

NOTE: Advising worksheets are supplemental planning aids. Every effort is made to ensure accuracy; however, it is the student's responsibility to understand and meet degree requirements as stated in the applicable Undergraduate Announcements. Pre-Business is not a degree-granting program. All Pre-Business students must complete the Pre-Business freshman core (core courses listed in **BOLD ITALICS**) and have a cumulative grade-point ratio of 2.0 or better before being admitted into the Financial Management major. Registration for nearly all 300- and all 400-level business courses is restricted to students in their degree major, so students should endeavor to complete the core requirements and declare Financial Management as their major as soon as possible.

Business Majors Advising Worksheet (2008-09)

Freshman Core

First Semester

3 *ECON 211 Principles of Microeconomics*

3 *MTHSC 102 Intro. to Math Analysis*¹

3 PSYCH 201 Introduction to Psychology or

SOC 201 Introduction to Sociology

4 *Natural Science w/ lab*² _____

1 *BUS 101 Business Foundations*

1 Elective³ _____

15 Hours

Second Semester

3 *ECON 212 Principles of Macroeconomics*

3 *MTHSC 207 Multivariable Calculus*¹

3 *ENGL 103 Accelerated Composition*

3 COMM 150 Introduction to Speech or COMM

250 Public Speaking or approved cluster.

3 STS Requirement⁴ _____

15 Hours

Financial Management BS Curriculum

Sophomore Year

First Semester

3 MTHSC 309 Intro. to Business Statistics or

3 EX ST 301 Introductory Statistics

3 ACCT 201 Financial Acct. Concepts

3 MGT 201 Principles of Management

3 Internat'l Studies Requirement² _____

3 Non-Literature Humanities² _____

15 Hours

Second Semester

3 MGT 310 Intermediate Business Statistics

3 MKT 301 Principles of Marketing

1 ACCT 204 Accounting Procedures

3 CPSC 220 Microcomputer Application OR

MGT 218 Personal Computer Applications

3 Internat'l Studies Requirement² _____

3 Literature Requirement² _____

16 Hours

¹All students are *required* to take the Clemson Math Placement Test (CMPT) *prior* to registering for their first for math course at Clemson. To take the test, go to <http://www.math.clemson.edu/CMPT/> and follow the instructions. Acceptable math sequences include: MTHSC 102-207, MTHSC 106-108 or MTHSC 106-207. If a student elects to take MTHSC 106 or 108, one credit-hour will be applied toward the elective hour requirement. **See advisor for approval of course selection.**

²See Business School College Advising Center list of approved courses. Note: Students must complete the General Education Cross-Cultural Awareness (CCA) requirement. This requirement may be fulfilled by "double-dipping" with the business International or Non-Literature requirement. See the 2008-09 Undergraduate Announcements (p.34) for additional ways to satisfy the CCA requirement.

Notes:

A. **MOST ACCOUNTING COURSES REQUIRE A GRADE OF C OR BETTER.**

B. Financial Management majors are required to have a minimum grade-point ratio of 2.0 in all Finance (FIN) courses to graduate. Only the last grade for courses that are repeated is used in computing this grade-point ratio.

C. At least 50 percent of the total credits taken in ACCT, ECON, FIN, LAW, MGT, and MKT must be taken at Clemson University.

D. Students must place material in an electronic General Education portfolio to document their work on General Education competencies. Information and instructions are available at <http://MyCLE.clemson.edu>.

Junior Year**First Semester**

- 3 ACCT 311 Intermediate Financial Acct. I
 - 3 FIN 311 Financial Management I
 - 3 ENGL 304 Business Writing *or*
ENGL 314 Tech. Writing *or* ROTC cluster
 - 3 LAW 322 Legal Environment of Business
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 ACCT 312 Intermediate Financial Acct. II
 - 3 FIN 305 Investment Analysis
 - 3 FIN 307 Principles of Real Estate
 - 3 FIN 312 Financial Management II
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Senior Year**First Semester**

- 3 ACCT 303 Cost Accounting
 - 3 ACCT 313 Intermediate Financial Acct. III
 - 3 FIN 308 Financial Institutions & Markets
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
- 15 Hours

Second Semester

- 3 MGT 415 Business Strategy
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Emphasis Area⁵ _____
 - 3 Elective³ _____
- 15 Hours

Total Hours 121

³ Elective hours may be used for courses not required by General Education or your major curriculum and may be taken in any combination or at any time during your college career.

⁴ See General Education Requirements (p.34 in Undergraduate Announcements). This requirement may be satisfied by other courses in the curriculum. In this case, elective hours will be used.

⁵ An Emphasis Area consists of 15 hours of coursework from one of the categories below. Emphasis Areas should be selected in consultation with the departmental advisor before the end of the junior year.

Corporate Finance:

- __FIN 402
- __FIN 404
- __FIN 411
- PLUS** 2 courses from:
- __FIN 304
- __FIN 399 (3 hrs)
- __FIN 405
- __FIN 406
- __FIN 408
- __ACCT _____

(can be any 300- or 400-level Accounting class; may not receive credit for both ACCT 303 and ACCT 307)

Financial Planning:

- __ACCT 404
- __ACCT 408
- __FIN 304
- __FIN 405
- __FIN 409

Financial Services:

- __FIN 405
- __FIN 406
- __FIN 408
- __FIN 411
- PLUS** 1 course from:
- __FIN 304
- __FIN 399 (3 hrs)
- __FIN 417

Real Estate:

- __FIN 415
- __FIN 416
- __FIN 417
- __LAW 333
- PLUS** 1 course from:
- __FIN 399 (3 hrs)
- __LAW 405
- __FIN 408