AGRICULTURAL & CONSUMER ECONOMICS: FINANCIAL PLANNING, BS

for the degree of Bachelor of Science Major in Agricultural & Consumer Economics, Financial Planning Concentration

department website: https://ace.illinois.edu/
department 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 the Financial Planning concentration study finance and economics as they apply to individuals, households, and small businesses in the course of accumulating and using financial resources. Students are introduced to issues of credit management, insurance and other risk management strategies, saving and investing, retirement planning, and estate planning. Students also study the financial marketplace as it relates to the needs of households and small businesses.

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Prescribed Core Courses including Campus General Education

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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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Advanced Composition

Select from campus-approved list

3-4

Foreign Language

Coursework at or above the third level is required for graduation.

Quantitative Reasoning I

Select one of:

MATH 124 Finite Mathematics
MATH 125 Elementary Linear Algebra
MATH 231 Calculus II

Select one of:

MATH 220 Calculus
MATH 221 Calculus I
MATH 234 Calculus for Business I

Quantitative Reasoning II

Select one of:

ACE 261 Applied Statistical Methods
ECON 202 Economic Statistics I
& ECON 203 and Economic Statistics II

Humanities and the Arts

Selected from campus approved list.  6

Natural Sciences and Technology

Selected from campus approved list.  6

Social and Behavioral Sciences

Selected from campus approved list.  6

Cultural Studies

Select one course from Western culture, one from non-Western culture, and one from U.S. minority culture from campus approved lists.

ACES Prescribed

ACES 101 Contemporary Issues in ACES (for freshmen only)  2

Department Requirements

Minimum Hours in the College of ACES of which 20, excluding ACE 161 and ACE 261, must be in the Department of ACES

Minimum of two 400-level courses in ACE  6

ACE 100 Introduction to Applied Microeconomics  4

ACCY 201 Accounting and Accountancy I  3

ECON 103 Macroeconomic Principles  3

ECON 302 Inter Microeconomic Theory  3

ACE 161 Microcomputer Applications or CS 105 Intro Computing: Non-Tech  3

ACE 341 Issues & Careers in Applied Econ  1 or 2

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 Intl Trade in Food and Agr

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 must complete this requirement prior to the seventh semester.
3  Students pursuing Agricultural Accounting or Finance in Agribusiness must select ECON 202 and ECON 203.

Code | Title                                                                 | Hours |
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Required for the Financial Planning Concentration in Addition to Department Requirements

ACE 240 Personal Financial Planning  3
ACE 345 Finan Decision Indiv Sm Bus  3
ACE 346 Tax Policy and Finan Planning  3
ACE 440 Finan Plan for Professionals  3
ACE 444 Finan Serv & Invest Plan  3
ACE 445 Intermediate Personal Fin Plan  4
ACE 449 Retirement & Benefit Planning  3
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