TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY
McCoy College of Business Administration
Course Requirements for Designated Degree and Major

Degree: BBA
Major: Finance
Major Code: FIN
Catalog #: 2018

General Education Core Curriculum

Core Component = 39 hours

- English 1310 010
- English 1320 010
- Math 1329 020
- Life and Physical Sciences (3 hours) b 030
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- Philosophy 1320 (WI at Texas State) 040
- Art, Dance, Music, or Theatre Arts 2313 050
- History 1310 (WI at Texas State) 060
- History 1320 (WI at Texas State) 060
- Political Science 2310 070
- Political Science 2320 070
- Communication 1310 090
- English 2310 or 2320 or 2330 or 2340 or 2359 or 2360 090

Business Core (43 semester hours)

Lower division courses: (24 semester hours)
- Business Administration 2310
- Accounting 2361
- Accounting 2362
- Computer Information Systems 1323
- Economics 2314 (core component 080)
- Economics 2315
- Business Law 2361
- Quantitative Methods 2333

Upper division courses: (19 semester hours)
- Management 3303
- Marketing 3343
- Computer Information Systems 3380
- Finance 3312
- Management 3453 (WI at Texas State)
- Management 4335 (Take in last semester, WI at Texas State)

Free Electives (7-8 semester hours)

- Math 1319 or 1315
- ____________________________
- ____________________________
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Department Major (30 semester hours)

- Economics 3311
- Finance 3313
- Finance 3316
- Finance 3318
- Finance 4319
- Finance (advanced elective) d
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- Economics (advanced elective) e
- Accounting 3313
- Accounting (advanced elective) f

University Requirement: (1 semester hour)
- US 1100 – University Seminar (PACE students only)

Footnotes

a The information on this form applies to students assigned to the 2018 catalog. Catalog designation determines the curriculum and other academic policies that apply to a student. Students must graduate within six years of the semester used to designate their catalog; otherwise, they are subject to the curriculum and academic policies of a subsequent catalog.

b For course options, see the 2018 catalog.

c Foreign Language Requirement. Students who did not satisfactorily complete at least two years of the same foreign language in high school must complete two semesters (6-8 hours) of a single foreign language as part of the degree requirements.

d The Finance Advanced Electives may be chosen from: FIN 4317 (WI), 4318, 4320, 4321, 4322, 4325, 4326, 4331, 4340 or any 4380 course.

e The Economics Advanced Elective may be chosen from any 3000- or 4000-level economics course (excluding any ELADV course).

f The Accounting Advanced Elective may be chosen from: ACC 3314, 3365, 3385 or 4328.

Writing Intensive Courses Requirement. Three courses (9 hours) designated as “writing intensive” (WI) must be completed at Texas State to satisfy degree requirements.

Students should note that not all courses are taught each semester. If a specific course is needed, students should verify the prospective course offering with the department.
### Recommended Course Sequence

**Degree:** BBA  
**Major:** Finance  
**Catalog:** 2018

#### Freshman Year

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### Important Degree Information

**TRANSFER COURSE WORK.** Courses acceptable for transfer to Texas State will transfer at the level at which the courses were taken (i.e., acceptable business courses from two-year schools transfer as freshman or sophomore courses and may not be used to satisfy junior/senior level business course requirements).

**50% REQUIREMENT.** A minimum of 50% of the semester hours for a business degree must come from courses offered by the McCoy College of Business Administration at Texas State University.

**OTHER DEGREE REQUIREMENTS.** Students must complete at least 120 semester hours, satisfy course requirements specified above and on their degree audit (including general education core, foreign language, writing intensive, and advanced hours) and achieve minimum grade point averages as follows: 2.0 Texas State GPA and 2.25 Business GPA.

**DEGREE SUMMARY.** Each student may access their degree plan through Degree Works on CatsWeb ([https://ssb.txstate.edu](https://ssb.txstate.edu)) by clicking the “Student” link and then “Degree Audit.” Students should consult with the McCoy College of Business Administration Advising Center (McCoy Hall 115) during the semester prior to the semester in which they plan to graduate.

**APPLICATION FOR GRADUATION.** Students must apply to graduate online via CatsWeb ([http://www.catsweb.txstate.edu/students.html](http://www.catsweb.txstate.edu/students.html)). Additionally, students must check with the McCoy College of Business Administration Advising Center (McCoy Hall 115) during the first week of the semester in which they expect to graduate (September for Fall, January for Spring, or June for Summer) for clearance to participate in commencement.

**HONORS DESIGNATION.** To be eligible to graduate with honors, students must complete a minimum of 54 credit hours through Texas State and have earned a 3.4 or higher Texas State GPA.

**PREREQUISITES.** Course prerequisites are not listed on this sheet. Check the current catalog to verify any prerequisites.