

# BUSINESS MINOR FOR NON-BUSINESS MAJORS

for the Minor in Business for Non-Business Majors

Please refer to the Business Minor website (<https://business.illinois.edu/minor/>) for further information.

The Business Minor is for students earning undergraduate degrees in colleges other than the Gies College of Business. The Business Minor provides coursework through which Non-Business students learn skills used in business. The Business Minor is not available to Gies College students and Technology and Management Minor students. The Business Minor is not to be considered as preparation for transfer into the Gies College to earn an undergraduate Business degree.

To declare their Business Minors, Non-Business students must submit their Statement of Intent to Pursue a Campus-Approved Minor ([https://apps.atlas.illinois.edu/FormBuilderSurvey/Survey/las\\_administration/student\\_academic\\_affairs/minor\\_declaration\\_form/](https://apps.atlas.illinois.edu/FormBuilderSurvey/Survey/las_administration/student_academic_affairs/minor_declaration_form/)) (Statements) online.

1. Please note that not every Business Minor course will be offered every Fall and Spring Semesters, Winter Term and Summer Sessions. Students must select judiciously and enroll in the Business Minor courses when they are offered throughout any academic year.
2. Business Minor Students and Prospective Business Minor Students must register for the online sections of all Minor courses if online sections are offered.
3. Business Minor course enrollment instructions are noted in the fall and spring semesters, winter term, and summer session Class Schedule course's Section Detail & Information in Course Explorer. Students must complete all Business Minor course prerequisites. Students who have not completed a Minor course's prerequisite will have their enrollment canceled in that specific course by the academic departments.
4. A minimum number of off-campus transfer courses will be permitted to fulfill the Minor Core and Elective Course Requirements. You should use the Transferology Program to confirm the off-campus course's transferability to fulfill the Minor requirements. You may confirm with the Business Minor Program if a proposed off-campus course will fulfill the Minor requirements.
5. Courses taken through a University of Illinois's Study Abroad Programs will fulfill the Business Minor Core and Elective Course Requirements. These requirements are fulfilled only if the course taken exactly matches course articulations of the Gies Business course. For example, the study abroad exact equivalent course to our campus's BADM 380 course is an acceptable Business Minor Elective course. Study Abroad BADM 3- and BADM 4- courses will not fulfill the Minor's Core and Elective Course Requirements. In addition, Minor Core and Elective Course Requirements are not fulfilled with study abroad courses in Finance, Information Systems, Operations Management, Management, Marketing, and Supply Chain Management.

The Business Minor is designed to be completed within three academic years. Gies College of Business cannot guarantee minor completion.

Contact [busminor@business.illinois.edu](mailto:busminor@business.illinois.edu) to address academic questions.

**Minimum required Minor and supporting course work:** All six Business Minor courses must be earned with Letter Grades. Sophomore standing required to enroll in the four Core Courses. For all Business Minor courses for which online delivery is available, students pursuing the Minor ***must enroll*** in the online sections.

Code	Title	Hours
<b>Core Courses Requirement</b>		<b>12</b>
ACCY 200	Fundamentals of Accounting	3
OR		
ACCY 201 & ACCY 202	Accounting and Accountancy I and Accounting and Accountancy II	
BADM 310	Mgmt and Organizational Beh	3
BADM 320	Principles of Marketing	3
FIN 221	Corporate Finance (ECON 102 or ECON 103 is the prerequisite)	3
<b>Elective Courses Requirement</b>		<b>6</b>
<b>Choose ONLY 2 from the following</b>		
BADM 275	Fundamentals of Operations Management	
BADM 300	The Legal Environment of Bus	
BADM 311	Leading Individuals and Teams	
BADM 312	Designing and Managing Orgs	
BADM 313	Strategic Human Resource Management	
BADM 314	Leading Negotiations	
BADM 323	Marketing Communications	
BADM 326	Pricing Strategy	
BADM 340	Ethical Dilemmas of Business	
BADM 350	IT for Networked Organizations	
BADM 380	International Business	
BADM 381	Multinational Management	
BDI 367	Data Visualization and Communication	
BDI 411	Blockchain, Tokens, and Their Application in Business	
BDI 475	Introduction to Data Analytics Applications in Business	
BDI 477	Emerging Technology and Disruption: Learning to Navigate an Uncertain Future	
FIN 230	Introduction to Insurance	
FIN 241	Fundamentals of Real Estate	
FIN 435	Personal Wealth Management	

## Other Requirements

Requirement	Description
Minimum 300- or 400- level credit hours	6
Minimum of six hours of coursework must be distinct from credits earned for the student's major or another minor.	6
Minimum GPA to earn the minor:	2.00

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### Business Administration

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