

# Bachelor of Science with a Major in Integrative Studies

Information Sheet designed for students transferring from the College of Business (not an official degree plan.) Students must first attend an Integrative Studies session with a CAS counselor in order to begin the process of declaring this major.

The Bachelor of Science with a Major in Integrative Studies is an excellent option for students coming from the College of Business! Integrative Studies graduates have many career options within the Business industry, such as HR, finance, sales, banking, and logistics. See your Academic Counselor and the Career Center for more information. The BS in Integrative Studies is a major where students choose 3 fields of study and take 12 hours in each field. At least 9 hours in each field must be taken at the advanced level (3000 or 4000 level.)

College of Arts and Sciences Field	Business Field	3 <sup>rd</sup> field	
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Recommendations:	Recommendations:	Recommendations:	
COMM, ECON, ENGL, HIST,	Courses from any department in the	COMM, ECON, INST, LTEC, SOCI	
PSCI, PSYC, SOCI	College of Business may be used toward a Business field.	CMHT (MDSE, HMGT, etc.)	

★ = Course must be taken at the advanced level (3000 and 4000 level)

## **Major Requirements:**

- 36 advanced hours in 3 fields of study (at least 9 advanced hours each)
- Students cannot complete 2 fields from the same College or School with the exception of CAS
- Students are responsible for course pre-requisites, but not pre-major courses
- Grade of "C" or better is required in all courses used in the 3 fields

Integrative Studies majors can also earn minors or Undergraduate Certificates. Please note: courses cannot apply toward both an Integrative Studies field and a minor, but courses can double-dip between an Integrative Studies field and an academic certificate.

## **Undergraduate Certificates that may be of interest:**

- Entrepreneurship
- International Business
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- New Product Development

- Residential Property Management
- Retailing
- Customer Relationship Management



#### How will classes that I have taken for the College of Business apply to a BS in Integrative Studies?

The following chart will show you an overview of B.S. with a major in Integrative Studies degree. The column on the right shows courses you may have already taken. Keep in mind, there may be more courses to choose from to meet requirements you have not yet completed. *This is not an official degree plan*. Students must first attend an Integrative Studies session with a CAS counselor in order to begin the process of declaring this major.

A. University Core Requirements (42 hours)		College of Business Majors may already have taken:
1.	Communication—English Composition and Rhetoric (6 hrs): Minimum grade of "C" required  a. ENGL 1310 College Writing I  b. TECM 2700 Technical Writing or ENGL 1320 College Writing II	ENGL 1310 ENGL 1320 OR TECM 2700
2.	Mathematics (3 hrs): College level math course a. Any College level Math	MATH 1100, 1180, 1190, 1680 OR DSCI 2710
3.	Life & Physical Science (6 hrs): Any two physical and/or life science courses (must have a lab component)	Any from approved list
4.	Creative Arts (3 hrs): Select one course from the approved list	Any from approved list
5.	Language, Philosophy and Culture (3 hrs): Select one course from the approved list	Any from approved list
6. 7.	American History (6 hrs): a. HIST 2610 U.S. History to 1865 b. HIST 2620 U.S. History from 1865  Government/Political Science (6 hrs):	HIST 2610 HIST 2620
	<ul><li>a. PSCI 1040 Texas/U.S. Constitutions</li><li>b. PSCI 1050 U.S. Government</li></ul>	PSCI 1040 PSCI 1050
8.	Social & Behavioral Science (3 hrs): Select one course from the approved list	ECON 1110 OR 1100
9.	<b>Discovery</b> (3 hrs): Select one course from the approved list	BUSI 1340, COMM 1010, MDSE 2750, MGMT 3330
10.	Capstone: (3 hrs): Select one course from the approved	See approved list
В. (	College of Arts and Sciences Requirements (9 hours)	
11.	Additional Laboratory Science (3 hrs): Three hours of laboratory sciences in addition to the University Core Requirements. Students must have at least one Natural and Life Science and at least one Physical Science (PHYS, CHEM or ASTR.)	
12.	<b>Option I: Foreign Language</b> (6-12 hrs): Six hours of Intermediate level foreign language. Students must take 6 hours of beginning language as a pre-requisite or place into Intermediate II language through a placement exam.: LANG, 1010, 1020, 2040 & 2050	
	OR Option II: Professional Communication or Intercultural Perspectives (6 hours): Select two courses from the approved list.	MGMT 3330, MGMT 4660 MKTG 4260, Study Abroad See approved list
C. I	ntegrative Studies Major (36 hours)	
14.	Field 1: (12 hours, at least 9 advanced) Must be chosen from the College of Arts and Sciences (CAS)*	COMM, ECON, ENGL, HIST, PSCI, PSYC, SOCI Or see approved list
15.	<b>Field 2:</b> (12 hours, at least 9 advanced) Could be from the <b>College of Business.</b>	Business Field. Prefixes include: LGAV, BLAW, LSCM, MGMT, MKTG, RMIN, REAL, ACCT, BCIS, BUSI, DSCI, FINA
16.	<b>Field 3:</b> (12 hours, at least 9 advanced) Could be from CAS or another College (excluding Business.) (Education, Engineering, Information, Music, Public Affairs & Community Service, Visual Arts and Design; School of Journalism, College of Merchandising, Hospitality and Tourism.)	COMM, ECON, INST, LTEC, SOCI, CMHT (MDSE, HMGT, etc.) Or see approved list
* ^	they important information.	

\*Other important information:

- Important: There are restrictions & limitations about how fields may be combined or selected. Students cannot complete 2 fields from the same College or School with the exception of CAS. See an Academic Counselor for more information.
- Grade of "C" or better required in all courses used in the 3 fields.

#### **D. Electives**

17. Students may need advanced and any-level electives. This varies per student—see CAS counselor for details.