

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration Catalog Year 2025-2026

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Marketing involves directing the activities of an organization towards the satisfaction of customer wants and needs. There are a wide variety of career opportunities in this field such as personal selling and sales management, advertising and sales promotion, public relations, marketing research, physical distribution, product management, market management, marketing information systems, and retail management.

ACADEMIC ADVISING

It is recommended that students meet with an advisor regarding their individualized degree plan at least once per year.

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GENERAL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS & POLICIES

All CU Denver Business students are required to complete the following minimum general graduation requirements:

- 1. Complete a minimum of 120 applicable course hours.
- 2. Achieve a minimum 2.0 CU cumulative grade point average (GPA) and business GPA.
- 3. Complete a minimum of 45 upper division (3000/4000 level) credits.
- 4. Complete a minimum of 30 CU Denver business course hours in good standing.

COURSE SCHEDULE & DELIVERY MODES

CU Denver offers courses in both in person (IP) and online (OL) delivery modes. Students may complete this degree entirely online OR entirely in person. Students that need to take classes either online or in person will need to pay attention to when courses are offered in the format you need. Below are the required classes for this major and when they are generally offered in person and online. Students will need to choose core classes and electives that meet their individual needs:

COURSE SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!

	When	Fall	Spring	Summer
Core Classes				
ENGL 1020	Semester 1	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
ENGL 2030	Semester 2	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
MATH 1060 Finite Math	Semester 1	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
Social Sciences: ECON 2012	Semester 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
Graduation Requirements for Business				
UNIV 1110 College Success	Semester 1	IP & OL	IP & OL	
COMM 2050 Business and Professional Speaking	Semester 2	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
ECON 2022 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics	Semester 4	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
ENGL 3170 Business Writing	Semester 4	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
Business Core:				
BUSN 2110+BUSN 3110	Semesters 2 & 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	-
ISMG 2050 Introduction to Business Problem Solving	Semester 2	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
BANA 2010 Business Statistics	Semester 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
ACCT 2200 Financial Accounting & Financial Statement Analysis	Semester 3	IP & OL	IP & OL	Either IP or OL
ACCT 2220 Managerial Accounting and Professional Issues	Semester 4	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
BLAW 3050 Business Law and Ethics	Semester 6	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
BANA 3000 Operations Management	Semester 7	IP & OL	IP & OL	IP & OL
FNCE 3000 Principles of Finance	Semester 6	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
ISMG 3000 Technology in Business	Semester 6	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
MGMT 3000 Managing Individuals and Teams	Semester 5	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
MKTG 3000 Principles of Marketing	Semester 5	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
MGMT 4500 Business Policy and Strategic Management	Semester 8	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL
Marketing Required Classes				
MKTG 3100 Marketing Research	Semester 6	IP & R	IP	
MKTG 4050 Applied Marketing Management	Semester 7	HY & OL	OL	IP & R
MKTG electives	Semester 6-8	IP & OL	IP & OL	OL





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TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS

SAMPLE ACADEMIC PLAN OF STUDY

The following academic plan is a *sample* pathway to completing degree requirements. This schedule can be adjusted to accommodate AP, IB, and/or CLEP credits, as well as courses taken during the summer sessions. Students should tailor this plan based on transfer credit, course availability, and individual preferences related to course load, schedules, and add-on programs such as minors or double majors. Students must complete an experiential learning credit (internship, study abroad program, or project-based course) and a capstone course taken in their final semester. **This plan assumes that the foreign language graduation requirement has been completed with high school courses or proficiency exam.**

	Semester 1	Credits	Semester 2	Credits
	ENGL 1020 Core Composition I	3	ISMG 2050 Intro to Business Problem Solving	3
One	MATH 1060 Finite Math	3	ENGL 2030 Core Composition II	3
	Arts, Humanities, OR Behavioral Science	3	COMM 2050 Business and Professional Speaking	3
ear	Arts, Humanities, OR Behavioral Science	3	Natural and Physical Sciences with a Lab	4
>	UNIV 1110 College Success	1	Arts, Humanities, OR Behavioral Science	3
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	13	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	16
	Semester 3	Credits	Semester 4	Credits
	ACCT 2200 Financial Accounting and Financial Statement	3	ACCT 2220 Managerial Accounting and Professional Issues	3
Two	BANA 2010 Business Statistics	3	ECON 2022 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics	3
_	Social Sciences: ECON 2012 Macroeconomics	3	Natural and Physical Sciences	3
Year	ENGL 3170 Business Writing	3	General Elective (or Regional Expertise/Language)	3
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	BUSN 2110 Cultivating Emotional Intelligence	1	BUSN 3110 Career & Professional Development	1
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	16	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	16
	Semester 5	Credits	Semester 6	Credits
a	MGMT 3000 Managing Individuals and Teams	3	MKTG 3100 Marketing Research	3
Three	MKTG 3000 Principles of Marketing	3	MKTG Elective	3
È	BANA 3000 Operations Management	3	BLAW 3050 Business Law and Ethics	3
Year	International Perspectives	3	FNCE 3000 Principles of Finance	3
×	General Elective	2	ISMG 3000 Technology in Business	3
	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	14	TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS	15
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	Semester 7	Credits	Semester 8	Credits
Four	Experiential Learning	3	MKTG Elective	3
5	MKTG 4050 Applied Marketing Management	3	MKTG Elective	3
Year	MKTG Elective	3	MKTG Elective	3
ζe.	MKTG Elective	3	MGMT 4500 Business Policy and Strategic Management	3
	International Studies	3	Cultural Diversity	3

Students wanting to apply for the **Marketing 4+1 Program** (BSBA & MS in 5 years) should complete MKTG 3000 and 2 other MKTG courses by the end of their 6^{TH} semester or Junior year, prior to application. Upon MKTG 4+1 acceptance, student will substitute two graduate level courses for two undergraduate courses in their undergraduate degree plan. Please see advisor for more information.

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TOTAL SEMESTER HOURS

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DEGREE REQUIREMENTS

Courses	Credits	Prerequisites/Notes	Term	Credits	Grade
*Students are responsible for consulting advisors for current prere	equisite and s	scheduling information as they change regularly			
Required CU Denver Core Curriculum Coursework	34				
ENGL 1020	3				
ENGL 2030	3	ENGL 2030			
MATH 1060 Finite Math	3				
Arts	3				
Humanities	3				
Behavioral Sciences	3				
Social Sciences: ECON 2012	3				
Natural and Physical Sciences with lab	4				
Natural and Physical science	3				
Cultural Diversity	3	Junior Standing - BUSN/MGMT 4100 recommended			
International Perspectives	3	INTB 3000, INTB 4400 or MKTG4200 recommended			
Graduation Requirements for Business	13				
UNIV 1110 College Success	1	Only required for entering first term freshmen			1
COMM 2050 Business and Professional Speaking	3	, , ,			
ECON 2022 Principles of Economics: Microeconomics	3				1
ENGL 3170 Business Writing	3	Sophomore standing			
Experiential Learning	3	Options: internship, business study abroad,			
Experiencial Learning		or MGMT 4120, 4825, 4900, or ENTP 3900			
Business Core	35	0.1116111.1123, 1323, 1323, 0.12111.13333			
BUSN 2110+BUSN 3110	2	1 credit each			
ISMG 2050 Introduction to Business Problem Solving	3				
BANA 2010 Business Statistics	3	MATH 1060 with C- or better			
ACCT 2200 Financial Acct and Statement Analysis	3	MATH 1060 with C- or better			
ACCT 2220 Managerial Acct and Professional Issues	3	ACCT 2200 with C - or better			
BLAW 3050 Business Law and Ethics	3	45 + credits complete			
BANA 3000 Operations Management	3	ACCT 2200, BANA 2010 with C- or better & 45 +			
FNCE 3000 Principles of Finance	3	credits MATH 1060, ACCT 2200, BANA 2010 with C- or			-
FINCE 3000 Principles of Finance	3	better, ECON 2012, ECON 2022 & 45 +			
		credits complete			
ISMG 3000 Technology in Business	3	45 + credits complete			
MGMT 3000 Managing Individuals and Teams	3	45 + credits complete			
MKTG 3000 Principles of Marketing	3	BANA 2010, COMM 2050 with C- or better & 45+			
		credits			
MGMT 4500 Business Policy and Strategic Management	3	All Business Core with C- or better			
International Studies	3				
ACCT 4370, MKTG/INTB 4200, FNCE/INTB 4370,	3	Choose one			
MGMT/INTB 4400, RISK 4509					
Major: Marketing	24				
MKTG 3100 Marketing Research	3	BANA 2010 and MKTG 3000 with C- or better			
MKTG 4050 Applied Marketing Management	3	MKTG 3000 with C- or better			
MKTG Elective	3				
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MKTG Elective	3				
Language Proficiency Level 1 and 2 or Regional Expertise	10	If proficiency is met, student is responsible for completing 10 additional electives			
Other Courses-Electives	1				
		Total Credit Hours: 120)		