FINANCE, B.S. (ABINGTON)

Begin Campus: Any Penn State Campus

End Campus: Abington

Suggested Academic Plan

The suggested academic plan(s) listed on this page are the plan(s) that are in effect during the 2023-24 academic year. To access previous years' suggested academic plans, please visit the archive (https://bulletins.psu.edu/undergraduate/archive/) to view the appropriate Undergraduate Bulletin edition (Note: the archive only contains suggested academic plans beginning with the 2018-19 edition of the Undergraduate Bulletin).

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The course series listed below provides **only one** of the many possible ways to move through this curriculum. The University may make changes in policies, procedures, educational offerings, and requirements at any time. This plan should be used in conjunction with your degree audit (accessible in LionPATH as either an **Academic Requirements** or **What If** report). Please consult with a Penn State academic adviser on a regular basis to develop and refine an academic plan that is appropriate for you.

First Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
ENGL 15 or 30H ^{#†}	3 CAS 100A or 100B	3
MATH 110 or 140*#†	4 STAT 200 or SCM 200*#†	4
ECON 102*#†	3 MGMT 301 [#]	3
General Education Course	3 General Education Course	3
General Education Course (GHW)	1.5 General Education Course	3
14.5		

Second	Year		

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
ACCTG 211*#	4 FIN 301 ^{*#}	3
MKTG 301 [#]	3 ENGL 202D [†]	3
General Education Course	3 General Education Course	3
General Education Course	3 General Education Course (US or IL Cultures)	3
General Education Course	3 Non-Business Elective	3
	16	15

Third Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
BA 243	4 ECON 351*	3
ECON 104*	3 FIN 420 [*]	3
FIN 302*	3 MIS 390	3
MIS 204	3 200-400 Level Business Course ²	3
General Education Course (GHW)	1.5 FIN 305, 306W, 407, 408, 409, 413, 427, 456, 461, 496, or ACCTG 481 ^{*1}	3
14.5		

Fourth Year

Fall	Credits Spring	Credits
BA 364Y (can fulfill US or IL Cultures, but not both)	3 BA 462 [*]	3
SCM 301	3 FIN 475 [*]	3
200-400 Level Business Course ²	3 Non-Business Elective	3
FIN 305, 306W, 407, 408, 409, 413, 427, 456, 461, 496, or ACCTG 481*1	3 200-400 Level Business Course ²	3
FIN 305, 306W, 407, 408, 409, 413, 427, 456, 461, 496, or ACCTG 481*1	3 Non-Business Elective	2-3
	15	14-15

Total Credits 120-121

- * Course requires a grade of C or better for the major
- ‡ Course requires a grade of C or better for General Education
- # Course is an Entrance to Major requirement
- † Course satisfies General Education and degree requirement

University Requirements and General Education Notes:

US and IL are abbreviations used to designate courses that satisfy Cultural Diversity Requirements (United States and International Cultures).

W, M, X, and Y are the suffixes at the end of a course number used to designate courses that satisfy University Writing Across the Curriculum requirement.

General Education includes Foundations (GWS and GQ), Knowledge Domains (GHW, GN, GA, GH, GS) and Integrative Studies (Inter-domain) requirements. N or Q (Honors) is the suffix at the end of a course number used to help identify an Inter-domain course, but the inter-domain attribute is used to fill audit requirements. Foundations courses (GWS and GQ) require a grade of 'C' or better.

- Select courses in consultation with an academic adviser and in support of the student's interests.
- ² Select 200-400 level business courses from BA, FIN, MIS, MGMT, MKTG, SCM, or ACCTG in consultation with an academic adviser and in support of the student's interests. FIN 495 (Finance Internship) can satisfy a business support requirement. For more information, contact the Business Program Chair.