University Core and Graduation Requirements

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| The Individual and Society    |          |       |           |
| American Heritage             | 1-2      | 3-6.0 | from approved list |
| Global and Cultural Awareness | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |

| Skills                        |          |       |           |
| First Year Writing            | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |
| Advanced Written and Oral Communications | 1        | 3.0   | M COM 320* |
| Quantitative Reasoning        | 1        | 3.0   | ACC 200* |
| Languages of Learning (Math or Language) | 1        | 3.0   | STAT 121
|                                |          |       | (recommended) |

| Arts, Letters, and Sciences   |          |       |           |
| Civilization 1               | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |
| Civilization 2               | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |
| Arts                         | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |
| Letters                      | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |
| Biological Science           | 1        | 3-4.0 | from approved list |
| Physical Science             | 1        | 3.0   | from approved list |
| Social Science               | 1        | 3.0   | ECON 110* |

| Core Enrichment: Electives   |          |       |           |
| Religion Electives           | 1-2      | 6.0   | from approved list |
| Open Electives               | Variable | Variable | personal choice |

FOR UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM QUESTIONS CONTACT THE ADVISEMENT CENTER IN 460 TNRB

*THESE CLASSES FILL BOTH UNIVERSITY CORE AND PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS (9 hours overlap)

### Graduation Requirements:

- Minimum residence hours required: 30.0
- Minimum hours needed to graduate: 120.0

Suggested Sequence of Courses

#### FRESHMAN YEAR

**1st Semester**
- First Year Writing: 3.0
- MSB 180 (recommended): 1.0
- Religion Cornerstone: 2.0
- General Education: 3.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**2nd Semester**
- ACC 200: 3.0
- MKTG 201: 3.0
- IS 110: 1.0
- Religion Cornerstone: 2.0
- General Education: 1.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

#### SOPHOMORE YEAR

**3rd Semester**
- ACC 310: 3.0
- FIN 201: 3.0
- Religion Cornerstone: 2.0
- General Education: 3.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

**4th Semester**
- ECON 110: 3.0
- IS 201: 3.0
- M COM 320: 3.0
- Religion Cornerstone: 2.0
- General Education: 3.0
- Total Hours: 15.0

#### JUNIOR YEAR

**5th Semester**
- ACC 401 (F): 4.0
- ACC 403 (F): 4.0
- ACC 406 (F): 4.0
- Religion Elective: 2.0
- Total Hours: 14.0

**6th Semester**
- ACC 402 (W): 4.0
- ACC 404 (W): 4.0
- ACC 405 (W): 4.0
- Religion Elective: 2.0
- Total Hours: 14.0

**SENIOR YEAR**

**7th Semester**
- GSCM 200: 1.5
- GSCM 300: 1.5
- FIN 402: 3.0
- M COM 320: 3.0
- HRM 391: 2.0
- Religion Elective: 2.0
- General Electives: 3.0
- Total Hours: 16.0

**8th Semester**
- ACC 241: 3.0
- ACC 243: 3.0
- STRAT 391: 3.0
- General Electives: 10.0
- Total Hours: 16.0

Most applicants apply to the BYU Marriott School of Business after their sophomore year. Each program starts at the beginning of a new academic year.

- **Deadline to apply for Fall is the last working day of June by 4:30 p.m.**

The sequence of courses suggested may not fit the circumstances of every student. Students should contact their advisement center for help in outlining an efficient schedule.

This major requires a minimum of 120 hours for graduation. Students are encouraged to complete an average of 15 credit hours each semester or 30 credit hours each year, which could include spring and/or summer terms. Taking fewer credits substantially increases the cost and the number of semesters to graduate.
**THE DISCIPLINE**

Accounting has been called the language of business in which accountants control, analyze, and report the financial resources of an enterprise. A good understanding of accounting principles and practices can serve as the basis for a career in any business field.

**CAREER OPPORTUNITIES**

Accountants provide critical input and guidance in profit-seeking organizations, service and charitable organizations, educational institutions, government, public accounting firms, and, indeed, in any organization that exists today.

**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Students are encouraged to apply to the Marriott School of Business after their sophomore year, as soon as they have completed the prerequisite courses. BYU Marriott majors are limited enrollment programs and the application process is competitive. For assistance in preparing for the application process, it is highly recommended that students visit the BYU Marriott Undergraduate Advisement Center.

**APPLICATION INFORMATION**

All new students entering the BYU Marriott commence their study at the beginning of fall semester. Admission is based on consideration of the following:

- Prerequisite GPA
- Essay
- Review of the overall academic record
- Professionalism

Prerequisite courses must be completed before the application deadline. Any application with a prerequisite GPA below a 3.0 will not be considered. When prerequisite GPA is calculated, repeated or transferred courses will be discounted. See the Marriott School Advisement Center for more information.

**NOTE 2**

If a student must leave the program for a mission, military service, or other reason, a leave of absence request form is required. A prompt return to the program is required. Students who have interrupted their SOA education for more than two years without prior approval will be required to meet the requirements of the program in effect at re-acceptance.

**BS ACCOUNTING, CONCURRENT WITH MACC**

The first year of the SOA program must be completed with a minimum 3.0 GPA to be eligible to apply for continuation into the Master of Accountancy Program. The business core courses are replaced by the Marriott School of Business graduate core. Students planning to pursue a master of accountancy degree should not take the undergraduate business core courses.

**MAP DISCLAIMER**

While every reasonable effort is made to ensure accuracy, there are some student populations that could have exceptions to listed requirements. Please refer to the university catalog and your college advisement center/department for complete guidelines.

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