

DEPARTMENT OF ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN FINANCE

Curriculum Guide Effective 2020-2021

Student: _____ BANNER ID: _____

Date: _____ PIN: _____

Grade	Course Number and Title	CR	Grade	Course Number and Title	CR
FRESHMAN YEAR: First Semester			FRESHMAN YEAR: Second Semester		
	FRST 101 College Success	1		BTEC 110 Business Computer Apps (BUED 110)	3
	MATH 111 College Alg. & Trig. ¹	4		MATH 112 Calculus for Business and Tech	4
	ENGL 100 Ideas and Their Expressions I	3		ENGL 101 Ideas and Their Expressions II	3
	Scientific Reasoning I ²	4		Scientific Reasoning II ²	3
	MGMT 110 Business Environment (MGMT 220)	3		SPCH 250 Speech Fundamentals	3
SOPHOMORE YEAR: First Semester			SOPHOMORE YEAR: Second Semester		
	ACCT 221 Principles of Accounting I	3		ACCT 222 Principles of Accounting II	3
	ECON 200 Principles of Economics - Micro	3		ECON 201 Principles of Economics - Macro	3
	ECON 206 Statistics for Decision Making	3		MGMT 260 Business Communication (BUED 260)	3
	BUAN 132 Intro to Mgmt Info Systems (MGMT 132)	3		FIN 343 Principles of Finance (FIN 453/253)	3
	African Am Culture/History Elective ³	3		Free Elective ⁴	3
JUNIOR YEAR: First Semester			JUNIOR YEAR: Second Semester		
	ACCT 331 Intermediate Accounting I (ACCT 441)	3		ACCT 332 or ACCT 443 ⁶ Intermediate Accounting II (ACCT 442) or Income Tax Accounting	3
	FIN 350 Financial Analysis & Valuation (FIN 550)	3		FIN 355 Investments (FIN 455)	3
	ECON 315 Money and Banking (ECON 415)	3		FIN 356 Financial Markets & Instit (FIN 456)	3
	MGMT 303 Legal Envir. Of Business (MGMT 361)	3		MKTG 230 Marketing Concepts (MKTG 430)	3
	Technical Area Elective ⁵	3		Technical Area Elective ⁵	3
SENIOR YEAR: First Semester			SENIOR YEAR: Second Semester		
	FIN 451 Intermediate Financial Mgmt (FIN 351)	3		FIN 454 International Finance (FIN 553)	3
	MGMT 315 Management Science (MGMT 481)	3		MGMT 495 Strategic Management (MGMT 520)	3
	MGMT 201 Management Concepts (MGMT 422)	3		Finance Elective ⁸	3
	Global Awareness Elective ⁷	3		Business Elective ⁹	3
	Finance Elective ⁸	3		Free Elective ⁴	2
Total Credit Hours: 120					

¹ MATH 111 can be replaced with MATH 103 + MATH 104 (combined); MATH 101 might be required first based on SAT/ACT math scores. MATH 131 and/or MATH 132 can be used as substitutions for either MATH 111 or MATH 112. All MATHS require a minimum grade of C or better.

² See the University's website for the approved list of General Education electives in the Scientific Reasoning category; one **MUST** be lab-based.

³ See the University's website for the approved list of General Education electives in the African-American Culture and History category.

⁴ Free electives can be any course either external to COBE or inside COBE except ACCT 210.

⁵ Technical Area Electives must be chosen from the following courses: FCS 316, FCS 406, FCS 407, ECON 311, ECON 408, ACCT 326 and MGMT 427. Students planning to sit for the CFP exam should select from FCS 316, FCS 406 and FCS 407. Planning to sit for the CFA exam should select from ECON 311, ECON 408 and MGMT 427.

⁶ Students planning to sit for the CFP exam should select ACCT 443. Students planning to sit for the CFA exam should select ACCT 332.

⁷ See the University's website for the approved list of General Education electives in the Global Awareness category.

⁸ Finance Electives: Students must select one Finance elective from FIN 457 and FIN 458. The additional Finance elective may be chosen from FIN 369, FIN 370, FIN 464, ACCT 443 or ECON 408.

⁹ This course may be any 300-level or 400-level course in the COBE. MKTG 335 is recommended.

MAJOR PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS

Students must earn a C or better (not C-) in the following courses:

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSES					
Grade	Course	CR	Grade	Course	CR
	ENGL 100 Ideas and Their Expressions I	3		MATH 111 College Algebra & Trigonometry	4
	ENGL 101 Ideas and Their Expressions II	3		MATH 112 Calculus for Business & Tech	4
CORE COURSES — COLLEGE OF BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS					
Grade	Course	CR	Grade	Course	CR
	ACCT 221 Principles of Accounting I	3		ECON 200 Principles of Economics - Micro	3
	ACCT 222 Principles of Accounting II	3		ECON 201 Principles of Economics - Macro	3
	FIN 343 Principles of Finance (FIN 453/FIN 253)	3		ECON 206 Statistics for Decision Making	3
	MGMT 110 Business Environment (MGMT 220)	3		MKTG 230 Marketing Concepts (MKTG 430)	3
	BUAN 132 Intro Mgmt Info Systems (MGMT 132)	3		MGMT 315 Management Science (MGMT 481)	3
	MGMT 201 Management Concepts (MGMT 422)	3		MGMT 303 Legal Environment (MGMT 361)	3
	MGMT 260 Business Communication (BUED 260)	3		MGMT 495 Strategic Management (MGMT 520)	3
MAJOR COURSES					
Grade	Course	CR	Grade	Course	CR
	ACCT 222 Principles of Accounting II	3		FIN 343 Principles of Finance (FIN 453/FIN 253)	3
	ACCT 331 Intermediate Accounting I (ACCT 441)	3		ACCT 332 or ACCT 443 Intermediate Accounting II (ACCT 442) or Income Tax Accounting	3
	FIN 350 Financial Analysis & Valuation (FIN 550)	3		FIN 351 Intermediate Financial Mgmt (FIN 451)	3
	FIN 355 Investments (FIN 455)	3		FIN 356 Financial Markets & Inst (FIN 456)	3
	FIN 454 International Finance (FIN 553)	3		ECON 315 Money and Banking (ECON 415)	3

ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

PREREQUISITES. Follow the sequence of the curriculum guide to ensure prerequisites are met. With the exception of FIN 343, all other FIN courses are offered only **ONCE** a year, requiring students to carefully plan their matriculation to graduate on time.

COURSE	PREREQUISITE (<i>requires C or better, not C-</i>)
ENGL 101	ENGL 100
MATH 112	MATH 111 (or MATH 103+104)
BUAN 132	MGMT 110
ECON 206	MATH 111, MATH 104 or MATH 131
MGMT 260	ENGL 101
ACCT 221	MGMT 110
ACCT 222	ACCT 221
ACCT 331/ACCT 443	ACCT 222
ACCT 332	ACCT 331
FIN 343	MATH 112, ACCT 221
FIN 350/351/355/454	FIN 343
FIN 356	FIN 343, ECON 315
FIN 458	FIN 355
ECON 315	ECON 200, 201; MATH 111 or MATH 131
MGMT 315	MATH 112, ECON 206

MGMT 495	ACCT 221/222, FIN 343, MGMT 201, MKTG 230
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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS. If all requirements are not completed within six years after admission, the student is expected to conform to the Undergraduate Bulletin requirements specified for the year in which graduation is anticipated. To graduate, students must earn a minimum of 120 semester hours in the specified curriculum, excluding deficiency and/or remedial courses, with a cumulative grade point average of 2.00 or better for all courses taken.

WITHDRAWALS/REPEATS. Students may withdraw from a total of only five courses (16 credit hours) throughout their entire degree. A total of 16 credit hours can be repeated throughout a student's entire degree.

GENERAL EDUCATION COURSE LIST. The list of general education courses is available at:

https://www.ncat.edu/provost/general_education_resources/general_education_course_list/index.html

QUESTIONS OR CONCERNS. Seek assistance from your assigned academic advisor or chairperson in the Department of Accounting and Finance, 224 Merrick Hall, 336-334-7581.

Advisor Comments: