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MSU-West Plains Associate of Science in Business
to
MSU Bachelor of Science in Finance - Financial Planning

Available on campus only.
Comprehensive majors do not require a minor or second major.

MSU West Plains Year 1 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Institutional Requirement	IDS 110	Student Success	2	GEC 101	
Institutional Requirement	CIS 101	Computers for Learning	3	ITC 200	✓
Mathematical Sciences	MTH 136 or higher <i>must earn a "C" or better</i>	Pre-Calculus I: Algebra	3	MTH 136	✓
Oral Communications	COM 115	Fundamentals of Public Speaking	3	COM 115	✓
Written Communications	ENG 110	Writing I	3	ENG 110	✓
Humanities and Fine Arts*	Choose one:		3	Varies	
	ART 115▲	MUS 239 ▲			
	ART 200	MUS 241			
	ENG 236	PHI 110			
		PHI 115 REL 100 SPN 101 ▲			
		SPN 102 ▲ THE 101			
Semester 1 Total			17		

MSU West Plains Year 1 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Humanities and Fine Arts*	Choose one:		3	Varies	
	ART 115▲	MUS 239 ▲			
	ART 200	MUS 241			
	ENG 236	PHI 110			
		PHI 115 REL 100 SPN 101 ▲			
		SPN 102 ▲ THE 101			
Natural Sciences*	Choose one course from Natural Sciences.		3-4	Varies	
General Elective	MGT 286	Business Communications	3	MGT 286	✓
Core Elective	PSY 121	Introductory Psychology	3	PSY 121	✓
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	ECO 165	Principles of Microeconomics	3	ECO 165	✓
Semester 2 Total			15-16		

MSU West Plains Year 2 Semester 3

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Major Requirement	ACC 201 <i>must earn a "B" or better</i>	Introduction to Financial Accounting	3	ACC 201	✓
Written Communications	ENG 210 or ENG 221	Writing II: Academic Writing Writing II: Writing for the Professions	3	ENG 210 ENG 221	
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	ECO 155	Principles of Macroeconomics	3	ECO 155	✓
Natural Sciences*	Choose one course from Natural Sciences.		3-4	Varies	
Social/Behavioral Sciences*	Choose one:		3	PLS 101 HST 121 HST 122	
	PLS 101	American Democracy and Citizenship			
	HST 121	Survey of US History to 1877			
	HST 122	Survey of US History Since 1877			
Semester 3 Total			15-16		

MSU West Plains Year 2 Semester 4

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU-West Plains COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS	MSU EQUIVALENT	MSU MAJOR REQUIREMENT
Core Elective <i>5 hours required for Core 42 (If Globalization option not selected in humanities)</i>	Choose one:		3	SOC 150 GRY 100	✓
	SOC 150 ▲ GRY 100 ▲	Principles of Sociology Business Communications			
Humanities and Fine Arts*	BUS 170	Business and Professional Ethics	3	PHI 120	
Major Requirement	BUS 297	International Business Capstone	3	MGT 000	
Major Elective	ACC 211 <i>must earn a "B" or better</i>	Intro to Managerial Accounting	3	ACC 211	✓
Major Elective	QBA 237	Basic Business Statistics	3	QBA 237	✓
Semester 4 Total			15	Total MSU hours:	36
Total Hours at MSU-West Plains			62-64		

*Must fulfill two disciplines

▲ Options listed fulfill the MSU Globalization requirement

▲ MOTR code 'PERF' course- only three credit hours of PERF courses can be applied to Humanities knowledge area.



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MSU Year 3 Semester 1

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
COB Admission Requirement	LAW 231	Legal Environment of Business	3
COB Core Requirement	FIN 380	Financial Management	3
COB Core Requirement	ITC 201	Computer Applications for Business	3
COB Core Requirement	MGT 340	Principles of Management	3
Major Requirement	RMI 211	Principles of Risk Management and Insurance	3
Semester 1 Total			15

MSU Year 3 Semester 2

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	ACC 321	Tax Accounting I	3
Major Requirement	FIN 384	Financial Markets and Intermediaries	3
Major Requirement	FIN 381	Financial Planning	3
COB Core Requirement	MKT 350	Principles of Marketing	3
Option Requirement	Choose one from Financial Planning option #2		3
Semester 2 Total			15

MSU Year 4 Semester 3

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	FIN 585	Investments	3
Major Requirement	FIN 538/RMI 538	Introduction to Estate Planning	3
COB Core Requirement	MKT 364	Operations Management	3
Major Requirement	LAW 332	Debtor and Creditor Rights and Remedies	1
Major Requirement	Choose one:		2-3
	LAW 335 LAW 532	Business Enterprises, Rights/Liabilities Legal Environment of Business Organizations for Professionals	
General Elective**	Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals.		1
Semester 3 Total			13-14

MSU Year 4 Semester 4

REQUIREMENT DESCRIPTION	MSU COURSE ID/TITLE		CREDIT HOURS
Major Requirement	RMI 314	Employee Benefits and Social Insurance	3
COB Core Requirement	MGT 487	Strategic Management and Policy	3
Major Requirement	FIN 581	Professional Financial Planning	3
COB Core Requirement	ITC 429	Information Systems with Business Intelligence	3
General Elective**	Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals.		3
Semester 4 Total			15
Total Hours at MSU			58-59
Total Hours Overall			120-123

**Work with your MSU advisor to identify courses that will complement your specific career goals. Electives provide the opportunity to customize your degree program. Some elective credits may or may not be needed to bring total credit hours to a minimum of 120 credit hours and upper division hours (300+) to 40.

Admission to the College of Business is separate from admission to the University.
Students must have completed at least 54 hours (MSU and/or transfer). GPA requirements include a minimum 2.00 Missouri State GPA and a minimum 2.5 combined GPA to apply for admission to the College of Business.

This information is provided as a guide only.

- MSU-West Plains students are strongly encouraged to meet with their major specific MSU transfer advisor early in their MSU-West Plains education to discuss the most appropriate MSU-West Plains coursework for their intended MSU major, MSU degree requirements, etc.
- Students are required to fulfill MSU graduation and GPA requirements to receive a degree and should consult with their MSU advisor and the MSU undergraduate catalog for details, as there may exist pre-requisite requirements as well as periodicity limitations that could affect scheduling sequences.
- Please note that transfer students from Missouri public colleges and universities may follow the general education and general baccalaureate degree requirements in effect at Missouri State when they first enrolled (or re-enrolled after an absence of one calendar year or more) as degree-seeking students at the institutions from which they transferred (e.g., MSU-West Plains).