AGRICULTURAL & CONSUMER ECONOMICS: FINANCE IN AGRIBUSINESS, BS

for the degree of Bachelor of Science Major in Agricultural & Consumer Economics, Finance in Agribusiness Concentration

department website: https://ace.illinois.edu/  
department faculty: https://ace.illinois.edu/faculty (https://ace.illinois.edu/faculty/)  
overview of college admissions & requirements: Agricultural, Consumer & Environmental Sciences (http://catalog.illinois.edu/schools/aces/academic-units/)  
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Students in Finance in Agribusiness study finance as used in agribusiness, farming, financial institutions, and more broadly, in the financial services industry. In addition to positions as loan officers in banks and other lending institutions, recent graduates are working in trust and other banking operations, investments and securities firms, rural appraisals, financial management, financial planning, insurance, real estate, and related fields.

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Prescribed Core Courses including Campus General Education

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<td>Composition I and Speech</td>
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<td>RHET 105 &amp; CMN 101</td>
<td>Writing and Research and Public Speaking (or equivalent (see College Composition I requirement)</td>
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<td>Coursework at or above the third level is required for graduation.</td>
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<td>MATH 124</td>
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Selected from campus approved list.  
Natural Sciences and Technology  
Selected from campus approved list.  
Social and Behavioral Sciences  
Selected from campus approved list.  
Cultural Studies  
Select one course from Western culture, one from non-Western culture, and one from U.S. minority culture from campus approved list.  
ACES Prescribed  
ACES 101  
Contemporary Issues in ACES (for freshmen only)  
2

Department Requirements  
Minimum Hours in the College of ACES of which 20 must be in the Department of ACE  
Minimum of two 400-level courses in ACE  
ACE 100  
Introduction to Applied Microeconomics  
ACE 161  
Microcomputer Applications or CS 105  
Intro Computing: Non-Tech  
ACE 300  
Intermediate Applied Microeconomics  
ACE 341  
Issues & Careers in Applied Econ  
1 or 2

ACCY 201  
Accounting and Accountancy I  
ECON 103  
Macroeconomic Principles  
At least 3 hours of credit for study abroad or one international course selected from:  
ACE 435  
Global Agribusiness Management  
ACE 436  
International Business Immersion  
ACE 451  
Agriculture in Intl Dev  
ACE 452  
The Latin American Economies  
ACE 454  
Econ Dev of Tropical Africa  
ACE 455  
International Trade in Food and Agriculture  
Required Concentration  
15-27  
Concentration prescribed courses. See specific requirements for the concentration listed below.  
Total Hours  
126

1  
Requirement must be satisfied by end of first year.  
2  
Students are encouraged to complete this requirement prior to the seventh semester.

Required for the Finance in Agribusiness Concentration in Addition to Department Requirements  
ACE 345  
Finan Decision Indiv Sm Bus  
ACE 360  
Spreadsheet Models and Applications  
ACE 444  
Financial Services & Investing Planning  
ACE 446  
Modeling App's Finan Plan  
ACCY 202  
Accounting and Accountancy II  
FIN 221  
Corporate Finance  
Select two of the following:  
ACE 427  
Commodity Price Analysis  
ACE 428  
Commodity Futures and Options  
ACE 447  
Case Stud Agr Accy & Fin Plan  
ACE 449  
Retirement & Benefit Planning

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1 Registration may be restricted by the department offering the course; access cannot be assured.