>OR</u> <b>ACCOUNT 493</b> -(pre-req. 343)(Consult Internship Coordinator)		3
<b>ACCOUNT 451, 454, 456, 461 or 465</b> (all have pre-req. Account 343)		3	International requirement		3
<b>GENED 390</b> -(pre-req. 60 completed credits)		3	<b>MANGEMNT489**</b> - (comm. service & upper division core completion)		3
<b>ENGLISH 370 or 372</b> - (pre-req. ENGLISH 101 & 102 <u>OR</u> ENGLISH 161 & 162)		3	Elective		3-4
Elective		3			
Semester Total		15	Semester Total		16

**Transfer students** may have different general education requirements than those listed. Refer to your Advising Report for requirements specific to you.  
Department Website: [www.uww.edu/cobe/accounting](http://www.uww.edu/cobe/accounting)

*\*Lower division business courses that require a 2.5 combined GPA to register for them.*

*\*\*Upper division business core courses that are required for all majors in the College of Business and Economics.*

## Upper Division Business Core courses\*\*

All business majors are required to take the upper division core of business courses below. In most cases, it is recommended that you complete these courses in your junior year. In some cases, specific core courses are recommended in specific semesters; otherwise, you may take them in either semester of your junior year. The junior-level upper division business core courses are:

**FNBSLW 344-Business Finance** (*pre-req. Account 244*)

**MANGEMNT 301-Organizational Behavior**

**ITSCM 306-Operations Management** (*pre-req. Econ 245*)

**MARKETNG 311-Principles of Marketing**

**FNBSLW 341-Business and Commercial Law**

**MANGEMNT 489-Strategic Management** is a senior-level core course and has five prerequisite courses: FNBSLW 341, FNBSLW 344, MANGEMNT 301, ITSCM 306, and MARKETNG 311. These courses and documented 20 hours of community service must be completed before enrolling in MANGEMNT 489.

### Important Accounting Program Notes:

- *Students must obtain a combined 2.67 GPA in ACCOUNT 249 and ACCOUNT 341 in order to enroll in ACCOUNT 343.*
- *Account 343 is a pre-requisite for Account 451, 452, 454, 456, 461, 463, 465 and 493.*
- *The Accounting Department complies with the UWW's repeat policies. Under these policies a student may repeat an Accounting course in which they earned a C- grade or below. A student who has received credit for a higher level course may not repeat a lower level Accounting course.*

## General Advising Notes

You must begin your Math and English sequences with the appropriate course. The English course you start with will be determined by your ACT/SAT score. The Math course you start with will be determined by your math placement score. Please refer to your Academic Advising Report and adjust the sample 4 year plan accordingly.

**(F)= Course offered in fall only (S)=Course offered in spring only**

*ACCOUNT 244, 249, 451 and 454 offered every summer*

## College of Business and Economics Notes

### Admission to the Upper Division Business Courses

As a business major, you must be admitted to the upper division to take 300- and 400-level business courses. Admission to upper division business courses requires that you meet the following criteria:

1. Have 54 or more projected units. Projected units are the number of units that will be earned at the end of the present term.
2. Have finished or be registering for the last unique and lower division business courses required for admission, indicated in **bold** on the previous page.
3. Have earned a combined (transfer and UW-Whitewater) GPA of at least 2.8.

After being admitted to upper division business courses, you must maintain a 2.50 combined cumulative GPA to be able to continue enrolling in business courses.

### To graduate, business students must have:

1. At least 120 Units
2. 2.50 combined cumulative GPA, 2.50 combined GPA in the major, 2.50 combined GPA in all subjects offered by the College of Business and Economics
3. Completed all course requirements of the degree and major.

### **First Year Advising Notes:**

The classes recommended during the first two years are the same regardless of which area of emphasis you eventually declare. By the end of the first year you should have completed the majority of your general education, including BEINDP 101, Math 141, Math 143, Eng 101, Eng 102, & Comm 110. Freshman Accounting student's will also be able to enroll in Accounting 244 once you reach 15 credits and a 2.5 GPA.

**Goals:** Talk to your academic advisor about your interests and goals and begin to understand career options for your major. Begin to customize your plan--consider minor, certificate, and dual degree options. Explore student groups and organizations and join one that feels right for you - all Business Majors have at least one student organization and is a great way to learn more about the major, careers in the marketplace, and begin networking.

**After your first year:** Get a summer job (preferably related to your field of study) to start building your resume and begin networking.

### **Second Year Advising Notes:**

To stay on track, you should complete all Lower Division Business Core and Degree Unique Requirement classes by the end of your 4th semester. If you are planning on a dual degree, minor, or certificate, see your advisor about how to best use your non-business electives.

**Goals:** Meet requirements for Upper Division by the end of your fourth semester. Continue to explore careers in your major and how your interests and skills might fit into a career path. Explore leadership positions within student organizations and participate in the Hawk Career Fair. If you are considering studying abroad, research program options and talk to your advisor about how it will fit in your plan. The Center for Global Education will be a great resource for both Study Abroad and Travel Study options.

**After your second year:** Work with Career Services to pursue a major-related internship.

### **Third Year Advising Notes:**

Your focus should be on your Upper Division core and introductory level Major coursework. Sequencing of major coursework is key, work with your advisor for assistance. A faculty member will be assigned as a mentor and should be used to help you determine major elective credits, career options, internships, etc. Study abroad is still possible within this plan, but would require careful planning, especially if you are considering a double major or minor. Talk to your advisor about how to adjust your plan for study abroad.

**Goals:** Research specific career options. Attend the Hawk Career Fair as well as networking events and employer information meetings. Pursue a leadership position within a student organization or volunteer group. Get to know your professors, especially in your major.

**After your third year:** Work with the Career Service office and department internship coordinator to pursue an internship for college credit. Continue to seek major-related employment.

### **Fourth Year Advising Notes:**

Apply for graduation online through the Registrar's Office one full semester before you anticipate graduating. Attend a pre-graduation presentation with the Assistant Dean.

#### **Goals:**

Work with Career Service Office to perfect your resume and cover letter, and start getting your applications out. Attend networking events, career fairs and employer information meetings. Talk to everyone you meet about your career goals and ambitions--you never know where a great opportunity might come from. Read professional journals and consider a student membership in a professional organization.